Cougar Ridge PTSA Upcoming Events

Monday, August 30th 10-10:30AM (Grades K,2,4) **11-11:30AM** (Grades 1,3,5) Meet the Teacher – This year, only students will be allowed to visit their current teacher's classroom. We look forward to meeting you!

Monday, August 30th 5:30PM - Kindergarten Curriculum Night. This year, only one parent per student will be allowed in the classroom.

Tuesday, August 31st 9:15AM - First Day of School (Grades 1-5)

Wednesday, September 1st 5:30PM - Kindergarten Playground Night for incoming 2021-22 Kindergarteners at Cougar Ridge. Come meet and play with your future classmates at the Cougar Ridge playground!

Friday, September 3rd 9:15AM - First Day of School (Kindergarten)

Friday, September 3rd 9:15-10AM – New Parent Get-Together. Join us outside for our Tissues and Tears Get Together after sending your kindergartener off on their first day of school! This is a great opportunity to meet other parents and PTSA members, discuss the new milestone of your child starting school, and answer any questions you might have. This year, we will meet **outside on the driveway at 16511 SE 46th St**. Just turn left when you leave the school parking lot and walk half a block down the street.

Monday, September 6th - NO SCHOOL - Labor Day

Wednesday, September 8th – School Pictures

Tuesday, September 14th 6PM– Curriculum Night Grades 3,4,5. Only one parent per student will be allowed in the classroom.

Wednesday, September 22nd 6PM – Curriculum Night Grades 1 & 2. Only one parent per student will be allowed in the classroom.

Volunteer Opportunities

Room Parent Volunteers: Looking for a way to get more involved with your child's class? Room parents help your teacher plan classroom parties and act as a liaison between the PTSA and your class. Please talk directly to your teacher if you are interested in filling this role for your child's class. Feel free reach out to Jana Horton with any questions.

Volunteer Application Process – All volunteers in Issaquah Schools are required to complete the annual Volunteer Application for 2021-22 school year. This year we will be phasing in our volunteers by starting with those that support academic and social emotional programming first. Click <u>here</u> to complete a new application or complete an existing application if you have volunteered in ISD before. You must show proof of COVID Vaccination to submit your application.

Other News

Please purchase your 2021-2022 Cougar Ridge PTSA membership by clicking <u>here</u>. Let's strive for 100% participation this year! Thank you for your support.

Interested in working at school? Issaquah School District is in great need of paraprofessionals to work across the school district, including Cougar Ridge Elementary. If you are interested in a regular, contracted paraprofessional position and meet the educational requirements (Associates degree OR 2 years study equivalent

OR Educational Testing Service ParaPro Assessment), we encourage you to apply for any of the open positions you are interested in <u>here</u>. It is a great way to get involved with the community and be on the same schedule as your child!

Cougar Ridge Spiritwear ordering begins this week! Show your Bobcat pride by purchasing our brand new, awesome spiritwear <u>here</u>. Orders must be placed by September 20th.

Please visit our homepage for more information on these and other events.

For questions or to submit to the Bobcat Blast, please contact Leslie Kwor.

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