

# ELLA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

## NOVEMBER 2016

### Principal's Message

October was a busy month with many of our classrooms going on their first field trip. Third grade attended the Yuba-Sutter Farm Day located at the fair grounds in Yuba City. The TK/K and second grades attended the pumpkin farm at Lindhurst High School. Extended learning opportunities outside of the classroom are always exciting and we appreciate the Ella teachers, parents, and staff for making it possible.

November is going to be equally busy for the Ella staff and students. November 3rd is picture re-take day. The week of November 14th-18th are minimum days for parent/teacher conferences. Student dismissal will be 1:20 pm for 1st through 6th grades. TK and Kinder have regular dismissal. Please remember to schedule a conference to meet with your child's teacher about their progress in school.

### Reminders:

- Report your child's absence by calling:  
**(530) 741-6124 ext. 4422**
- Visitors sign in at the office to receive a visitor's pass before walking onto campus.
- Your child's school attendance is important. Try to schedule appointments after 2:25 p.m.

### Thanksgiving Break

November 21st–  
November 25th



### **Parent/Teacher Organization (PTO)**

PTO will host Ella's annual Fall Festival on November 2, 2016 from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. This fun event will take place rain or shine! Students are invited to wear their costumes, but they must be appropriate for school and please no clown costumes. We hope you will join us! PTO had to reschedule the "Wheels of Freestyle" assembly for Nov. 15th due to rain. It will be at 9:05 am on the blacktop. In looking ahead to December, PTO will host the Holiday Shop. This is an opportunity for students to shop for their families here on campus. The Holiday Shop will be December 5th– 9th.

### FLU CLINIC

The Flu Clinic will be on the Ella campus on November 2nd, during the Fall Festival. It will be located in the music room from 3:00 pm-5:00 pm. Flu vaccines will be available for those ages 3 and up at no cost. Forms are available in the office or from your child's teacher. You can also fill them out the night of the clinic.

### Upcoming Events:

- 11/2      **Fall Festival & Flu Clinic**
- 11/3      **Picture Re-Take Day**
- 11/9      **PTO Meeting**
- 11/11     **Veteran's Day– no school**
- 11/14-11/18 **Minimum Days– Conferences**
- 11/21-11/25 **Thanksgiving Break**
- 11/30     **PTO Meeting**