

# Northside News

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Dea Henry, Principal

Shannon Dickerson, Assistant Principal

## Lunch Times

Ask your student about QR codes



### WELCOME

The Northside staff welcomes all of our students and parents. We know it is going to be a great school year! We look forward to all of the fun and exciting things that we have planned.

### WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS MONTH in FOURTH

#### READING

- ❖ Poetry
- ❖ Context clues
- ❖ Fiction

#### MATH

- ❖ Place value
- ❖ Addition & subtraction
- ❖ Multiplication quizzes each day

#### WRITING

- ❖ Reviewing verbs & nouns
- ❖ Complete sentences
- ❖ How to plan and write an expository essay

#### SCIENCE

- ❖ Safety procedures in a lab
- ❖ Physical properties of objects.
- ❖ Measurement, mass, temperature, volume, mixtures and solutions

#### SOCIAL STUDIES

- ❖ Regions of Texas
- ❖ A unit on Native Americans

## Meet our New Assistant Principal, Shannon Dickerson

Mrs. Dickerson comes to Northside with a great deal of wisdom and experience, and we are so excited she is here! She graduated from HHS in 1997 and received her B.S. in Biology from Lyon College in 2001. Her education was furthered in 2009 when she received her M.Ed. in School Leadership. Mrs. Dickerson was Assistant Superintendent Leverett's Chapel ISD 2014-2016 and Elementary/JH Principal LC 2015-2016. She has taught IPC & Chemistry HHS, as well as Biology, Physics, A&P at Leverett's Chapel. On a personal note, she has been married for 15 years to her husband Chad and has 3 daughters, Kennedy 13, Taylor 11, Blake 6 and one "furbaby", Remington, a German Shepherd.

Northside was blessed with 7 other new staff members who will be featured in the following months.

- Heather Burris, 4<sup>th</sup> Grade READ 180
- Ashley Compton, 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Math/Science
- Alaina Gearheart, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Math EXCEL
- Nicki Greenhouse, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Reading
- Ellen Lee, Secretary to the Principal
- Bailey Greer, ISS Paraprofessional
- Gloria Caballero, ESL Paraprofessional

### WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS MONTH in FIFTH

#### READING

- Prefixes
- Suffixes
- Context clues

#### MATH

- Place value
- Comparing and ordering decimals
- Rounding, adding, and subtracting of whole numbers and decimals
- Multiplication quizzes each day

#### WRITING

- Punctuation
- Parts of speech - subject and predicate
- Author's purpose
- Writing individual stories

#### SOCIAL STUDIES

- Early European explorers
- Geography of U.S. regions
- Colonization of the United States

#### SCIENCE

- Safety
- Physical properties
- Mixtures, solutions, force and motion



### Calling all EAGLES!

Northside is looking for individuals to volunteer to mentor a 4<sup>th</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> grade student this school year. Having lunch with your Eaglet and encouraging them to be their best is all it requires. Contact Lisa Harned, Counselor, for more information.

*Impacting a life forever!*

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#### SEPTEMBER

- 9 Fall pictures
- 13 Student Council elections
- 27 Student council officer elections
- 30 Incentive Day

#### OCTOBER

- 10 No school for students
- 17-21 Book Fair Week
- 24-28 Red Ribbon Week