



NEWS IN A NUTSHELL

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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

A Word from Mrs. Biebel-

Dear T.O.C.S. Families,

It is a blessing to have students back after fall break and settling back into learning, routines, Gospel memory, and expectations. I hope this finds all of you doing well and enjoying this beautiful fall weather. Please make sure that students are following the dress code for sweatshirts on these cool mornings (solid colored and Warrior Wear only).

The 2nd grade's annual Ox Cart sale to benefit medical missions in the Gambia begins today and will continue throughout this week. If you're able to, please send in a few dollars with your student to make some purchases off the table this week.

God has provided, yet again in so many ways...the TX Roadhouse fundraiser for T.O.C.S. brought in \$782 between sales and donations(thank you to those who supported this), and our MS boys' cross country team took 2nd place on Saturday at the Trail Blazer's meet. Go Warriors!

Our annual P.T.F. Walk-a-thon fundraiser will take place at the end of this month, so please participate in this "fun"draiser because we are really looking forward to moving on with next phase of our playground addition as soon as we have raised enough for the next set of swings.

Please know that each of your families is prayed for daily and that we are here to support you and yours spiritually and academically. Please call the office if you have a prayer request that you would like added to the "School Family Prayer Concerns" section of the News in a Nutshell. I know that I speak on behalf of the TOCS faculty, staff, and other families when I say that we appreciate your prayers as well.

In Christ,

Amy Pfaff-Biebel
T.O.C.S. Administrator

Tues., Oct. 20 grade cards

Oct. 20-23

2nd Grade Ox Cart Man
sale

Thurs., Oct. 22 & Fri., Oct.
23 preschool Lion's Club
eye testing

Fri., Oct. 23 pizza due
for Nov/Dec; fall Warrior
Wear orders due

Mon., Oct. 26
K field trip

Thurs., Oct. 29 & Fri., Oct.
30 Walk-A-Thon

Remember to check your
email for messages from
TOCS and/or FACTS!

Don't forget to link your
savings cards at Food City
and Ingles' to TOCS each
year! And scan your Box
Tops receipts!

Pick-up absentee
assignments after 2 pm
from the office cart!

Foul weather information
1340 AM, 1450 AM, 103.1
FM, tocsweb.com, &
facebook

School Family Prayer Concerns:

Name:	Relation:	Request:
Terry Bell	Donnie Bell's (custodian) sister	health
Dan Broyles	Jackson Broyles' (7 th) Grandfather	cancer
Jackson Broyles	7 th grade student	passing of his father, Tad Broyles
Randy Chaffin	Eli (4 th) & Gabby (1 st) Chaffin's Grandfather; Mrs. Chaffin's (HS Bible, English, & Spanish) father-in-law	recovering from surgery
Eli Cutshall	Mrs. Carol's (secretary) son; Mrs. Velvet's (secretary) brother	recovering from hip replacement surgery
Carolyn Duwe	Grandma of Audrey (12 th), and James (7 th) McGee; mother of Mrs. Kim McGee (music teacher)	cancer
Nancy Helbert	Bennett McInturff's (K) great-grandmother	health
Erin Johnson	Hot Lunch cook	recovering from gall bladder surgery
David Lambert	Grayson (6 th) & Liam (4 th) Lambert's dad	health
Hannah McCoy	Caroline (12 th) & Carley (10 th) Bailey's cousin	general health; thyroid cancer
Brenda Millican	owner of Advertising Expressions (our school shirt provider)	health
Sandra Murphy	Heidi Ricker's (5 th) grandmother	health
Debbie Strickland	TOCS 4H educator	cancer

