

October 2021



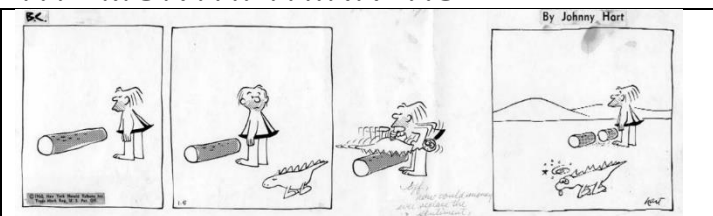
Herbert A. Ammons Middle School IB MYP

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	MDCPS United Way Campaign PTSA Boo Grams Pre-Order 10/04-10/15 -During lunch waves Yearbook Pre-Sales through OSP \$25 – 10/4 to 10/29 Class Fee Collection Dates: 10/04 to 10/29. Pay through OSP National Breast Cancer Awareness Month - Wear Pink Day, 10/13 2021 Red Ribbon Campaign - 10/25 to 10/29				1 Odd Hispanic Heritage Typical Attire Contest -Team/Club T-shirt Day -High School Magnet Application Begins -Curriculum Council	2
3	4 Even Hello Week "Hey"Day/Nametags -Tutoring 8:35am -Drama Club Cafeteria 4-5:15pm Starts today: PTSA Boo Grams Pre-Order Lunch waves	5 Odd Hello Week "Hey"Day/Nametags -YANA Club Media Center 4-5pm -X-Country Practice 4:15-5:15 /Eureka Villas Park -Cheer Prac/4-5:30 Spill out -EESAC 5:30pm Media Ctr.	6 Even Hello Week "Team-up against isolation" WEAR TEAM JERSEY -PTSA Donut Sale \$1 -Origami Club / Cafe 4-5pm - French Club / 1232 4-5pm -X-Country Practice 4:15-5:15 Eureka Villas Pk -Cheer Prac 4-5:30 Spill out -CP /Gifted Dept. Mtg.	7 Odd Hello Week Make Miami Green Wear Green -Science Fair Club Rm 1219 8:35am -Scribble Club /1215 4-5 pm -X-Country Practice 4:15-5:15 /Eureka Villas Park -Cheer Prac/4-5:30 Spill out	8 Even Hello Week "Ammons Mingles" Cafeteria Spirit Day \$1 United Way No uniform. Follow dress code. -Dept. Meetings	9
Community Service- "We Care Chemo Kits" 10/01- 10/15						
10	11 Odd -Tutoring 8:35am -Drama Club Cafeteria 4-5:15pm -X-Country Practice 4:15-5:15 Eureka Villas Park	12 Even PTSA General Meeting & IB Portfolio Training 5pm Cafeteria -Cheer Prac/4-5:30 Spill out -Faculty Meeting	13 Odd Breast Cancer Awareness WEAR PINK -Robotics Club / 1143 4-5pm -Art Club / Rm 1118 4-5pm -X-Country Practice 4:15-5:15 /Eureka Villas Pk -Cheer Prac/4-5:30 Spill out -CP Planning	14 Even -Science Fair Club Rm 1219 8:35am -Book Club/Rm 1201 4-5pm -X-Country Practice 4:15-5:15/Eureka Villas Pk -Cheer Prac/4-5:30 Spill out	15 Odd -Team/Club T-shirt Day -Team Meetings	16
17	18 Even -Tutoring 8:35am -Drama Club Cafeteria 4-5:15pm	19 Odd -Spanish Club Zoom 5pm -NJHS Meeting Zoom 5pm - YANA Club Media Center 4-5pm -Cheer Prac/4-5:30 Spill out -X-Country Practice 4:15-5:15 /Eureka Villas Pk	20 Even PTSA Popcorn & Candy Sale \$1 -Origami Club / Cafe 4-5pm - French Club / 1232 4-5pm -X-Country Practice 4:15-5:15 /Eureka Villas Pk -Cheer Prac/4-5:30 Spill out -CP Planning -Reading Dept. Mtg.	21 Odd -Science Fair Club Rm 1219 8:35am -Exhaling Eagles /1104 4-5pm -Future Educators of America Rm 1223 4-5pm -Cheer Prac/4-5:30 Spill out	22 Even Spirit Day \$1 No uniform. Follow dress code. -X-Country Meet JR Orange Bowl 8:00-1pm -Dept. Meetings	23
Scholastic Online Book Fair 10/18-10/29						
24	25 Odd Red Ribbon Poster Contest through Research Class -Tutoring 8:35am -Drama Club Cafeteria 4-5:15pm -X-Country Practice 4:15-5:15/Eureka Villas Park	26 Even Red Ribbon Drama Skits "Cap Out Drugs" Wear your favorite cap/hat -X-Country Practice 4:15-5:15 Eureka Villas Park -Cheer Prac/4-5:30 Spill out -Faculty Meeting	27 Odd Red Ribbon WEAR RED -Robotics Club 1143 4-5pm -Art Club / Rm 1118 4-5pm -X-Country Meet Sam Butlery Invitational 8:30-1:00pm -Cheer Prac/4-5:30 Spill out -CP Planning -UTD Meeting	28 Even Red Ribbon "Costume Day" \$1 Proceeds - United Way -Boo-gram deliveries during 8th period -Science Fair Club Rm 1219 8:35am -Book Club / Rm 1201 4-5pm -Cheer Prac/4-5:30 Spill out -End first grading period -TEACHERS: DPGT DUE	29 Teacher Planning Day No Opt Day IB Subject Overview (Vertical Planner) Due 10/31 No students in school	30
/31	Last week for Class Fee Collection. Pay through OSP.					

IB LEARNER PROFILE OF THE MONTH: THINKERS

*IB Learners strive to be **THINKERS***

- We use critical and creative thinking skills to analyze and take responsible action on complex problems.
- We exercise initiative in making reasoned, ethical decisions.



October's VALUES MATTER Characteristic: RESPONSIBILITY

PTSA October Activities

PTSA Board Meeting October 6th at 4:30 pm, Media Center. PTSA Bus Driver Drive Thru Breakfast October 13th.

Scholastic Online Book Fair

Our Book Fair is online and helps our students discover new books, favorite characters, and more! Every purchase earns our school rewards for much needed resources. Shipping is free on book-only purchases over \$25. Thank you for instilling a love of reading and supporting our Book Fair! <https://www.scholastic.com/bf/herbertaammonsmiddleschool>

Clubs, Sports, and Activities

We have organized activities for students who meet on a regular basis after school. Students are advised of these opportunities through PA Announcements, their teachers, and posted notices. Please make arrangements to pick up your child if they stay afterschool. As a reminder, we provide supervision for students 30 minutes before school and 30 minutes after school.

Student Drop-off

In the mornings, we are asking that parents drop their children off in the designated drop-off zone that is provided on the inside of the campus. To access to the parent drop-off zone from 157th Ave, head eastbound on 174th St (located on the north side of the school). Parent drop-off access road is the second right that would put you on the road to come around to the drop zone. Children should have all their belongings needed for the school day ready so that they are able to exit the vehicle as safely and quickly as possible. Parents, please do not drop your child off on 157th Ave. That is not a drop-off zone and will result in a traffic citation. Also, parents please do not park on the community grass or drop your child off on 174th St. This is also not a drop off zone, and the community has asked us not to park or utilize that area as a drop-off zone.

Dismissal and After-School Pick-up

We open the gate to release the buses at 3:57 p. m. A staggered dismissal is conducted daily for both, parent pick-up area and bus loading zone to avoid crowding. We are asking that we keep school traffic out of the community and respect their homes and neighborhood. Parents should access 174th street from 157th avenue either direction and turn into the school to enter the parent drop-off and pick-up zone. Once your child is in the car, you exit on 157th Avenue and continue north. Please do not make a U-turn where 157th avenue and 174th street meet. The School Resource Officer is there to assist drivers in safely moving through the intersection.

END OF YEAR FIELD TRIP REQUIREMENTS

Please remember that there is a minimum grade requirement for all end of the year trips. Each student MUST have no lower than a C2B in all classes to remain eligible for this fabulous trip! If your child does not have the minimum grade requirement, then he/she will not be allowed to attend the trip. If he/she currently meets the criteria and at the end of the 3rd 9-weeks his/her grades drop below the required minimum, then he/she will be removed from the trip. In addition, any student receiving an administrative referral, administrative detention, or suspension within 20 days of the activity will not be permitted to participate in the activity. *Currently, all field trips are pending district approval.*

Community Service

'We Care Chemo Kit' Drive from October 1st-15th. Students can create kits by placing at least 5 items on the approved list in a box or big bag. Students will receive 5 hours for participating. Students can drop off the Kits in the Student Service office before school. Please have student name and ID on the box or bag.