

# Ocelot Review

## September 20, 2022

Ortega Elementary – 4010 Baltic St, Jacksonville, FL 32210  
381-7460; [www.duvalschools.org/ortega](http://www.duvalschools.org/ortega)

Principal – Shannon Rose-Hamann; Assistant Principal – Kenneth Fraley

### IMPORTANT MEETINGS

We have 3 important meetings on Thursday, September 22. We are holding them back-to-back to try to make attending them more convenient. All of our parents/guardians are encouraged to join us in the media center for these meetings.

- SAC will meet at 4:30
- The Title 1 Annual meeting will be at 4:50
- PTA will meet at 5:10 (including budget voting)

If you are unable to join us in person we will have a virtual option via Zoom using the links below.

SAC and Title 1 (4:30 PM) Zoom Link:  
<https://us05web.zoom.us/j/86167681083?pwd=RjRWcmIvT0RWSVdjRU1pRGNoZnZzO9>  
Meeting ID: 861 6768 1083  
Passcode: uQ07uu

PTA (5:10 PM) Zoom Link:  
<https://us05web.zoom.us/j/86483798884?pwd=UXByMURkd0JxTjYzRytiUzFUc1FKUT09>  
Meeting ID: 864 8379 8884  
Passcode: jU8EV1

### CALENDAR

#### September

22 – SAC, Title 1 Annual Meeting, and PTA @ 4:30 PM

23 – LiveSchool Shop

28 – Early Dismissal (1:15)

30 – Green Parties (Grades 2-5)

#### October

7 – All Pro Dads 8:00 AM

7 – Flag Raising 8:40 AM

12 – Fall Pictures

14 – Weather Day

17 – Planning Day

26 – Early Dismissal (1:15)

27 – SAC/PTA @ 4:30 PM

27 – One School One Book Kickoff @ 6:00 PM

## CELEBRATING 100 YEARS OF LEARNING

## RESOURCE ROOM

We want to remind all of our parents that Ortega Elementary has a Parent Resource Center in our school library. The center has a computer and printer as well as materials that you can check out to use with your child at home. These materials include story books, chapter books, flash cards, board games, and all different types of learning kits. The center is open during school hours and during parent meetings/academic nights.

## PTA

Thank you to those who have already joined PTA. If you have not yet joined please visit [ortegajacksonville.memberhub.com](http://ortegajacksonville.memberhub.com) or scan this QR code. Your membership money helps pay for student awards, educational programs, school beautification, and so much more. The classes with the top 3 membership percentages at the end of September will win a party. First place gets a pizza party, second place gets a popcorn party, and third place gets a popsicle party. Let's try to get 100% membership for our 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration.



## ALL PRO DAD

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We are proud to announce that Ortega

Elementary is going to once again have a chapter of All Pro Dad. This organization is designed to help foster strong relationships among fathers and their kids. The first meeting will be a father-child breakfast on October 7 at 8 AM in the media center. Mark your calendar and look for more information coming soon on Dojo and in Tuesday folders. A huge thanks to two of our wonderful fathers, Dominic Cummings and Kevin Smith, for agreeing to help lead these meetings.

## THANK YOU, BJ'S RESTAURANT

BJ's was kind enough to donate 120 kid's meal coupons for us to use for rewards throughout this school year. We are grateful to BJ's for becoming a business partner and making such a generous donation.

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Don't forget to register to become a volunteer if you haven't already done so. It is a free and quick process and is valid for two years once completed. You must be a registered volunteer to chaperone field trips or take part in school events. The process takes up to 2 weeks so do not wait until an event comes up. Visit [www.duvalschools.org/volunteer](http://www.duvalschools.org/volunteer) to register. If you are interested in some of our current volunteer opportunities, please visit <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080948AFA722A4FE3-ortega>.

## FALL PICTURES

Fall pictures will be October 12. All students will be photographed on this day and these photographs will be used for the

yearbook. Any absent students will have make-up pictures taken on November 16. Order forms will be sent home soon so be on the lookout.



## THANK YOU, PUBLIX

Thank you to Publix for donating a \$75 gift card for use toward our Acaletics Green Parties. We appreciate the generous donation.