



Principal's News September 2018

Hey there,

It's hard to believe that we are already four weeks into the school year. Time is really flying by. For those of you that have not already met me, my name is Jeff Guerin and I am excited to be the principal of T.C. Miller Elementary School. We will be sending out monthly newsletters to keep you informed of our events. I'm looking forward to an exciting school year.

New Staff members at TCM

I would like to take the opportunity to introduce some of our new teachers and staff at T.C. Miller.

- Ms. Blair (Cafeteria Manager)
- Mr. Overgaag (1st Grade Teacher)
- Mrs. Mason (1st Grade Teacher)
- Ms. Leeman (Special Education Teacher)
- Ms. Lawhorn (Special Education IA)
- Ms. Garrett (21st Century Coordinator)
- Ms. Huffman (Title I IA)
- Ms. Phillips (Interim Nurse)

Interims

Interim reports will be coming out on September 12th.

Watch D.O.G.S.

As part of our community engagement initiative we have opted to utilize the Watch D.O.G.S. program. D.O.G.S. stands for Dads Of Great Students. It is our goal to encourage the dads, uncles, grandfathers and other male role models to volunteer at TCM for one day. We will be having our kick off for this program on September 13th, 2018. Look for more information in your student's Monday folder.

Twitter

Follow us on Twitter using: #TCMSOARS. You can also check out the other happenings within Lynchburg City Schools using: #reinvestLCS.

PTO

Please consider being a part of our PTO. The next PTO meeting is scheduled for Thursday, September 6th at 6:30. We will be meeting at the school, in the library. If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to our PTO President Nannette Boswell.

Fundraiser with Believe Kids begins September 28th (runs for 2 weeks ending on October 15th)

Looking ahead:

October 2nd Jersey Mike's Night Old Forest Road location

PTO meeting October 4th at 6:30

Trunk or Treat October 27th from 2-4 (TCM parking lot)

September Events

September 6th – PTO Meeting

September 13th – WATCH D.O.G.S. kick off night – 5:30 pm

September 20th – Back to school night – 6:00 pm

September 27th – Terrific Kids Celebration – 2:45 pm

Counselor's Corner

Throughout the month of September, the T.C. Miller Eagles are focusing on respectful choices. Respect is thinking and acting in a positive way about yourself or others. Respect is thinking and acting in a way that shows others that you care about their feelings and their well-being. Please encourage your child to demonstrate respect in the following ways: (RESPECT)

Recognize that everyone is different

Empathy to listen and connect

Self-Monitor

Personal Space

Earn trust through your actions

Cheer on others and their success

Treat everyone as an equal

We will be recognizing respectful students in our monthly Terrific Kid Celebration on September 27th at 2:45. We are looking forward to soaring through September respectfully!

Thanks,

Jeff Guerin

