# THE LONGHORN WAY

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Parent/Teacher conferences are this Tuesday and Thursday. If you do not have an appointment, please contact your child's teacher.

Our Hats on Day held today in memory of Mina Sze raised \$435 for cancer research. Thanks for all that participated.

We are still taking donations for out West Mart Community Pantry. Check the website for items needed. Students can deposit items in the blue containers outside their counselor's office.

Project Parkway is Tuesday, September  $19^{th}$  at South High. We would love to hear your voice as we think towards the future of Parkway.

On September 19<sup>th</sup>, the PTO is sponsoring a Schoola Clothing Drive. Schoola is a donation program that gives back to us. Donate gentle used clothes and they will give the PTO cash. Clean out those closets this weekend and pack up any items that originally cost over \$15 and bring it up to school. See the attached flyer for more information.

Parkway Safe and Drug-free Program is sponsoring the Connect 4 Mixers again this year. The first mixer is Friday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> at Parkway Central High School. All middle school ages are welcome to join the "beach bash." The event cost \$10 with advanced registration or \$15 dollars at the door. For more information visit <a href="https://www.tinyurl.com/connect4mixers-info">www.tinyurl.com/connect4mixers-info</a>.

Visiting 8<sup>th</sup> grade this last week was the NOW n L8R program facilitated by Parkway Safe and Drug Free Program. This program is designed to help students make good decision and preparing them for three aspects of their lives: academics, relationships, and personal health. Ask your 8<sup>th</sup> grade student what strategies they learned to help them make good choices as they mature.

Thanks for sharing your kids with us-

#### ~Annie

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## A Look Ahead

September 19<sup>th</sup> Project Parkway at South High

September 19th Schoola Donation Program begins

September 20<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> Parent Teacher Conferences 4pm-7pm

September 20th & 22nd NO AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES OR BUS

September 21st West Time

September 23<sup>rd</sup> Connect 4 Mixer at Parkway Central High School

## Every problem is an opportunity in disguise.