

PTO Meeting

October 9, 2018

Guest Presenter: Nancy Fields, Lice Happens

Lice Biology:

- Cannot contaminate their environment, only lie on the head. Schools, churches, homes, camps, etc. cannot be infested.
- Females are pregnant for life after only one mating which is how the infestations transfer so easily
- Typical infestation isn't discovered until approximately 4 weeks when the itching starts to be noticeable
- Lice cannot live off the head and if found off the head are dying

How to prevent:

- Put hair back
- Check their hair with a long tooth metal nit comb, comb through wet hair and wipe on white paper towel
- If anything comes off call Lice Happens because they are the subject matter experts
- There are repellents that can be used to help prevent the cross over

Principals Report:

- PARCC Achievement and Improvement Plan
- Top 25% of schools in the county during assessment period of 2017-2018
- WFE is on par with other elementary schools in our cluster and typically outperforms the district (county) and state overall scores.

Staff & Teachers Report

- Thank you for back to school breakfast and luncheon in honor of Mr. Day

PTO News:

- Race for Ed- Send back in Race for Ed mailers before 10/26
- Prize day coming
- Pie in face and iPad drawing are if we meet our goal of \$25,000
- Fridays at the Farm weekly email and Sign Up Genius for Race Volunteers coming on 10/12
- Book Fair
- Father Daughter Dance
- Junior Achievement