

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

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WHAT'S UP THIS WEEK

MONDAY 9/16

Neighborhood Cafe
Coffee & Chat with Cheryl, Librarian
8:30am in the small cafeteria

THURSDAY 9/19

PTA General Meeting
8:30 am, PTA Room

Sign-making for Climate March
2:45 in the Garden, bring supplies if able

FRIDAY 9/20

LUNCH



MONDAY 9/16

Mac-n-Cheese, Toasted Garlic Bread, Baked Broccoli, Fruit Juice Ice, Salad Bar: Garden Greens

TUESDAY 9/17

Baked Chicken Tenders w/ Dipping Sauce, Baked Sweet Potato, Waffle Fries, Baked Tostitos Scoops Served w/ Salsa Cup, Salad Bar: Traditional

WEDNESDAY 9/18

Chicken & Cheese Quesadillas, Confetti Corn, Grab-n-Go Asian Sesame Chicken Salad, Salad Bar: Taco Bar Featuring Roasted Tomato Salsa

Climate Strike & March

Schools have been told to excuse students who attend the climate march with their families. Please send a letter/email to Dyanthe explaining your child will be absent because they are attending the march.

dyanthe@tnsny.org

Families are organizing a TNS contingent. The march starts at 1 PM so parents should sign-out their kids around noon and head to Foley Square (111 Worth Street, NYC 10013). Staff may join after dismissal.

THURSDAY 9/19

New York Beef Hamburgers &
Cheeseburgers, Baked French Fries, Apples
Grab-n-Go Asian Sesame Chicken Salad
Salad Bar: Burger/Sandwich Fixin's

FRIDAY 9/20

Chicken Ranch Pizza, Green Garden Salad
Salad Bar: Pizza Toppings Featuring Cold
Chickpea Salad



PTA FAIR

The PTA and representatives from the committees that make TNS tick will be in the lobby next week during drop off. Stop by to chat about what they do (or take a flyer and ~~run~~ walk calmly past Dyanthe, after your child who is already half way up the stairs. I wouldn't know anything about that).

You don't have to sign up for a long term relationship – there are lots of ways to pop in and out as your life / schedule allows. There's a committee for everyone, and if you don't see a place where your interests and talents fit, alert the presses! We need you.

8am–8:45(ish) in the lobby

The Neighborhood School
READ-A-THON

TNS READ-A-THONERS!

We're almost there! Congrats on making it through a great summer of reading and the first week of school. **It's now time to reach out to those that sponsored your child's reading and collect your pledge \$\$\$!** Remember, every \$ raised through the Read-a-thon goes to our PTA and helps support all sorts of good stuff happening at our school, including the library!

Don't get bogged down in the details! --Lost your reading log? No problem! A copy is attached, make up one of your own, or just ask people to donate a flat amount for the many books you read. --Collected \$\$, but your child refuses to write down a single book? Just turn in the contributions! --Your child read all summer, but no one is able to contribute right now? Just turn in the reading log. --Your sister in California would have loved to contribute, but she doesn't do checks or snail mail? Start a GoFundMe page and let her donate online! It takes less than 5 mins to set up and step-by-screenshot step instructions are attached.

Everyone who turns in a reading log and/or donations will be automatically entering into the drawing for some **great prizes!** And, good news! You still have a full week to finish up reading and collect the reading logs and/or \$\$.

We'll be in the lobby starting Monday, September 23rd before the start of school to collect them.

Thank you all for an awesome summer of reading!
Amy (Zazie) and Jill (Lincoln and Oscar)

To download a **READING LOG** and instructions for **GO FUND ME** campaign
[CLICK HERE](#)





I'm Sarah Whitney. I've been the school nurse at the Neighborhood School since 2013. I love working with kids and want them to feel happy, healthy, and safe in school. I was away last year, on maternity leave, at home with my son who just turned one. I missed school while I was away, and I miss him now that I'm back. In my free time, I enjoy reading, sewing, and knitting though it's hard to finish any of those things these days. When we can, my husband and I like to travel and especially enjoy hiking through the national parks. We've been to 18 together so far and would love to visit them all. School comes with a lot of paperwork, it seems, and my job is no exception. Students cannot have medication in school without a specific form filled out by the doctor and signed by you. If your child has any medical needs (medication or otherwise), please reach out to me. I'm in room 212A 8am-3pm. I can also be reached at sarah@tnsny.org and 212.387.0195 extension 2. Stop by and say hi! (and bring me an updated physical, please.) I'm looking forward to a great year and can't wait to see everyone, old and new.



The PTA is looking for Event Leads for the following two programs:

Original Works: Students can create a drawing or painting at home or use their work from Studio-in-a-school and submit it with an order form to be printed on mugs, tote bags, necklaces, t-shirt or more of their choice! All proceeds go to the PTA.

Picture Week: Students take professional portraits with professional photographers from Cool For School. Orders can be placed to purchase individual, sibling and full class photos. All proceeds go to the PTA.

Anyone interested email Olly and Matthieu at ptaevents@tnsny.org

BAKE SALE

Help is needed in the morning and afternoon to set up and sell treats. Dropped off baked good always welcome! Contact Tatiana at tatiana.prisco@gmail.com.



We're on Instagram!
[@neighborhoodgram](https://www.instagram.com/neighborhoodgram)

TNS Facebook Group for current families only
[\(we'll be livestreaming our PTA meetings here. Our first try is Thursday 9/19\)](#)

In an effort to reduce email fatigue, we are trying something new (this handy dandy newsletter). Please submit announcements by Friday ptaparentengagement@tnsny.org

Of course, there are exceptions, don't sweat it!



Have a great week!

