



MESA MATTERS

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November 7, 2016



Upcoming Events

See attached flyers and the Announcements section for details

Oct 31- Nov 14	MEF Holiday Wreath Sale	
Mon Nov 7	Mesa Football vs PVSEA 3:30pm, at Mesa	
Tue Nov 8	Coffee with the Superintendent/Principal PFO Hospitality - Free Noah's Bagels 8:25am, Cafeteria	
Tue Nov 8	Girls Volleyball Playoff Game Time TBD, at UPCS on Temple	
Thu Nov 10	Girls Volleyball Championship Game Time TBD, at UPCS on Temple	
Fri Nov 11	Veterans Day Holiday No School	
Tue Nov 15	School Board Meeting 6:30pm, MPR	
Nov 21- Nov 25	Thanksgiving Week Holiday - No School	
Wed Nov 30	Staff Professional Development Day 12:30pm Dismissal ALL Students	
Wed Nov 30	Restaurant Night - TBD Time TBD, Oxnard	
Wed Dec 7	PFO General Meeting 2:05pm, Library	
Fri Dec 9	Student of the Month Assembly PFO Hospitality - Free Krispy Kreme/Coffee 8:45am, Grades TK-2 9:15am, Grades 3-5	
Fri Dec 16	Start of Winter Break 12:30pm Dismissal - ALL Students	
Dec 19- Dec 30	Winter Break - No School	
Mon Jan 2	New Year's Day Holiday - No School	
Tue Jan 3	School Back in Session	

Principal's Message

Dear Mesa Families, Happy November!

We started last week with Halloween Day and the kindergarten Halloween Parade. The kids were adorable in their costumes! Thanks to so many kindergarten parents that came out to support their little ones on Monday morning.

On Tuesday, November 8th, we will be hosting public voting on campus for our neighborhood folks. They'll be voting in the girls changing room near the field. Thank for your patience in advance for any extra traffic or cars that may result from voting. I will be sure to do extra supervision outside that day to make sure folks get to the polling place and don't wander into the school.

I also wanted to remind you to please support MEF's Holiday Wreath Sale that is going on now through November 14th. These are beautiful and fresh wreaths delivered straightaway to us at school or anyone you choose...I am going to order a couple of wreaths for my house. There is a sample hanging in the office; check it out.

Please be reminded that if you won your bid on a silent auction at our PFO Carnival and you have not picked up/paid for your item, to please stop by the front office at your earliest opportunity. Thank you.

Don't forget that the weekend ushered in standard time and we "fell back" in time and enjoyed a 25 hour day!

Announcements



◆ Coffee with the Superintendent/Principal - Tues Nov 8 at 8:25am

Join Superintendent Turner and Principal Bluestein this Tuesday for coffee and Noah's Bagels sponsored by PFO. Find out what is happening and provide your feedback.



◆ Mesa Girls Jr Hi Volleyball Playoffs

Congratulations Mesa Girls Volleyball for making the Camarillo Independent Sports League playoffs. The team will be play this Tuesday and may move on to the Championship game Thursday.

◆ Veterans Day Holiday - Fri Nov 11 - No School



Friday, November 11th is Veterans' Day and our school and programs will be closed in honor of those people that have served in the United States

Armed Forces. If you are a veteran or have a veteran in your family, please accept our thanks for those men and women who stand up and protect and preserve our way of life.

◆ Mesa PFO Directory Correction

PFO annual jogathon or "Fun Run" is scheduled for March 10, 2017.

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Próximos Eventos

Ver volantes adjuntos y la sección de avisos para los detalles

Oct 31- Nov 14	MEF Holiday Wreath Sale	
Lun Nov 7	Mesa Football vs PVSEA 3:30pm, at Mesa	
Mar Nov 8	Café con el Superintendente/Principal Hospitalidad de PFO - Libres Noah's Bagels 8:25am, Cafetería	
Mar Nov 8	Girls Volleyball Playoff Game Tiempo TBD, en UPCS	
Jue Nov 10	Girls Volleyball Championship Game Tiempo TBD, en UPCS	
Vie Nov 11	Día de los Veteranos No hay clases	
Mar Nov 15	Reunión del Consejo Escolar 6:30pm, MPR	
Nov 21- Nov 25	Semana de Acción de Gracias No hay clases	
Mie Nov 30	Desarrollo de Maestros 12:30pm Despido - Todos los estudiantes	
Mie Nov 30	Noche de Restaurante - TBD TBD, Oxnard	
Mie Dec 7	Reunion del PFO 2:05pm, Library	
Vie Dec 9	Asamblea de Premios PFO Hospitalidad - donas/cafe gratis 8:45am, Grados TK-2 9:15am, Grados 3-5	
Vie Dec 16	Comienzo del invierno 12:30pm Despido - Todos los estudiantes	
Dec 19- Dec 30	Vacaciones de invierno	
Lun Jan 2	New Year's Day Holiday - No School	
Mar Jan 3	Escuela de regreso en sesion	

Mensaje del Director

Queridas familias de Mesa, ¡Feliz Noviembre!

Comenzamos la semana pasada con el Día de Halloween y el desfile de Halloween del jardín de infantes. Los niños eran adorables en sus trajes! Gracias a tantos padres de jardín de infantes que salieron a apoyar a sus pequeños el lunes por la mañana.

El martes, 8 de noviembre, estaremos recibiendo una votación pública en el campus para nuestros vecinos. Estarán votando en el vestuario de las chicas cerca del campo. Agradezca su paciencia por adelantado para cualquier tráfico extra o los coches que pueden resultar de la votación. Voy a estar seguro de hacer supervisión adicional fuera de ese día para asegurarse de que la gente llegar al lugar de votación y no pasear en la escuela.

También quería recordarles que por favor apoyen la venta de coronas de vacaciones de MEF que se está llevando a cabo ahora, aunque el 14 de noviembre. Éstas son coronas hermosas y frescas entregadas inmediatamente a nosotros en la escuela o cualquier persona que usted elige ... Voy a pedir un par de guirnaldas para mi casa. Hay una muestra colgando en la oficina; Echale un vistazo.

Le recordamos que si usted ganó su oferta en una subasta silenciosa en nuestro Carnaval de PFO y no ha recogido / pagado por su artículo, por favor pase por la oficina en su primera oportunidad. Gracias.

No te olvides que el fin de semana inaugurado en el tiempo estándar y nos "cayó" en el tiempo y disfrutamos de un día de 25 horas!



Noticias

◆ Café con el Superintendente/Principal - Nov 8 a las 8:25 am

Hoy se inicia la venta de la guirnalda de nuestra Fundación para la Educación Mesa. Os animo a considerar la compra de algunas de estas coronas hermosas y frescas de vacaciones que se envían a nosotros de Minnesota.

◆ Mesa Girls Jr Hi Voleibol Playoffs

Felicidades Mesa Girls Voleibol por hacer los playoffs independientes de Camarillo Sports League. El equipo jugará este martes y podrá pasar al juego del campeonato el jueves.

◆ Día de los Veteranos Holiday - Fri Nov 11 - No hay escuela

El viernes 11 de noviembre es el Día de los Veteranos y nuestra escuela y programas serán cerrados en honor a las personas que han servido en las Fuerzas Armadas de los Estados Unidos. Si usted es un veterano o tiene un veterano en su familia, por favor acepte nuestro agradecimiento por aquellos hombres y mujeres que se levantan y protegen y preservan nuestro modo de vida.

◆ Corrección del directorio

PFO anual jogathon o "Fun Run" está programado para el 10 de marzo de 2017.



Dear Mesa Families and Friends,

Amazingly, Carnival 2016 has come and gone. This year's carnival was built from the ground up and made possible by a hard-working and dedicated group of volunteer parents who came together to make it happen. We started with practically nothing when school started in August. In just 2 short months, these parents were able to pull the event together. We are so incredibly thankful and blessed they jumped in to help.

In addition to the volunteer parents who became the planning committee, there were countless parents who stepped up to volunteer the day of carnival. Parents who helped setup, who cooked food, served food, worked one booth the entire night, or jumped in wherever they saw a need. There were countless parents who donated their services, equipment, time, and talent, all in the name of giving back to our Mesa community.

Thank you to those brave Mesa staff members who sat under our "Soak-n-Wet" booth, especially in the cold. Also thank you to all those families that sent in basket donations, baked and brought in cakes for the cake walk, volunteered in your class booths, sold and bought raffle tickets, and supported this big fundraiser by attending with your Mesa community. It truly does take a village and we are so grateful for our Mesa families.

We realize the carnival was not perfect and there is always room for improvement. We would love to have you help make things better for next year! We already received some great feedback at our carnival wrap-up meeting last Friday and have some new ideas to implement next year. Please email info@mesaschool.org and let us know how you can help make Carnival 2017 a great one!

Again, thank you all for your patience and support. We look forward to hearing from you!

Dana & Peter Lan

Mesa Union PFO, Presidents



CONGRATULATIONS

CARNIVAL RAFFLE WINNERS!

Prizes are being held in the school office for pick-up

If you know any of the winners listed below, please let them know they've won!

If prizes are not claimed within 30 days, items will be donated back to PFO for future events.

Thank you all for your support!



Settebello Gift Card for free pizza – Monique Garcia



\$15 Starbucks Gift Card – Gabe Santiago



\$15 Blenders in the Grass Gift Card – Dr. Neumeister



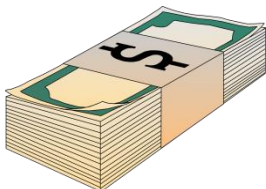
\$15 iTunes Gift Card – Lidia Ibarra



\$25 Amazon Gift Card – Noemy Banos



Acer Notebook Computer – Gerly Toreja



GRAND PRIZE CASH WINNER

Maria Ordaz

RED RIBBON WEEK

WRAPUP



Thank you Mesa Students, Teachers and Parents for all your support and participation this past week. Together we pledged to say no to drugs and thought of different ways to be and stay healthy. Red Ribbon Week was a success because of all of you!

TK-K Coloring Contest

These students did an awesome job coloring. Congratulations to **Olivia N.**

from Ms. Steele's class! She will receive lunch with Dr. Bluestein (date TBD).



1st-5th Grade

The Red Ribbon Week essays have been collected and are still being reviewed. A winner from 1, 2-3 & 4-5 grades will be chosen and announced soon. Winners will receive lunch with Dr. Bluestein (date TBD).

Jr. High

The Jr. High students did an amazing job decorating their homeroom doors. All the doors had unique, creative and original ideas! It was hard to choose a winner but....

Ms. McKenna, room 20

Ms. McKenna students will receive ice cream sandwiches.

Remember, you only have one life to live

#YOLO

Make it a healthy one!

A **BIG** thank you to Elementary & Jr. High Student Councils, Mrs. Kuklenski and Ms. Wiley for all their help!

Red Ribbon Week bracelets, pencils and activities sponsored by PFO



The MEF Holiday Wreath Sale is happening NOW!

Order wreaths to be delivered to school or
send them as gifts to family, friends and
business associates!

Last day to order is Monday,
November, 14th.

Questions? Contact Gail Rosenmund at
rosenmund@earthlink.net





Congratulations to our Top 3 Box Tops and/or Labels for Education collectors for the Month of October 2016!

**Gloria Samaniego
Vanessa Tovas
Terilyn Huang**

Congratulations to our Monthly Raffle Winner for the Month of October 2016!

Aiza Jolene Ronquillo



THANK YOU to all students that have submitted Box Tops!

It's not over yet! We still have a goal of \$3,000 for the school year and will continue to have monthly raffle winners so please continue to collect and submit your Box Tops and Labels for Education!! Check those expiration dates, Tigers!

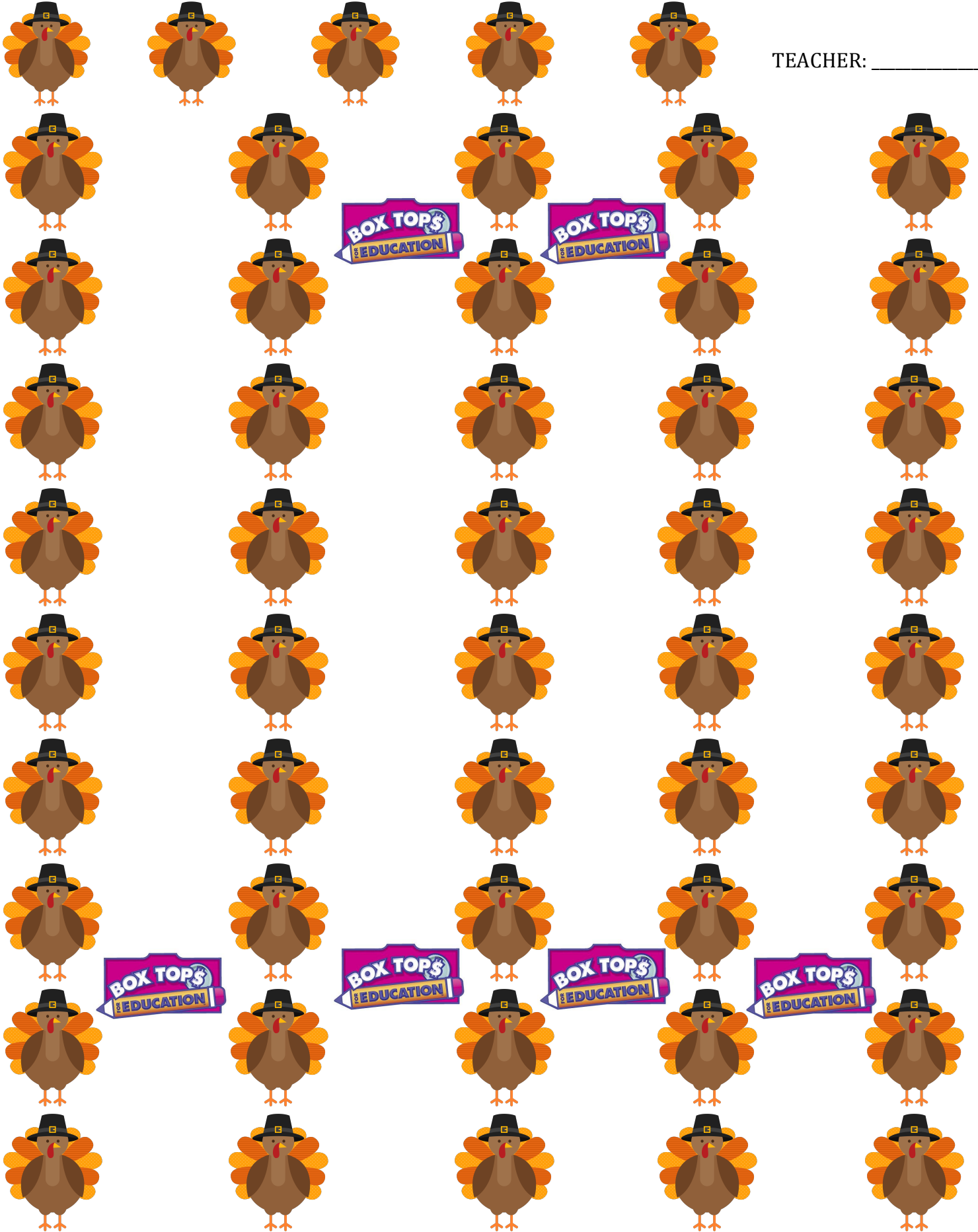




CLIP YOUR BOX TOPS AND COVER 5, 10, 15, OR EVEN ALL 50 TURKEYS!

NAME: _____

TEACHER: _____





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NOTICE OF VACANCY

November 3, 2016

POSITION: Food Service Worker
SALARY RANGE: \$12.40-\$15.08
TERMS OF CONTRACT: 5 days a week, 6 hours per day

RESPONSIBILITIES: Under the direction of the senior food service worker, assist in quantity preparation and serving of food items; assist in maintaining food service facilities in a clean and sanitary condition.

KNOWLEDGE AND ABILITIES: Basis kitchen utensils and equipment, sanitation practices related to the handling and serving of food, interpersonal skills using tact, patience and courtesy.

EDUCATION AND EXPERINCE Any combination equivalent to: sufficient training and experience to demonstrate the knowledge and abilities listed above.

APPLICATION PROCESS: Must submit classified application. Resume, letter of interest, (3) letters of reference dated within the last 18 months. Applications are available at the school office or submit an application online at www.edjoin.org.

Documents must be submitted to:
Classified, Mesa Union School District,
3901 North Mesa School Road,
Somis, CA 93066

APPLICATIONS CLOSE: November 10, 2016 at 4p.m.

NOTE: It is the responsibility of the applicant to assure that the application is complete and received by the District. Only those candidates whose application files are complete will be considered. Upon selection, proof of American citizenship or right to work legally in the United States will be required

AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY/AFFIRMATIVE ACTION EMPLOYER

November 2016

Mesa Union School

BREAKFAST

Menu subject to substitution when necessary. All meals served with choice of 1% regular or nonfat TruMoo chocolate milk. Breakfast served daily before school and during morning recess. Please let me know if you have questions or concerns. Thank you ☺
Debbie Sussex dsussex@mesaschool.org



Nutrition Tip: Practice stealth health - sneak veggies into favorite foods. Go light on the meat and top your pizza with vegetables like tomatoes, onions, bell peppers, mushrooms, zucchini, and artichoke hearts.



This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday



Sausage Dogs
Fruit
Juice
Milk

Yogurt
Muffins
Fruit
Milk

Pancakes
Cheese Stix
Fruit
Milk

Cereal
Fruit
Juice
Milk

Warm Pretzels
Cheese Stix
Fruit
Milk

Apple Frudel
Fruit
Juice
Milk

Yogurt
Muffins
Fruit
Milk

French Toast
Cheese Stix
Fruit
Milk

Veteran's Day
No School

Breakfast Sandwich
Fruit
Juice
Milk

Oatmeal
Cinnamon Toast
Fruit
Milk

Yogurt
Muffins
Fruit
Milk

Waffle Stix
Cheese Stix
Fruit
Milk

Cereal
Fruit
Juice
Milk

Fall Break
No School

Happy Thanksgiving

Taco Nada
Fruit
Juice
Milk

Sausage Dogs
Fruit
Juice
Milk

Yogurt
Muffins
Fruit
Milk



November 2016

Mesa Union School

LUNCH

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Hotdogs **1**
Homemade Chili
Fruit
Milk
Salad Bar

Orange Chicken **2**
Rice Bowls
Fortune Cookies
Fruit and Veggies
Milk and Salad Bar

Bean and Cheese **3**
Burritos
Spanish Rice
Fruit and Veggies
Milk and Salad Bar

Pizza **4**
Fruit
Salad w/dressing
Jello and Milk
Salad Bar

Spaghetti **7**
Garlic Bread
Fruit and Veggies
Milk
Salad Bar

Grilled Cheese **8**
Sandwich
Homemade Soup
Fruit and Veggies
Milk and Salad Bar

Tostada Bowls **9**
Fruit
Veggies
Milk and Grahams
Salad Bar

Sub Sandwiches **10**
Fruit
Veggies
Milk
Salad Bar

11
Veteran's Day
No School

BBQ Beef **14**
Sandwich
Fruit and Veggies
Milk
Salad Bar

Mac-n-Cheese **15**
Bread Stix
Fruit and Veggies
Milk
Salad Bar

Chicken Rice **16**
Burritos
Fruit and Veggies
Milk and Cookie
Salad Bar

Chicken and Gravy **17**
Mashed Potatoes
Fruit and Veggies
Pumpkin Bars
Milk and Salad Bar

Pizza **18**
Fruit
Salad w/dressing
Jello and Milk
Salad Bar

21
Fall Break
No School

22

23

24
Happy Thanksgiving

25

BBQ Chicken **28**
Sandwich
Fruit and Veggies
Milk
Salad Bar

Orange Chicken **29**
Rice Bowls
Fruit and Veggies
Milk & Fortune cookies
Salad Bar

Grilled Cheese **30**
Sandwich
Homemade Soup
Fruit and Veggies
Milk and Salad Bar

