

# Hindley Kid's Care Club

Kid's Care Club is a national organization dedicated to helping children develop the spirit of charity and pro-active compassion through hands-on projects. At Hindley, the club is open to any interested students Kindergarten through Fifth grade. The club meets from 3:00pm to 3:45pm in the common room. The club's success and the amount the children get out of is completely dependent on parental involvement. If you are available, please come and lend a hand. It's a great way to spend time with your child and show them the value you place on charity and compassion. Kindergarteners must be accompanied by an adult.

This year we are asking parents to bring in 10 dollars on the first meeting to cover the costs of snacks and materials for the year. Please bring this in with the attached permission slip to the first meeting or place it in the Kid's Care folder in the front office.

We are starting a NEW email list for families interested in the club. So we are asking EVERYONE who would like any information, updates or reminders for the club to please email Ursula Lewis at unareski@yahoo.com. **EVEN IF YOU GOT EMAILS LAST YEAR!**

Below is a list of the dates and projects we have planned for this year. Feel free to come to any or all of the meetings.

## Kids Care Schedule 2019-2020

**Sept. 27** - Story and discussion about spreading kindness, group photo and tour of P2P mobile food bank.

**Oct. 23** - Prep for Turkey Drive; talk about hunger in our community with a Person to Person representative and create posters

**Nov. 25** - TURKEY AND CANNED FOOD DRIVE! This one is before school, 7:45-8:15, outside on the blacktop.

**Dec. 11** - Holiday gift making- more information to come

**Jan. 22** - We will make get well soon cards for the nurse to give out to sick children at our school.

**March 25** - We will discuss homelessness in our community with the Director of The Open Door Shelter and the club will put together care packages for children at the shelter.

**April** - (tbd) Earth Day activity, we will collaborate with the Darien Beautification Committee to clean up an area in town.

**May 20** - We will talk with a representative from At Home In Darien about the elderly in our community and create flower pots to give to the them.

**June 3** - End of the year popsicle party

Any question or concerns please feel free to email Ursula Lewis at Unareski@yahoo.com Hindley School is sensitive to children who may require special accommodations at PTO sponsored events. If you have a special request, please contact Rebecca Laus, Assistant Principial at rlaus@darienps.org

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### Parents Approval To Participate At Kid's Care

Please bring in this form and your child's 10\$ to your child's first day at Kid's Care or leave it in our folder in the front office.

Each of the children named below have my permission to participate in Kid's Care at Hindley Elementary School during the 2019-2020 school year. I hereby certify that I am the parent or legal child of each child named below.

\_\_\_\_\_ name/s of child/ren

\_\_\_\_\_ signature of legal guardian

\_\_\_\_\_ email for all communication

\_\_\_\_\_ name and cell of emergency contact