



Mantua Elementary School PTA

Back-to-School Issue for 2011-12

Dear Mantua ES Parents,

It's almost time for school to begin--can you believe it?! The Mantua ES PTA sends out a warm welcome to our new families and a welcome-back to our returning ones!

Here are some upcoming calendar items and important notes:

Help Still Needed for Open House Folder Stuffing!

Join us on **Wednesday 8/31 at 4pm in the school cafeteria**. It's a great way to socialize while preparing the student Open House Folders.

Open House at Mantua ES - Thursday 9/1:

Gym doors open at 1:30pm to find out your child's teacher, sign up for PTA membership, and find out more about the great activities and events this year. Classrooms are open from 2-3pm.

2011-12 NEW School Hours:

Mondays: 9:05 a.m. - 1:15 p.m. *(Please note this corrected time. Recent letters from the school show an incorrect bus itinerary time starting at 1:45pm)*

Tuesdays - Fridays: 9:05 a.m. - 3:45 p.m.

Upcoming Dates:

2011-2012 PTA + FCPS Calendar-at-a-Glance: [HERE](#)

Wed 8/31, 4pm: Open House Folder "stuffing party" (cafeteria)

Thu 9/1, 1:30-3pm: Open House (gym)

Tue 9/6, 9:05am: First Day of School - Click [HERE](#) for Kiss & Ride info

Tue 9/6, 5:30pm: Ice Cream Social (playground)- pizza will be available! *(Helpers needed!!!*

Email [Abra Allsman](#) to volunteer!)

Fri 9/9, 8-9am: Parent-hosted Staff "Welcome Back" Breakfast

(Food needed!!! Email [Deanna Firth Freemyer](#) to volunteer!)

Tue 9/13, 9:15am: Volunteer Info Meeting (cafeteria)

Tue 9/14, 7pm: Volunteer Info Meeting (library) - [RSVP](#) needed for this session!

Wed 9/14, 7:30pm: PTA Meeting (library)

Thu 9/15, 6:30pm: Back-to-School for K-3rd grades (gym)

Thu 9/22, 6:30pm: Back-to-School for 4-6th grades (gym)

The Following Clubs/Activities Needs Your Help!

Alert News Paper Distribution, Online Auction, Chess Club, 6th Grade Party Coordinator.

Please email [Teresa LeMair](mailto:TeresaLeMair) for more information or to volunteer.

Mantua Parent Handbook [HERE](#).

School Supply Lists by Grade [HERE](#).

Stay informed all year long by visiting the PTA website:

www.MantuaPTA.org

Thank you,
The Mantua Elementary School PTA

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