



Message from the PTO

Parent Express



October 18, 2015

What a fun week at Cottonwood Creek! From World Bread Day to RUN4FUND\$ prize day to restaurant spirit night to several social events, there was something for everyone to enjoy! As Fall Break approaches, please take note of the Calendar of Events below. When we return, there will be several important events taking place at Cottonwood and throughout our community.

THANK YOU!

- A big THANK YOU goes out to Jennie Preece and Susan Mui, Cultural Connections Committee Chairs, for a successful World Bread Day, and to all of the parents who donated delicious bread samples for the children to taste.
- THANK YOU to Melody Cheung for organizing our first of many Restaurant Spirit Nights. It was a big success at Chick-Fil-A!
- Another THANK YOU goes out to all of the volunteers who helped make RUN4FUND\$ prize day a HUGE success!
- Last, a big THANK YOU to all of the hostesses who threw our Bike Pub Crawl, Kindie Halloween Party, and Mom's Night Out last week.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT COTTONWOOD...

World Bread Day - Thank you!

On behalf of Cultural Connections and our first ever World Bread Day celebration, we want to say THANK YOU for helping us "rise" to the occasion. It was a beautiful and tasty moment to connect our families through something most of us share in common: bread. We were overwhelmed by the amount of bread brought in by so many families. From challah to naan to pumpkin bread to gluten-free blueberry muffins, the kids were sampling a global feast! They loved it! And apparently, according to our survey, banana bread is the favorite. 2nd grade families, you brought so much bread that we couldn't even fit it all on the tables! In fact, the surplus of bread was donated not only to the teachers and staff at Cottonwood, but 2-3 bags full of bread were sent to the Volunteers of America Family Shelter. So thank you for feeding our kids and feeding the community on World Bread Day!

Lost and Found

Did you know you can browse lost and found items online? Check out what might be missing from your house at <http://cottonwoodcreekepto.com/lost-found/>



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Community
Service
Ideas
for
Students

Treats for Troops

Drop off leftover Halloween candy for donation to The National Guard of Colorado from Monday, Nov. 2nd - Friday, Nov. 6th. Look for bins before/after school by the drop off circle, as well as the Kindergarten and 2nd-5th grade playgrounds.

[Treats for Troops Flyer](#)

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Upcoming Events

- 10/19-23: National Red Ribbon Week
- 10/20: Cherry Creek 2021 Meeting, 7-9pm Cherokee Trail High
- 10/22: First Grade Program, 2:30pm and 6:30pm
- 10/26-30: Fall Break
- 11/3: School Board Election
- 11/3: PIN Meeting, 9:15-11:15am, SARC
- 11/4: District Accountability Meeting, 6-8pm, ISF
- 11/6: Crazy Alien Hair Day
- 11/9-13: Scholastic Book Fair, Hours Vary, Library
- 11/12-19: Online Auction

Kathleen McCrohan & Stephanie Peacock

Cottonwood Creek PTO Co-Presidents