October 11, 2019

**HEADLINES**
- Important Safety Message
- Immunization requirements
- Butterfly Fun Run Fest Thank you
- Halloween Parade
- Upcoming Dates

**Message from Suzette**

Wow! That was an exciting few days, worrying about losing power, wind and possible wild fires. I am glad that DVMS was able to remain open, with power to serve our families. Maintaining consistency for our young children is challenging when faced with the unknown, but we know that children react to change and appreciate a consistent schedule. I hope that your homes are all safe and once again have power.

**Help Please...**
I am asking for everyone's cooperation to make sure our campus is safe for all children. When you enter or exit our gates, please take time to make sure the gate latches. **Do not assume it will latch on its own.** Thank you!

Immunization requirements have changed, effective 7/1/2019. Children entering TK (children turning 5 between September 2 & December 2) and Kindergarten aged children (turning 5 by September 1) are required to have:
- 4 doses of Polio vaccine
- 5 doses of DTAP
- 2 doses of MMR and Varicella

Please provide updated immunization reports to Sheryl in our office. DVMS is required to submit an immunization report in a few weeks, and we want to be in full compliance with regulations.
Check out the [RACE RESULTS](#) and [SHARE YOUR PHOTOS](#)!
The yearbook committee will be grabbing photos from this Google shared album!

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**You are invited**

**To our Halloween Parade**

The annual DVMS Halloween Parade will be held on October 31 at 10am on our field and will last approximately 30 minutes. All parents and family are welcome to attend. Consider carpooling with other parents to minimize the impact on our parking lot and the surrounding neighborhood. Carpool Sign-ups will be in the classrooms beginning October 21. The children look forward to dressing up, parading around the field and watching their friends do the same. Individual classrooms will provide information about schedules for the day, costumes etc. One school wide rule is that masks and pretend weapons are prohibited.

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**October-November Dates**

- 10/23........DVMS Board Meeting, 7pm
- 10/31........Halloween Parade, 10am
- 11/01.........Staff In-Service - All programs closed
- 11/11.........Veteran's Day - School Closed
- 11/27,28,29..Thanksgiving Break - School Closed
Mark your calendar!

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