



PANTHER PRIDE

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McClure Elementary

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Greetings from McClure Elementary School! I hope that you had a peaceful and relaxing summer and that you are ready to begin the new school year with the enthusiasm and determination we need to succeed. I wanted to take a moment to update you on some exciting happenings at McClure:

- ✓ McClure will have a full time nurse this year to support our students and families!
- ✓ We are thrilled to begin a new partnership with City Year...who will focus on supporting out 3rd -5th grade students academically, socially, and behaviorally.
- ✓ Our 3rd-5th Graders will participate in a Blended Learning Model this year where they will utilize technology to move through the curriculum at his/her own pace...very exciting!
- ✓ We have secured an Attendance Grant for \$14, 285 to help support student attendance each and every day!
- ✓ A Read by 4th Attendance Ambassador will also support our K-3 students and families to make sure they are in school, on time, and learning to read each and every day!
- ✓ Our Playworks (socialized recess program) will be back for it's 3rd year!
- ✓ PSSA Parent information will be sent home as soon as it becomes available.
- ✓ Principal Marino was selected to participate in the 2nd cohort of the Philadelphia Academy of School Leaders, where she will engage in opportunities to continue to grow and learn as a leader!

Respectfully,
Sharon Marino
Principal

Panther Spotlight:
Check back in
October to find out
who the first student
spotlight will
be...suggestions
welcome!

Please join me in
thanking our Facilities
Team for all of their
hard work preparing
our school for our
students and staff!



Thank you to Mr.
Crawley, Ms.
Frazier, Ms. Cook,
Mr. Quick and Mr.
Parker!

Staff Spotlight: Check back next month to find out who will be in the Staff Spotlight...suggestions welcome!

WELCOME TO THE NEWEST MEMBERS OF THE MCCLURE TEAM...WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

Ms. Virginia McHugh
Ms. Emily Frost
Ms. Grace McHale
Ms. Beth Burke
Ms. Dakota Murrell
Ms. Jennifer Nazario Lopez
Ms. Elizabeth O. Johnson
Ms. Terry Anne Wildman
Ms. Kate Mansfield
Ms. Marcia Sparagna
Ms. Nicole Jackson
Ms. Donna Lipin
Ms. Prerna Srivastava
Mr. Chris Conolly
Ms. Judith Jerkins
Ms. Eva Sanchez
Ms. Debora Lopez
Ms. Terri Ann Lopez
Ms. Amy Fried
City Year

Pre-K/Room 11
Grade K/Room 109
Grade 1/Room 202
Grade 1/Room 210
Grade 2/Room 201
Grade 3/Room 307
Grade 4/Room 301
Grade 4/Room 305
Grade 5/Room 309
Learning Support
Classroom Assistant
Visual Arts
Principal Fellow
Early Literacy Specialist
SSA/SCS
SSA/SCS
Secretary
Nurse
Psychologist

BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT

**JOIN US ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15TH
FROM 5:00-7:00 P.M. FOR OUR BACK TO
SCHOOL NIGHT PROGRAM**

Please take this opportunity to meet the staff,
visit the classrooms, and sign up for one of our
home and school networks. See you there!

**SAVE THE DATE...PICTURE
DAY...MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH!**

