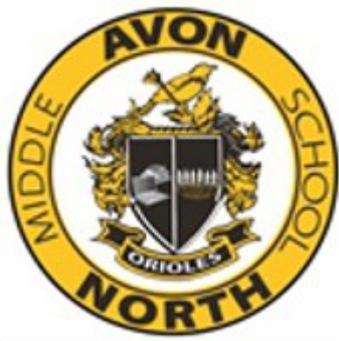


# Avon Middle School North Newsletter

February 2022



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## AMSN Office Staff

Susan Green, Principal

Ginger Davis, Assistant Principal

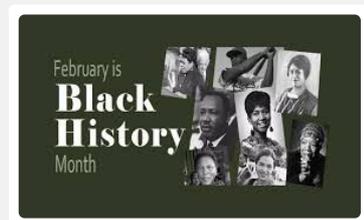
Ed Faughnan, Dean/Athletic Coordinator

Andrea Davasher, 7th grade Counselor

Allison West, 8th grade Counselor

## Upcoming Events:

February 21 - Presidents Day - NO SCHOOL



## *Principal's Message - February 2022*

Dear Parents,

AMSNorth students have completed the winter round of Northwest Evaluation Association (NWEA) testing. This testing is administered three times a year which produces data showing achievement and how much students are growing in their math and reading skills. This data helps teachers to develop targeted instruction. Your child's NWEA report will be sent to you via ParentSquare in the next few days. If you have questions regarding the results of this testing, please contact 7th grade counselor, Andrea Davasher [aldavasher@avon-schools.org](mailto:aldavasher@avon-schools.org), or 8th grade counselor, Allison West [adwest@avon-schools.org](mailto:adwest@avon-schools.org).

As February approaches, we at Middle School North look forward to celebrating National Black History Month. Students will view video clips that celebrate Black Americans who made contributions in a variety of areas including science, mathematics, art, and literature. They will also participate in a competitive game where they will learn more about contributions made by Black Americans.

Adding to these celebrations throughout the month of February, inspiring messages will be sent to the student body from the guidance department via Schoology. These messages will include quotes of famous black men and women, helping us to honor and recognize their achievements throughout history. We look forward to the enrichment these events bring to us!

Our second semester has begun with much activity in the classroom with units of study and new learning and with student involvement in athletics, clubs, music, and our winter play, *The Lion, The Witch, and the Wardrobe*. Life is full at Avon Middle School North! Thank you for sharing your children with us!

Sincerely,  
Susan Green

### *A Huge Thank You to Gillespie Florist!*

The 8th grade science department would like to offer our HUGE thanks to Gillespie Florist for donating flowers for our 8th grade flower dissection. The students always enjoy this lab and it has excellent connections to our last unit covering meiosis and the production of gametes as well as connections to our current unit on genetics. We discuss how the "Father of Genetics", Gregor Mendel, utilized pea plant flowers to control self and cross-pollination between plants. It is really helpful for the students to be able to visualize the anatomy of a flower and better understand how Mendel conducted his experiments. Thank you for your continued support, Gillespie Florist!

Thank you!



### *Student Clubs at North*

Below is a listing of clubs that meet either before or after school. There is a "late" bus that transfers students to their homes on Tuesdays and Thursdays. This bus leaves North at 5:00 PM and accommodates students who participate in clubs that meet after school on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Parents and students may send a Schoology message to the sponsors listed below for information about the clubs.

Student Social Committee—Mrs. Tolen and Mrs. Clark

Futsal Soccer Club ---Mrs. Gustin

Chess Club—Mr. Hartley

Girl Talk Club—Ms Brown

Photography Club—Mrs. Livingston

Diversity Club—Mr. Kinnaird

Card and Board Game Club---Ms McDonald



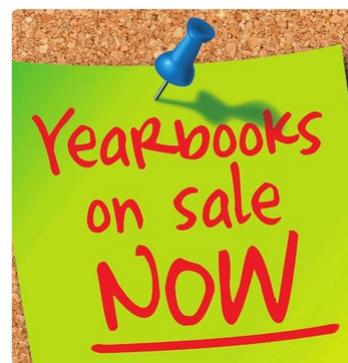
## *Building Access*

In Avon Schools, safety of our students and staff is our highest priority. A building access intercom system was installed at AMSNorth. Visitors will press the doorbell and be asked to identify yourself and provide a reason for your visit. Thank you for your patience in adapting to this updated, more secure system.

## *Yearbook!*

Parents. Students. Have you purchased your yearbook yet? Preorder your 2021-2022 Yearbook today to save \$5.00 off the cover price. For your convenience, we have given parents the ability to pay online. Order before Spring Break to get the best price available!

Website to order: [ybpay.com](http://ybpay.com) Yearbook ID code: 14453022



## *Nurse Notes*

Parents..... Did You Know?

If your child has been fully vaccinated for Covid-19, and he or she is identified as a close contact to someone with COVID-19, he or she is not required to quarantine. Securely email your child's proof of vaccination to Avon nurses at [covidvaccine@avon-schools.org](mailto:covidvaccine@avon-schools.org).

## *Eating Disorders Awareness Week*

**February 28 - March 5, 2022 is Eating Disorders Awareness Week.** Eating disorders are serious medical illnesses marked by severe disturbances to a person's eating behaviors. These disorders can affect a person's physical and mental health; in some cases, they can be life-threatening. But **eating disorders can be treated.**

Learn more about eating disorders:

- [Digital shareable resources on eating disorders](#)
- [Health topic: Eating disorders](#)
- Additional resources [available en español](#)



## *American Heart Month*

**February is American Heart Month.** Stress is the physical or mental response to an external cause, such as having a lot of homework or having a chronic illness. Stress can cause reactions such as high blood pressure and rapid heart rate, which could contribute to heart disease.

For American Heart Month, learn more about [managing stress and anxiety](#) and get tips for [Caring for Your Mental Health](#) to help protect your overall health.

## Avon Optimist Oratorical Application

We would like to encourage students to enter the 2022 Oratorical Contest sponsored by the Avon Optimist Club!

## *First Semester 8th grade "A" Honor Roll Students*

Alarie, Logan Joshua  
Alarie, Mitchell Preston  
Baez, Lucia Jutta  
Bailey, Gracyn Evangeline  
Bean, Addison Renae  
Behney, Joshua Marc  
Budde, Coen Lucas  
Chalos, Odette Grace  
Christensen, Jayden Tran  
Clore, William Michael  
Collins, Macie Dru  
Crowe, Elijah Anthony  
Cunningham, Avalyn Mae  
Diebold, Alexis Marie  
Eglen, Jonah Clark  
Enz, Jacob Berrett  
Ervin, Nicholas Sean  
Fairbanks, Kira Lee  
Farias, Diego Henry Stanis  
Farias, Giovanni Michael Stanis  
Ford, Mitchell Everett

Forst, Adelyn Blair  
Fraley, Cecilia Rose  
Gawryk, Aeliana Grace  
Ghotra, Ishneet  
Gibson, Haley Elizabeth  
Gilbert, Anastacia Mackenzie  
Hamalak, Laeton Thomas  
Hicks, Kaydenz Marie  
Ibarra, Areli  
Jenkins, Amelia Marie  
Johnson, William Dean  
Karaivanov, Alexander Petrov  
Kellermeier, Payton Elizabeth  
Keralem, Genet  
Kiel, Sean Michael  
Kozenski, Maya Gatz  
Kraemer, Alyse Jenee  
Levstek, Leah Grace  
Lister, Siena Grace  
McIntyre, Caleb James  
Meyer, McKae Clare  
Micheel, Helen Eileen  
Mitchell, Jackson Wade  
Nguyen, Vivi  
Noud, Haley Marie  
Olusola, Ebunoluwa Kehinde  
Peabody, Emerson Rose  
Pena-Pichardo, Emmanuel  
Perez-Espinosa, Alejandro  
Randolph, Adaleigh Claire  
Reilly, Liam James  
Rhinehart, Lauren Avary  
Saleh, Omar  
Shaw, Sydney Renee  
Sheriff, Xavier Roy  
Shugars, Madeline Stacie  
Singh, Prabhjot  
Sobek, Zachariah Mu-Jie  
Spratt, Mackenzie Frances  
Stoudt, Gabriel Ryan  
Sudhakar Sankar, Rithek Shankar  
Thompson, Will Kade  
Vance, Aiden Tai  
Vetter, Claire Marie  
Waggoner, Emma Jeanne  
Webb, Ava Rene'  
Williams, Kaylii Kamille  
Yenerich, Kaitlyn Marie  
Yoder, Aidan Joshua  
Young, Kelsey Elizabeth  
Younie, Drew Samuel

## *First Semester 8th grade "A/B" Honor Roll Students*

Abebe, Noah Fisseha  
Adams, Azure Leigh  
Ambrosio, Vanessa Nicole  
Anthony, Caitlin Rose  
Arceo, Christopher Amado  
Arvin, Matthew Charles Henry  
Baldwin, Addison Cecilia  
Barkat-Masih, Aziel Noah  
Bomi, Favour Ebikobire  
Clark, Emery Elise  
Clark, Gavon Lee  
Clutter, Grayson Robert  
Coello, Nicholas Xavier  
Cottrell, Karis Adrianna  
Cozzolino, Kaitlin Elizabeth  
Curry, Shawn Andrew  
Dabbs, Zander William  
Davoli, Alivia Samantha  
Declercq, Riley Marie  
Dorsey, Jacob Alden  
Dunchak, Rylie Danielle  
Erickson, Brody Thomas  
Fatout, Jordan Jacob  
Franklin, Cade Davis  
Garrett, Rilyn LaRae  
Hanslow, Mallory Jane  
Heath, Lilliana Raeann  
Hefner, Caleb William  
Hernandez, Steven Jason  
Herrick, Damien Michael  
Hillman, Emily Kay  
Himes, Maya Jeannette  
Hite, Addison Grace  
Howard, Bridget Gayle  
Ige, Victor Ayomiposi  
Jackson, Kenneth Ray  
Johnson, Du'Juan Michael Brian  
Johnson, Madison Nicole  
Johnson, Noah Bradley  
Johnson, Sydney Jo  
Johnson, Taylor Jayde  
Kaur, Damanpreet  
Kondas, Ethan Mark  
Larson, Griffan Todd  
Lenz, Clayton James  
Leong, TaniLynn Kealahounani  
Lewis, Cai Joseph Bastian  
Lopez, Jacob Alexander  
Madding, Korbynn Renea

Malomon, Adebola Ingride  
Manes, Nathan Stephen  
Mark, Henry Lorn  
Mayo, Haleigh Mae  
McIntyre, Andrew Joseph  
McNabb, Madeline Elizabeth  
Mendoza, Adrian Humberto  
Milzarek, Carson Joseph  
Moore, Evan Matthew  
Morgan, Kenzee Rachel  
Napier, Aubree Kaylin  
Nauta, Lyla Mae  
Obi, Josephine Roseline  
Ogawa, Alyssa Ayame  
Ogouyemi, Jason Omotogni  
Onoja, Nathaniel Eromose  
Ortega Munoz, Anny Paola  
Osorio-Barrera, Hillary Slacy  
Pandya, Dheer Yogesh  
Penrod, Gabriel Joshua  
Perry, Kimberly Michelle  
Pope, Brinley Marie  
Ragland, Skyln Vincent Lee  
Rice, Coltyn Bryan  
Rieger, Daniel David  
Robertson, Kamden Carter  
Roland, Emma Elizabeth  
Rolfson, Stella Marie  
Rose, Ayden Jacob  
Sanchez, Kyera Malin  
Sanchez, Sadie Faith  
Sandala, Mackenzie Joy  
Sandullo, Adia Jane  
Schoeff, Quinten Frederick  
Sharma, Vivaan  
Sims, Osias Roderick  
Singleton, Madelynn Taylor  
Smalley, Charles Franklin  
Smith, Sophia Ann  
Sogard, Jason Robert  
Soots, Cason Joel  
Sotelo, Maytte Alessandra  
Starr, Riley Marie  
Stephens, Clarence Lamont  
Stovall, Peyton Dion  
Thompson, Luke William  
Valenti, Tyler Daniel  
Voss, Cheyenne Olivia  
York, Ava Noelle  
Zarazee, Allison Joy  
Zeunik, Jackson Xavier

## *First Semester 7th grade "A" Honor Roll Students*

Adeleke, Idowu Hannah  
Ajayi, Isabella Okikioluwa  
Aspaas, Aedan Joseph Merrill  
Bowsher, Claire Leigh-Anne  
Browder, Reese Marie  
Brown, Ciara Oshyn  
Brown, Madison Grace  
Cadle, Amelia Grace  
Carlson, Gabrielle Skye  
Chavez, Zoey Leigh  
Cremeans, Hersel Ace  
Cripe, Morgan Faye  
David, Moyoninuoluwa  
Desai, Jay Munjal  
Dieringer, Sarah Claire  
Dunn, Macie Jane  
Earnhart, Kierstyn Jean  
Eckert, Eva Kerrington  
Eklou, Jonas  
Folorunsho, Oluwafunmike Deborah  
Foster, Kaito Jonas  
Fultz, Scarlett Faith  
Garrett, Rhyann LaShawn  
Gbadamosi, Rodiat Damilola  
Guntupalli, Ruthwik  
Haberman, Olivia Faith  
Hanes, Dylan Michael  
Harvey, Nathan Charles  
Hastings, Ella Brooke  
Heim, Kirsten Isabel  
Hobbs, Rian Catherine  
Hodge, Nicholas Alexander  
Hunter, Maxwell Curtis  
Jeffries, Zoey Jane  
Johnson, Jayden Avery  
Kass, Haleigh Rose  
Keenan, Sean Alexander  
Keller, Cole Philip  
Klein, Lauren Collette  
Landu, Jonathan Nkinzi  
Long, Sophia Grace  
McCrary, Elias Henry  
Metcalf, Kaleigh Rae  
Mitchell, Jonah Allen  
Mones, Katie Isabella  
Moore, Addison Faith  
Nannenga, Garrit James  
Neal, Ellis Benson  
Nieves, Paulina Denisse

Patel, Smit Amit  
Peart, Logan Scully  
Retzak, Joseph Sawyer  
Roberts, Benjamin Marion  
Sandhu, Harmannat K  
Shergill, Harman Kaur  
Sier, Avrie Leighton  
Smith, Mikayla Riley  
Stephenson, Tyler David  
Templeton, Lorelei Rose  
Tincher, Reece Christopher  
Tolentino, Ian Cole  
Valenti, Madisyn Michele  
Waggoner, Sophia Frances  
Walters, Ryan James

### *First Semester 7th grade "A/B" Honor Roll Students*

Abebe, Aaron Fisseha  
Abernathy, Jackson Gundar  
Abinokhauno, Ehinome Grace  
Aburumman, Yousef Tareq  
Acuff, London Simone  
Adams, Kynsli Parker  
Adeniyi, Deborah Adeoluwa  
Adesanya, Ifeoluwa Ruth  
Andrade, Zailey Gabriela  
Arnett, Haidan Joseph  
Bailey, Cooper Crash  
Baker, Sydney Marie  
Beamon, Jaxon Lynn  
Boe, Lucas Colton  
Brown, Sydonie Isis  
Burry, Benjamin Matthew  
Burry, Johnathon Edward  
Cain, Anna Kate  
Carpenter, Evangeline Gwen  
Carpenter, Sophia Quinn  
Clinton, Jack Edmond  
Colclasure, Jakob William Ross  
Collins, Lucas Andrew  
Collins, Mia Nicole  
Conn, Maddison Ava  
Cottrell, Carl Reagan  
Cottrell, Clint R  
Critser, Grant Thomas  
Culp, Ella Sophia  
Day, Tristan Alexander  
Deaton, Marlee Anne  
Elliott, Hayden Elizabeth  
Emweller, Luke Allen

Epperson, Adam Ciabattari  
Evans, Adam Colt  
Foster, Hannah Renae  
Foxen, Reagan Marie  
Fravel, Christian William  
Germani, Olivia Fatima  
Gillaspy, Elijah Thomas  
Goeckner, Trent Alexander  
Gonzalez, Sydney Alejandra  
Gordon, Jaden R  
Gorman, Katelyn Ray  
Guynn, Vanessa Nicole  
Hardy, Maliya Ann  
Harris, Ahlai Believe  
Heath, Jordan Luke  
Holcomb, MaKinley Kate  
Hornaday, Madalyn Christine  
Howard, Maddux Eoin  
Idiakwu, Lilian Chidinma  
Johnson, Evan William  
Kasten, Katelyn Ainsley  
Khuon, Nolan  
Laystrom, Gabriel Hieu  
Lee, Braden Gerald  
Leverich, Marlee Jo  
Mahay, Satinder  
Marshall, Madelyn Nicole  
Mboup, Elhadji Talla  
Mckinney, Eric Jaeshaun  
McTush, Kharizma Ayanna  
Meissner, Nikola Shireen  
Mercado Cobarrubias, Sofia Valentina  
Miller, Jalen Joel  
Miller, Lucas James  
Montminy, Hudson Jewaun  
Mutiso, June Mukei  
Nah, Clement Jayden  
Nanny, Cole Joseph  
Navara, Kade Jerrell  
Nikoll, Braxton Keaton  
Niper, Willa Loire  
Norman, Carly Jane  
Ogouyemi, Jonise Olafemi  
Orman, Angelo Ryan  
Palmer, Rilieanne Hayden  
Parry, Mason Parker  
Patel, Dhairya Govindbhai  
Patel, Mili Chirag  
Paul, Elizabeth Josephine  
Rausch, Evan Xavier  
Ray, Griffin Michael  
Reznv. Aleah Meadow

Riggs, Maya Grace  
Robinson, Chase Lee  
Robinson, Zia Patty-Jean  
Sanchez, Marvin Antonio  
Schaefer, Aspen Michaela  
Silva, Marissa Love  
Singh, Yashpreet  
Smiley, Derwin Norval  
Stafford, Aubrey Jean  
Stafford, Oliver Luke  
Stephens, Ariana Elaine  
Storm, Landon Jay Robert  
Sylvester, Luke Brendan  
Tasker, Arran  
Thompson, Andrew Michael  
Trent, Ashlyn Jo  
Viveros, Natalia Isabel  
Walters, Emma Lynn  
Warmuth, Amelia Rose  
Watkins, Tyler Dean  
Williams, Trenton Carmelo  
Wren, Nezhiah Sky  
Yonas, Sofanias Kifleyesus  
York, Jaxson Martin  
York, Savannah Grace



## *Athletic Department News*

[Athletic Calendar](#)

Athletic Calendar

## *Music Department News*

## Band

Solo and Ensemble for brass, woodwinds, and percussion will occur on February 5, 2022. Specific performance and arrival times information will be provided as we get closer to the date. Students will need an original copy of their solo with all measures numbered in pencil above each measure.



Rock Band will continue to meet every Monday, unless the students are notified otherwise. Same is true for Jazz Band, but Jazz Band meets on Thursday mornings.

## Orchestra

**\*\*Save the Date\*\***

Just a reminder that parents are asked to save March 11th and March 12th for the ISSMA Organizational contest. More details will be coming if your student's class qualifies for the event.



## *Congratulations to the January Reading Challenge Winners!*

Maddie Shugars  
Gracyn Bailey  
Zara Bernard  
William Clore  
Gabe Laystrom

## *Family and Consumer Science Class Taking Donations*

The FACS classes are always open to donations of thread, buttons, or felt! If you have any to spare, we will gladly take it off your hands!

Thank you!

Beth Hicks  
Family and Consumer Sciences  
544-5500 x5555

## *Office Procedures*

### **Attendance:**

If a student is absent from school, a parent or guardian must call the school at 317-544-5500 by 10:00 am to report the absence or send an email to [MNattendance@avon-schools.org](mailto:MNattendance@avon-schools.org)

### **Early Dismissal:**

When students have to leave school early for special appointments, a note from a parent or guardian must be brought from home to secure an "Early Dismissal" slip from the office. The note must be brought to the front office before school starts.

### **Tardy to School:**

If a student arrives after 9:20 am, he/she must sign in at the office before going to class. If a student reaches 5 tardy slips to school, he/she will receive an after school detention for each tardy after the fifth one (per semester).

### **AM/PM Car Rider Procedures:**

Cars must merge into one lane before reaching Door 1. In the morning, students are not to leave the cars before 9:00! The doors are not unlocked until 9:05 am. Students are to stand socially distanced in the main hall until the 9:10 am bell rings.

In the afternoon, students wait for their cars as they stand along the car-loading section of the sidewalk. Drivers are to pull their cars along the sidewalk ALL THE WAY DOWN TO THE YELLOW SIGN THAT READS: STUDENT DROPOFF. When it rains, students will be dismissed from the cafeteria by radio when driver arrives at the student drop-off section of the curb. Student's name is to be posted on the passenger window.

### **Homework Request:**

Parents and students may obtain homework assignments through Schoology and monitor grades through Power Parent.

### **Lunch:**

Please note that we do not accept food for students delivered from restaurants or outside delivery services.

### **Student Pick-up from Extra-Curricular Activities:**

Any student who is picked up on the north side will need to be picked up in the football parking lot. The students may be athletes or ones involved in extra-curricular clubs/activities. We will block the north drive coming off of Dan Jones Road from the Northwest corner all the way to the tennis courts. We will also block the entrance/exit into the football parking lot from this street. If you enter off of Dan Jones Road, please know that you will need to proceed all the way around the building using the front drive to get to the football parking lot. The best way to enter is off of 10th street.

We are asking for all parents to wait for their children in the football parking lot spaces for safety concerns. Due to the number of athletes and students involved in other extra-curricular events walking to and from the building, it is important that we keep curbs clear of cars. This allows for drivers to see children better. This also allows for our student athletes to see traffic. All of our students' safety is of utmost concern, so we are asking for your help in making our campus as safe as possible. Thank you from the entire Avon North Administrative staff.

*Follow the link to access PowerSchool, Schoology, and ParentSquare*



## Cafeteria News



## Cafeteria News

Based on the exceptional circumstances of the COVID 19 public health emergency, the USDA will continue to provide free breakfast and lunch for all students for the 2021/2022 school year.

Click on the link below to view the lunch menu.

<https://avon-schools.nutrislice.com/menu/avon-middle-school-north/lunch/2021-08-20>



**MARY LEE MAIER  
COMMUNITY PANTRY**  
2021-2022 Enrollment Form

**WHEN**  
Thursdays 5-6pm

**WHERE**  
AIS East Door #13

**WHO**  
Open to all ACSC families and employees

Register by using this QR code; registration only needs to be done once. Having trouble? We can help you complete the form at the pantry.



<https://forms.gle/yA8PKG5WCVLFT8>

*Food Pantry Flyer*



**REMINDER:**  
MARY LEE MAIER COMMUNITY PANTRY IS SERVING AT AIS EAST- DOOR 13. WE ARE CONTINUING TO OPERATE IN A DRIVE THRU FORMAT.

**Open on Thursdays!  
5:00-6:00pm**

*Reminder!*



**MARY LEE MAIER  
COMMUNITY PANTRY**  
2021-2022 Formulario de Incripción

**CUANDO**  
Jueves 5-6pm

**DÓNDE**  
AIS East Puerta #13

**QUÉN**  
Abierto a todas las familias y empleados de ACSC

Regístrese utilizando esta QR código; El registro solo debe realizarse una vez. Si no puedes completarlo, tendremos voluntarios en la despensa el jueves que lo ayudarán.



<https://forms.gle/yA8PKG5WCVLFT8>

*Food Pantry Flyer - Spanish*