



Duggan School Newsletter

October, 2013

Dr. Patricia Frageau, Principal

- . October Calendar
- . 1 Student of the Month
- . 4 Go Green
- . 7 Book Fair Begins
- . 9 *Walk Your Child to School Day*
- . 10 Reading Night
- . 14 *NO SCHOOL-*
Columbus Day
- . 15-16 Smile Builders
- . 15 Staff meeting
- . 23 Early Dismissal-
Teacher Collaboration
- . 30 End of 1st MP-
Grades 1-8
- . Main Office
- . 203-574-8875
Parent Liaison
- . Tina St. Pierre
- . 203-574-8881
- . Nurse
- . Lois Crucitti
- . 203-574-8885

IMPORTANT NEWS

The students will be taking the *Smarter Balance Test* this year in place of the *Connecticut Mastery Test*. Testing will take place in March.

SCHOOL GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

PARENTS

Kathy Taylor
Diana Sills
Chantel Lane
Jason Timm
Jasmine Timm
Hong Ho

TEACHERS

Mrs. Fidanza
Mrs. Salemme
Miss Rivera
Mrs. Brittingham
Mrs. Bell

Human Growth, Development and Family Life Education Policy

Any parent or legal guardian of a Waterbury Public School student may exempt his/her child from any or all lessons dealing with Human Growth, Development and Family Life portions of the Health and Wellness Education Curriculum. This may be done by **written notification** to the Principal of the building that the child attends. Copies of the curriculum are available at the school for parent review. If you would like to read the curriculum, please call the school and make an appointment to come in and review the material.

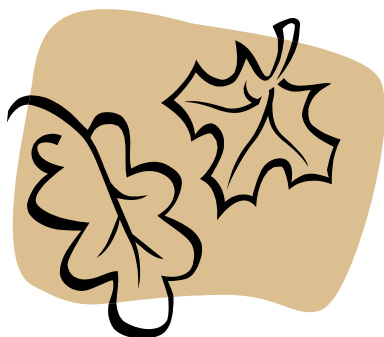
NURSE'S NOTES

Smile Builders Dental Care will be at Duggan School October 15th and 16th. The Nurse's office is still going through medical records for Pre-Kindergarten, Kindergarten, 6th and 7th grades. Letters have been sent to those parents who were noncompliant with the mandated physicals and immunizations. If your child is excluded from school for an infectious disease, examples, lice, pink eye, ringworm, impetigo, or scabies, a doctor's note must be received, documenting treatment before the child may return to school. This is a Department of Health and School Policy. If there is not documentation of treatment, your child again will be excluded. If your child comes to school with stitches, ace bandage, cast, sling, or crutches, please notify the nurse and provide appropriate documentation for any restrictions. It would save a lot of time, and would be greatly appreciated. Any medication should be brought to school by an adult, accompanied by a doctor's order, signed by the doctor, and the parent. If this policy is not followed, the Nurse will not accept the medication. The Nurse's Office is planning on starting vision testing in October.

PARENT LIAISON NEWS

If you are interested in helping out at the Book Fair, please contact Miss Tina.

Also, if you need help accessing Progress Book, contact Miss Tina!



NOTE FROM THE ATTENDANCE COUNSELOR

- * Please bring in a doctor's note for any tardies/dismissals/absences in order for them to be excused!
- * A student is considered to be 'in attendance' if present at his/her assigned school, or an activity sponsored by the school (e.g., field trip), for **at least half of the regular school day**.
- * Your child must be in school by **10:35 am** in order to get credit for the day (with or without a note)!
- * Also, if your child is dismissed earlier than **10:35 am** (with or without a note) it **does not count as a full day**. (Excluding nurse's dismissals)

Students of the Month September

PRE-K GIUFFRE/DIORIO

Susan Gomes

PRE-K MCKEEMAN

Dominic Poveromo

MISS KALITA

Eli Ortiz

K-MCCASLAND

Ariah Beamon

K-RIVERA

Yanalisse Anaya

1-IERONIMO

Kaylonn Beamon

1-SANZARI

Mia Mora-Rodriguez

2-BELL

Kiara Nazario

2-GAUDIOSI

Nick Pellow

3-ANGURIO

Vanessa Concepcion

3- ST. HILAIRE

Raysean Emrie

4-FIDANZA

Adrianna Coggins

4-JOHNSTON

Joselyn Medina

5-FIELD

Kassandra Rodriguez

5-HART

Kayla McLean

6-BRITTINGHAM

Chayna Pinero

6-FINKENZELLER

Christopher DeLaCruz

7-JONES

Jadalice Arce-Lopez

7-PERRUCCI

Robert Ebron

8-ADDONA

Dajon Lopez

8-NEGRON

Gigi Derixiera



