Dear CHB Families and Caregivers,

This week was so much fun! We launched the week by giving (2) CHB CARES pencils to every student, provided by the PTA. We spent our week focusing on the CARES principles of cooperation and achievement. As I visited classrooms, students pulled me aside to show me the Positive Paw they earned or to try tricking me into telling them my Halloween costume ahead of the big reveal! At the end of the week, it warmed my heart to see all of the families, staff, and students enjoying our outdoor Halloween Parade. I am so thankful we were able to come together for the parade and enjoy pancakes for breakfast at the PTA sponsored Pancake Breakfast on Saturday morning. These are two great experiences that brought smiles to many!

GENERAL INFORMATION

CHB Blast: Please check your email for the “CHB Blast” to stay up to date on information specific to the CHB Community. This is where you will find the Related Arts News, the Counselor’s Corner, the monthly School Calendar, and information about programming for our students and families. We usually send this on the last day of the week.

Governor’s Educator of the Year: Parents, caregivers, and students are encouraged to participate in nominating a classroom teacher or educator services professional to receive recognition as the Governor’s Educator of the Year. Consider making a nomination if you know a classroom teacher or educator services professional who is dedicated, inspiring, and making a difference. If so, please complete the nomination form linked in this week’s CHB Blast 10-29-21. All nomination forms must be completed and emailed to Mrs. Coe (bcoe@montclair.k12.nj.us) by November 10th.

School Action Team: Are you curious and want to know more about the plans for the School Action Team for Partnership? Did you miss the last meeting? Visit our school website to review the agenda and discussion points from our meetings. Be sure to view the list of upcoming meeting dates and mark your calendar to bring someone new to the next meeting.

Thanksgiving Holiday Travel: The district is closed for Thanksgiving Break on November 25th and 26th. For families who have planned to travel, please email your travel plans to your child’s teacher and copy me (bcoe@montclair.k12.nj.us) on the email, no later than November 17th, so that we may set up virtual learning during your child’s need to quarantine. As per Dr. Ponds’ Community Message #6, “this virtual period will be for 10 days if you elect not to test, or 7 days with a negative COVID test.”

SAVE THE DATE:
Monday, November 1st- Pooled Testing
Tuesday, November 2nd- Election Day~ Schools Closed
Wednesday, November 3rd- Antigen Testing
Thursday & Friday, November 4th & 5th- NJEA Convention~ Schools Closed

Warm regards,

Mrs. Coe
Acting Principal