



## Highland Drive PSO Weekly Update-October 22, 2018

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## October 22nd Weekly Update

### Greeting

Dear Highland Drive Families,

**This Thursday, October 25th, Jim "Basketball" Jones will be at Highland Drive for the first PSO sponsored school assembly.** As Mrs. O'Mara shared he, "reinforces the importance of hard work when there is a goal in mind and the benefits of kind behavior towards each other." **Thank you again for your No Fuss donations! This assembly is one example of what your donations go toward.**

**Next Wednesday, October 31st, the Halloween parties and parade will take place at Highland.** Please check with your child's teacher for exact time

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information for the Halloween party. The Halloween **parade will take place around 2:45**. Weather permitting, the students will walk around the oval parading in their Halloween costumes. All families are invited to attend the Halloween parade.

**Please save the date for our next PSO meeting on Wednesday, November 14th at 9:30 am.** District Curriculum Director, Dr. David Martin, will be our guest speaker. If you are unable to attend, but have questions you'd like asked, please email us at [highlandpsopresident@gmail.com](mailto:highlandpsopresident@gmail.com).

We've received feedback that families unable to attend the meetings would like more access to the information, so we're work to provide a recording of the meeting. Stay tuned for more information as we work out the details. **As always, you can access the minutes from all PSO meetings on our website at <https://www.highlanddrivepsa.com>.**

Have a great week,

Sarah Beebe and Sarah Schulz  
Highland Drive PSO Presidents 2018-2019  
[highlandpsopresident@gmail.com](mailto:highlandpsopresident@gmail.com)

### Little Free Libraries

**Please join us for a small dedication ceremony on Monday, October 22nd at 5:00 in memory of Mrs. Sharon Wiesler, Highland Drive reading specialist.**

The PSO would like to thank the many Highland Drive families who donated hundreds of books to fill the libraries.

Thank you to **JM Build Design** for donating the three Little Free Libraries and Highland Drive reading specialist, **Miss Kolis** for painting and staining the libraries over the summer.

Thank you to **KDG Construction** for donating the use of an auger to dig the holes and to the **Beebe, MacRaid and Drvenkar Families** for donating other installation materials as well as the man power to install the libraries.

The libraries have been filled with books and are now ready for the dedication ceremony. More pictures and

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### Important Dates

**10/22 Little Free Libraries Dedication**

**10/23 Box Tops Due**

**10/31 Creative Writing Corner Submissions Due**

**10/31 Halloween Parties & Parade**

**11/14 PSO meeting**

### Volunteer Form

If you are a volunteer that will be with students without a staff member present, including chaperoning field trips, you must complete this form: [HERE](#)

information can be found on the Highland Drive website.

## Box Tops for Education

**Box Tops are due TOMORROW Tuesday, October 23rd!** Please turn in any Box Tops you have that expire before March 2019 so that Highland Drive can get credit.

The prizes for October are a continuation from September. **The top contributing classroom for September and October will receive a special candy snack and an extra recess.** Students will receive a raffle ticket for every 25 Box Tops submitted in September and October to win a fun Halloween prize. The student bringing in the most Box Tops for October will bring home a trophy.

**The September submissions so far have Ms. Niedermeyer's class in the lead with Ms. Boczulak's and Ms. Adam's classes rounding out the top three.** It's a close competition so anything can happen in October!

Thank you for your support of the Box Tops program and Highland Drive!

**Click here to participate:** <https://tinyurl.com/y76jx2vq>

## 3rd Grade T-shirts

Order forms were sent home last week with your 3rd grade child. **Please return them to school by this Wednesday, October 24th or sooner.** If you need another copy of the order form, click here:

[T-Shirt Order Form](#)

## Cuyahoga Valley Career Center Survey

### Cuyahoga Valley Career Center

Cuyahoga Valley Career Center is currently **conducting research to encourage our students to find their career clues** - their interests, abilities and values - and providing a career-related experience for our students. **Please fill out this survey and/or share it with others who may be interested.** Thank you for your support!

**Click here to participate:** <https://tinyurl.com/y76jx2vq>

## Creative Writing Corner

**October Creative Writing Corner-** We have two prompts this month. Choose one of the prompts listed below

**Prompt 1- Create a list of safety rules for Trick-or-Treating.**

**Prompt 2- Write a recipe for a magic potion. Next, explain what the potion would do if someone drank it.**

When the submissions are returned, students will receive a prize to take home.

For younger students, few words or a picture is encouraged. Older students may want to write a paragraph or two.

**Please indicate name, grade, and teacher on the submission and turn it to your child's teacher.**

**Due October 31st.**

## Highland Cafeteria Parent Volunteers are Needed

Please consider volunteering your lunch time in the Highland cafeteria and in Highland Island during lunch recess.

We are looking for people to help the kids in the cafeteria in order to ensure a fun and orderly lunchtime. We also need volunteers to help the kids behave when around the ducks at lunch recess. Siblings are welcome to join. Thank you!

**Lunch time is 11:40-12:40**  
**Recess time is 12:00-1:00**

*If you have any questions please contact Kris Sutton:  
jon\_and\_kris@yahoo.com  
440.241.9551*

To Sign up for October:  
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## Heinens and Giant Eagle Rewards Programs

**Here is an easy way you can help out our school**

**without spending any extra money.**

Please take a minute and select Highland Elementary for both the Giant Eagle and Heinen's Education Rewards programs. **Every time you shop these stores give money back to our school.** Encourage others (grandparents, neighbors) to also designate Highland as their school.

**Heinens requires that you re-enroll every school year.**

**For Giant Eagle-** call 1-800-474-4777 or register online at

<https://www.gianteagle.com/about-us/in-your-community/education>

**Heinens-** enroll at customer service in the store or online at <http://www.heinensrewards.com/>

**Sincerely,**

**Highland Drive PSO**



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