Turkey Hill School Gobbler Newsletter
October 30, 2026

SCHOOL NEWS

NO SCHOOL: This is a reminder that there is no school on Tuesday 11/3/26.

GRADE 3 RESIDENCY: The Orange Board of Education has a Proof of Residency Policy. Every year third grade parents provide two current proofs of residency to the school. Please return the completed form to your child's teacher no later than November 24th. The Residency form is located in the Virtual Backpack under School news or you can click here to view. Hard copies went home in backpacks this week?

WINTER WEATHER ADVISORY: Please click here to view a letter regarding inclement weather and school closures.

HEARING SCREENING: State mandated hearing testing will be done for students in grades 1,3,4 & 5 during the week of November 16th. Pure tone audiometry will be used for this exam. If you **do not** want your child tested, please contact Nurse Kathleen at kmalone@orange-ed.org

THS DRAMA CLUB PRESENTS FROZEN JR: Tickets are now on-sale for our drama production of Frozen Jr.! Performances are on **Friday, November 13th at 6:30 pm & Saturday, November 14th at 11:00 pm.** Tickets are $10 for ages 5 and over. Children under 5 are FREE. Your ticket purchase will give you a reservation at the door. Please be sure to note the time you select for tickets. Capacity is limited and the show times are not interchangeable. Click here to purchase tickets.

RIBBONS FOR VETERANS: The Turkey Hill School Student Council is collecting donations for veterans in Connecticut through their Veterans Day Ribbon sale. Please click here for more information.

AV MORNING BROADCAST: Click here to see this week's AV Broadcast. You will be prompted to type in a password. Our password is turkey.

VIRTUAL BACKPACK: Here you will find copies of all of the notices we typically send home by email or with your child.

- **School News**
- **Community Events**
  - International STEAM Day
  - Amity Youth Girls Basketball Clinic
  - Clothing and House Holds Goods Collection
  - Town of Orange Holiday Program
- **PTO Information**

PTO EVENTS

📚 **SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR:** Thank you for supporting our school! Together we raised over $5,000 in Scholastic Dollars for our library!! Our online store is still open and you can find titles that sold out at the fair or pre-order the new Dog-Man book. Our school will earn 25% of sales in Scholastic Dollars through this **Sunday, 11/1** and orders will ship directly to your home.
Click here to shop the entire book fair!

Popular titles from this year's book fair were Diary Wimpy Kid #21: Fight or Flight, Football Superstars 2027, Guinness World Records 2027, & The Baby Sitters Club Series!

🥧 **THANKSGIVING PIE & COOKIE DOUGH PICK UP:** Please make sure to mark your calendar for pie pick up - **Monday, 11/9 from 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm**. All items are frozen and must be picked up at that time, as there is nowhere to store them.

✏️ **TURKEY TITAN SCHOOL STORE:** The school store will be open during lunch every other Wednesday. **The next scheduled opening is on Wednesday, 11/4.** The store allows students to independently shop for school supplies and THS gear while practicing valuable math and monetary skills! Gift certificates are available for purchase and are a great option for birthday or holiday celebrations. Any schedule changes will be posted in the Gobbler.

📸 **YEARBOOK PHOTOS:** Currently accepting **Fun Run & Halloween photos**. Photos should be of school events and preference for inclusion in the yearbook will be given to photos that include more than one student. Email thsyearbook2627@gmail.com with questions.
Click here to submit photos for the yearbook!

💻 **MONTHLY PTO MEETING:** The next PTO meeting will be held on **Thursday, 11/19 at 8:30 pm**. All families are welcome to join this virtual meeting. To increase participation, we have set our monthly PTO meetings for the 4th Thursday of every month in the evening. Meetings are virtual via Google Meet. We hope you can join us! Link for the November PTO Meeting

♾️ **STAY IN TOUCH!** Want to stay up to date on ALL that is happening at THS?

- Follow us on Facebook
- Sync our THS PTO calendar to your own
- Find links to all the latest on the THS PTO website
- We welcome your questions and feedback! Email us anytime at turkeyhillpto@gmail.com

CALENDAR

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Project Teach: Malafronte, Castelot, Smolenski	3 No School for Students - Teacher Professional Learning	4 School Store Open	5 SOAR Class Starts for Psaradellis	6
9th Pie Pick Up 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm	10th SOAR Class Starts for Mongillo	11th Wear Red, White, and Blue Veteran's Day Assembly School Store	12th	13th 6:30pm Drama Show

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