

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Thank you to all of our AES families for supporting our Booster Fundraiser. We met our goal! The Fun Run was so much fun. It was so wonderful to see the students walk, run and dance as they completed their laps to support our school. Thank you to all the AES staff and parents for helping make this happen. Students voted on the principal's challenge and they voted for me to color my hair. Students will vote on the color next week.

It was nice to meet so many families at the AES Curriculum Night! The AES PTO is without a president. If you are interested in volunteering your time please email me and I will forward it to the PTO. The PTO does so many wonderful things for our students and we are looking for someone interested in getting involved.

### **AES News, Reminders, Requests:**

- Arrival: Students should not be dropped off until 8:15. If you are dropping your child off he/she should not exit the car until 8:15. There is no supervision outside until 8:15.
- Dismissal:
  - If you are picking your child up at the walker door please stand at the fence near the playground and wait for your student to walk across to you. Do not stand in the crosswalk or in front of traffic exiting. This is a safety concern.
  - If you are picking your child up in a car please line up in the car pick up line. Parents and children crossing in front of cars and buses to get to the parking lot is very dangerous.

Thank you for following arrival and dismissal procedures. All routines are put into place to ensure student safety.

### **AES Important Dates:**

- September 17 and 18th Grade 2 to Camp Kent Nature Center
- September 18 Mandatory Parent Volunteer Training
  - 9:00 Am in the cafeteria
  - 4:00 PM in the cafeteria
- September 20 Student dismissal at 1:00
- September 24 Museum of Science Traveling Program will visit Grade 1 (correction: last week I had written grade 2) at AES
- September 25 School Picture Day

Have a wonderful weekend! If you have questions, comments or concerns do not hesitate to contact me at [shannon.nolan@amesburyma.org](mailto:shannon.nolan@amesburyma.org).

Sincerely,

*Shannon Nolan*

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