

# Midway Elementary School 2023-2024

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# STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

\*Please note that there may be requirements that must be met in order to participate in certain opportunities. Full details will be provided when each opportunity is announced. Look for announcements in weekly newsletters and/or communication folders.

#### ❖ News Crew – 5<sup>th</sup> grade only

- Applications are available at the beginning of school year. Interviews in August.
- o A new crew is selected each quarter.
- Jobs for the news crew rotate and include: editing daily scripts in Google Slides, anchoring/broadcasting the news on air, director, and sound system/video technician.

# ❖ School Jobs – 5<sup>th</sup> grade only

- First applications are sent out and due mid to late August and again with each new quarter.
- o A new team is selected each quarter.
- Jobs include: school store manager (before school), morning flag helpers, afternoon flag helpers, recycle helpers (Wednesdays before school), and morning safety patrol.
- Opportunity will be announced on the news show as well as the School Counselor's Newsletter.

## ❖ Student Council – 2 Students from each 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> grade homeroom

- Elections are held in each homeroom in September.
- o Positions are held for the entire school year.
- Opportunity will be announced on the news show as well as the School Counselor's Newsletter.

# ❖ LEGO Robotics Team – 5<sup>th</sup> grade only

- o Tryouts in May for rising 5th graders.
- Opportunity will be announced on the news show as well as through visits by coding teacher to each homeroom. Applications must be requested by the student if interested.

## ❖ 3-D Printed Keychain Sales – 5<sup>th</sup> grade only

o Applications go out in September

## ❖ Run Hard – 2<sup>nd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> grade

- "Helping kids build the foundation for success by teaching life values through the sport of running. We teach teamwork, wise choices, how to show positive peer pressure, honesty, respect, leadership and perseverance while training everyone to finish a 5k."
- Practices twice a week right after school.
- Fall registration is in September
- Spring registration is in February
- Registration updates will be announced on the news show as well as the school newsletter/emails.

# ❖ Punt, Pass, Kick (PPK) – 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade only

- PPK is a national skills competition for boys and girls for passing, punting, and place kicking.
- Registration will be held in October.
- Opportunity will be announced on the news show as well as the school newsletter/email.

# ❖ Rhythm of the Night – 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade only

- Gymnastics/dance show put on by students.
- Students will sign up early spring.
- Opportunity will be announced on the news show as well as the school newsletter/emails.