

Good Evening Panthers,

This is Principal Athanson with your weekly update. We had a fabulous first week. Thank you to everyone with your patience with our dismissal process. It is always hectic the first few days. Please remember that students are not permitted to be dropped off on Tampa road and are not permitted to cross 19th street at the school exit. There are two locations that are monitored with crossing guards to safely assist students crossing this road. For our car circle please pull as far forward as possible to expedite dismissal.

Computer distribution started on Friday with our 8th grade students and will continue through this week. Please make sure your student comes to school with a filled out digital device form that went home in the first day paperwork. It is also available in our front office, media center and on our website if you need an additional copy.

Parents we will begin enforcing our dress code policy starting Monday. Students may not come to school with tears or rips in their pants or shorts. Biker or spandex shorts are not allowed. All shorts, skirts and dresses must be at the fingertip level and all shoes must have backs; no flip flops or slides are permitted. This is standard policy and is outlined in the student code of conduct.

Our PTA is holding our first fundraiser – Nifty Fifty. For \$10 you can purchase a Papa John's card that will get you 50% off of all online purchases of their regular menu priced items. This is valid for 18 purchases. We will begin collecting next Friday.

Volleyball season is here & tryouts will begin on 8/23. We will send out more information on dates and times. Please note that in order to tryout students must have a completed physical, participation form and school insurance. You can access this information on our school website.

Thank you for your cooperation and support. Have a wonderful weekend.