



# Title 1 Newsletter

## October 2017



### Title 1 Parent Orientation

**When:** Thursday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> 6:00 - 7:00  
(Please arrive a few minutes early to receive paperwork)

**Where:** W.L. Callahan  
75 Callahan School Street, Harrisville  
(Both A.T. Levy and W.L. Callahan families will attend this one orientation)

We ask that all families please attend this Title 1 Orientation. You will have the opportunity to learn about the Title 1 program and meet with your child's Title 1 teacher(s). Children will be taking part in fun and games while parents meet with the Title 1 team. Pizza and drinks will be available for all.

### Fall Into Reading

Cozy fall evenings are perfect for curling up with a book. As the cooler weather and shorter days bring your child inside earlier, take advantage of the time to get him or her hooked on reading. With school, athletics, work and the fall television lineup quickly replacing our free time, it's easy to push reading way down the priority list. So this Fall—use some of these great tips to get your student back into the habit of reading at least 15-20 minutes every day.

- ◆ A family habit - Commit to trade in at least one TV show a week for reading time. As you find students enjoying reading, increase your reading and decrease your TV time.
- ◆ Say how much you enjoy reading - Tell your child how much you enjoy reading with him or her. Talk about "story time" as the favorite part of your day.
  - ◆ Read with fun in your voice - Read to your child with humor and expression. Use different voices. Ham it up!
- ◆ Know when to stop - Put the book away for a while if your child loses interest or is having trouble paying attention. Be sure to return to it later.



Resource: Reading Rockets (2008)

### Literacy Tails at Jesse Smith Library

Thursday, 11/9/2017 - 6:00 - 7:00  
Available for children in grades 1-5

Read to credentialed therapy dogs in a quiet, relaxed atmosphere at the library! Great for reluctant readers or those who just LOVE to be around dogs. Bring your own books or choose from the wonderful selection here in our Children's Department!  
Registration with the library is required to reserve a spot.

