

Hancock Elementary School

"Rooted in Community, Reaching for the Stars"

Good Afternoon Families!

These last couple of weeks have been so much fun! The students had a fantastic time during our Halloween celebration. Pumpkins were decorated, masks were made, pumpkin seeds were counted, and there was even a snowy book walk through the woods.

We had a wonderful time celebrating learning at our assembly on Monday. The kindergarten students sang and signed songs such as "You're a grand ol flag" and "seven days of the week." It was such fun to see how confident they were with their signing. We also celebrated October birthdays. Our assemblies are currently zoom meetings. In the future, I will share the link so that our families can join us. Our next **assembly** is on **Friday, November 13th at 11:30** and will feature the first graders.

A number of families have asked about **picture retake day**. We have scheduled it for **Thursday, November 12th**. Please be sure to email Ms. Carter at lcarter@conval.edu if you would like your student to have their picture retaken. We will work to ensure that the sun is not shining directly into the children's eyes!!!!

Be on the lookout for an email with information and a link to our Hancock Elementary School online apparel shop, where you can get all your Husky gear from t-shirts to sweatshirts, and even fleece vests. The shop will be open for a limited time, beginning on November 13th through November 29th, so don't miss out.

As we get into the colder months ahead, please refer to the attached Parent Guide regarding illnesses, and the proper procedure for sending your child to school. If you have any questions, please reach out to our school nurse, Mrs. Sherwin at dsherwin@conval.edu, or feel free to call the school (603)525-3303.

Our next PTO meeting will be **Wednesday, November 18th at 6:00 PM**. Please note the time change based on the survey results.

Have a wonderful Sunday.

Amy