



# Bowman Academy

*Enriched Childhood Education In Carrollwood*

## Bowman Academy Newsletter – October 2018

### School News

#### Kandid Kids Photos

Kandid Kids Photography will take black and white photos of our students on October 3-5. These are candid photos of the students taken on the Bowman playground. Kandid Kids also is available for family photos on Friday, October 5 from 9:00-11:00am, on a first-come, first-served basis. All pictures, both the candid and family photos, will be displayed in the front office at a later date for purchase, if you choose.

#### Fire Prevention Month

October is Fire Prevention month. Our teachers will read books and discuss how to stay safe in the event there is a fire.

### Fall Festival Information

#### Fall Festival Event

Please join us for Fall Festival, our biggest annual event, on Saturday, November 3 from 11am-2pm on the Bowman playground! Enjoy a costume parade, music, food, game booths, and a bake sale at this carnival-style event. Fabulous class theme baskets will be raffled. Bring the family! More detailed information to come!

#### Fall Festival Baskets

As part of our annual Fall Festival, we will once again have the wonderful Theme Basket Raffle! Each Bowman class is involved in making these baskets, and the proceeds go toward all of the classrooms. The themes include: Mrs. Bobbie – A Whole

This is a great time to review home fire safety procedures with your family. We look forward to a visit from the fire truck in November, as firefighters discuss fire safety with our students, and give them a tour of the truck. More information to follow!



#### Box Tops

Bowman is once again doing a fantastic job of collecting Box Tops for our school. Thank you to Laura Ackerman-McNeil and Melissa Flynn for heading up our campaign. Remember each Box Top clipped is equivalent to 10 cents for our school!

Lotta Shopping; Ms. Jackie – Family Fun; Ms. Mary – All Around Tampa; Ms. Susan – Pamper Mom; Ms. Emily - Wine and Dine; Mrs. Kidder – Ticket to Play; Mrs. Lively – All Sport. These baskets can be previewed in the office Monday, October 29. Tickets go on sale that day!

#### Fall Festival Planning

In preparation for our Fall Festival, members of the Parents' Club will be meeting at 5pm on Friday, October 12 for a pre-planning meeting. All parents are welcome to help out if interested. Come dressed to work as we will inventory materials, clean booth items, and assess overall needs. We will not be able to offer childcare, so please leave your little one home if possible.

Box Top winners for September were: Chance Drawing – Grace (Ms. Mary) & Most Collected – Nixon (Ms. Emily).

#### Current Standings:

Bobbie – 674	Lively - 260
Kidder – 330	Emily - 186
Jackie – 285	Susan – 169
	Mary - 127

### Progress Reports

Individual student progress reports will be distributed on October 4 and 5. Please make sure to sign up for a Parent/Teacher Conference using the Sign-up Genius link emailed by Ms. Kim. If an alternate date is needed, please contact the office.

### Calendar

10/3-10/5 Kandid Kids Photography

10/3 Spirit Event at Hank's BBQ (Lunch and Dinner)

10/8-10/12 Parent/Teacher Conferences

10/12 Parents' Club Fall Festival Planning Meeting 5pm

10/29-10/31 Class Parties

10/29 Class Baskets Displayed (All Week)

11/3 Fall Festival 11am-2pm

