

Good Evening Stokesdale Parents,

This is Mrs. Bennett, Principal of Stokesdale Elementary. I hope all of you have had a great weekend! This weekend was a great weekend to get outside! Thanks so much for Summit Church for all their work on Saturday and Sunday with giving Stokesdale Elementary a little TLC. Painting, staining, trimming bushes, etc. were accomplished and the campus looks great!

Please remember all students should be picked up by 2:25 each day. Please remind your students to wear their One Cards every day to school.

Thank you to everyone who donated to the Viking Vault fundraiser! We raised over \$20,000 which will go towards school enrichment, improvements, events, support and more! The PTO is excited to host a popsicle party for students for exceeding our \$15,000 goal!

The October PTO Meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 11th at 6:00 PM in the Stokesdale Media Center. We will be discussing the 2022-2023 budget and hope to see you there.

This is the final week of the Charleston Wrap fundraiser. The PTO retains 40% of all sales for much needed campus and classroom enhancements and enrichment.

Save the date for the 2nd Annual Fall Block Party. The PTO will be hosting a fun, free, family event on Saturday, November 5th at Stokesdale Town Park!

Save the date - Family Yoga Night on Monday, 10/10 at 5:30pm. Hosted at school by Stokesdale PTO & Yoga Lane.

Here are the recent updated COVID-19 Protocols:

- Individuals can return to school after 5 days from the first day of symptoms or the date he/she tested positive.
- Upon return to school, the individual is to wear a mask for 5 days

If an individual is exposed to COVID-19 and the

- individual does not have symptoms, he/she does not need to quarantine.
- Individual does NOT have to wear a mask.

If your child test positive for COVID-19, please email Mrs. Bennett or call the school. All positive cases are to be reported to the health department by the school.

If you plan on picking up your student from school early, please call before 1:30 so we can have your student ready for dismissal. Our lunch menu for this week is on the Stokesdale Elementary Facebook Page and will be on our school website. We are looking forward to a great week here at Stokesdale where "Alone Vikings Can Achieve Success, Together Vikings Can Achieve Excellence".