



# September 2023 Newsletter

## Caer en un Libro (Fall into a Book)

Our start to Hispanic Heritage month is coming together and the door decorating has begun. Can't wait to see how they come out and which door wins! Stay tuned for pictures and the winner!

Trunk or Treat is coming!! Please consider donating peanut free candy to help make this event a success. Also if you would like to join in and decorate a trunk, please complete the form on the Mead School Website and ParentSquare. Trunk or Treat is on October 27 from 6 - 7pm or whenever the candy runs out. Please note: this is an event for Mead School students and all students must be accompanied by an adult.



### New and Exciting

#### National Custodian Day:

October 2nd was National Custodian Day. We celebrated Mr. Marc, Mr. Willie, and Mr. Justin for all their hard work and doing an amazing job keeping our school clean.



#### International Dot Day:

Friday, September 15 was International Dot Day - a day for classes to explore the story's powerful themes: bravery, creativity, and self-expression. Our social workers created a bulletin board for Dot Day with each student's decorated circle.



Reading Challenge: We are off to an amazing start with our reading challenge!! Students are reading up a storm!! We should know which class will reach 100 books read soon. Adults can still help their students achieve this goal by reading books at home.

Our Valley Goes Pink Spirit Week starts October 16 and ends with a pie throwing October 20.

#### VALLEY GOES PINK WEEK AT MEAD SCHOOL

- Save the Date: Pie throwing 10/20
- This year the winner of the pie throwing contest will be based on Wednesday's Pink Out! We will have judges walk around the building and choose the classroom that has the most pink spirit!

 Monday 10/16/2023	<b>"MAKE IT MONDAY"</b> All students color a breast cancer ribbon and put it on their classroom door. (Copies of the ribbon will be put in your mailbox.)
 Tuesday 10/17/2023	<b>"TATTOO" TUESDAY</b> Pink Ribbon tattoos for sale-\$1.00 Tattoos will be sold the week before. They will be sold during homeroom.
 Wednesday 10/18/2023	<b>"Pink Out!"</b> <b>PINK OUT DAY!</b> The class that is the "most pinked out" will get to throw pies at our staff.
 Thursday 10/19/2023	<b>"Wear your pink bracelet"</b> Pink bracelets for sale-\$1.00 Bracelets will be sold the week before.
 Friday 10/20/2023	<b>"Knock out Cancer"</b> Please make a one dollar donation, if you want to wear cancer awareness items! Pie throwing contest! Dress Down Day!

## PTO Corner

### **NEXT PTO MEETINGS: November 1, 2023 6 pm**

In person in the Media Center or Google Chat  
(<https://meet.google.com/imx-cjhn-idb>)

Logo drop offs will be accepted throughout the month of October in the Mead School Main Office. See Facebook posts for details. There will be no in-person evening event in October. We are sorry for any inconvenience.

October 16th: M&R Desserts Sale #1 Begins.  
(Cheesecakes, Pies, Dave's Cookie Dough and CoffeeCakes delivered for Thanksgiving)

October 18th - 20th: Scholastic Book Fair

November 3rd: School Store

Follow us on FB, or Instagram @meadschoolpto for upcoming events, fundraisers, etc. Contact us at [meadschoolpto@ansonlaps.org](mailto:meadschoolpto@ansonlaps.org) with questions or if you can volunteer.

### School Store Dates\*:



**November 3  
January 10**

\*Subject to change

### **Easy fundraising:**

**Box Top app:** sign up under Mead

School, & snap your receipt each time you grocery shop. Use referral code: **TQKE7GJD**

Sneaker Drive: Donate your old sneakers to be recycled.

## Upcoming Events

**October 11 - Picture Day**

**October 13 - Mead PTO Presents "A Glo-Dance"**  
6pm - 9pm

**October 18 - 20 - Scholastic Book Fair**

**October 27 - Trunk or Treat @ AHS**  
Treating starts at 6pm & runs until 7 or when the candy runs out  
**Mead School Students ONLY; Must be accompanied by an adult**

**October 31 - Halloween Parade**

**November 1 - PTO Meeting - 6pm**

**November 7 - Election Day - No School**

**November 14 & 15 - Parent - Teacher Conferences**

**November 20 & 21 - Early Release**

**November 22 - 24 - Thanksgiving Break**