



OCTOBER 27, 2017

MRS. WEIMER, PRINCIPAL

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COMING EVENTS

Oct. 27	Food Truck FUNraiser – 4:30-7:00pm at East!!
Oct. 30	Awards Assembly – 10:30am Grade 4, 1:30pm Grade
Oct. 31	Fall Parade/Party Day 2:00pm
Nov. 6 & 8	Parent/Teacher Conferences
Nov. 6-10	Book Fair Week (2 late nights – Nov. 6th and 8th)
Nov. 21	Picture Retakes
Nov. 22-24	Thanksgiving Holiday – No School

FALL CELEBRATION



This year East Elementary party day is Tuesday, October 31st. To celebrate we will have a costume parade beginning at 2:00pm. Students will parade out the front door and around the block down Washington Ave. to Jefferson Ave. to Central Ave. to Ridgewood to Washington again. Costumes must be brought to school and worn over clothing. We will begin getting ready at 1:30pm. Costumes must follow school dress code guidelines, <u>no violent attire, no swords, or weapons</u> of any kind will be permitted. Any costume that does not follow the appropriate guidelines will not be allowed to be worn. Following the parade we will be playing school wide bingo and refreshments will be served in the classroom. We will need parent volunteers so please make sure you have your <u>Urbana City Schools Volunteer/Release Form</u> filled out and returned before party day. (Please get those to us in time for processing to be completed at Central Office.) We hope you can come join the fun, if you are just watching the parade outside, a volunteer form is not required.

ABC

STUDENT OF THE MONTH

The Student of the Month Awards for October will be given to Jayden McKenzie and Everett Chapman. Students of the Month are chosen by their teachers. Everett and Jayden will be honored and given plaques at our awards assembly on October 30. Everett is a fourth grader in Mrs. Keep-Maloney's class. Jayden is in Mr. Wisse's fifth grade classroom. Congratulations Everett and Jayden, keep up the good work. We are proud of you!!

REMIND

Urbana City Schools is rolling out Remind district-wide. If you're not already familiar with Remind, it's a classroom communication app that makes it easy to stay involved in your child's learning. Remind is free to use, and you'll be able to get and send messages on any device- even right from your phone. As a part of this rollout, official accounts have been created for all the educators and parents at Urbana City Schools. On October 23rd, you should have received a text message from Remind. All you need to do is follow the steps in the text to finish setting up your account. If you did not receive a text, please understand that we are working to get everyone imported into the right classes and you should start receiving messages soon. We are excited for a better way to stay connected with you!



Thank you Urbana Fire Department and Captain Asper for presenting a fabulous fire safety lesson to the students. The students learned so much and we appreciate that you came to EAST!!

PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES

East Elementary will hold conferences on Monday, November 6 and Wednesday, November 8. The notices to choose a time for conferences were sent home with your child. If you need to schedule a conference please call the school at 937-653-1453 or send in the conference form to your child's teacher.

BOOKFAIR

East's Book Fair will be held the week of November 6th. We will have evening hours on November 6th and 8th, the conference days, after school until 6:30pm. Students will preview the books with their class on Monday, and purchase books on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. A percent of all purchases goes directly to East. Thank you for supporting East Elementary School.

If you have a volunteer form on file and would be able to give of your time, please email <u>eastclimberclub@gmail.com</u>. The Climber Club is organizing the volunteers.

East Good Citizens

Each month, East focuses on a character trait. October's character trait is Respect. Teachers choose a Good Citizen who consistently exhibits the character trait of the month. Good Citizens' pictures are in our large display case, located inside the main doors by the office. We film a short Good Citizen video, featuring our Good Citizens for the month that is shown to all students at East. On October 26 the Good Citizens enjoyed a lunch and a dessert with our special quests, Lieutenant Jacobs and Officer Hiltibran from the Urbana Police Department, in the teachers' lounge. The dessert was provided by the Climber Club. Congratulations to the following Good Citizens for October/Respect; Riley DeMoss, Evan Upchurch, Ryland Davis, Alayna Stacy, Alex Dixon, Mary Ober, Baylen Cordle, Jacob Flint, Kenadi McKee, Billy Cordle, Layla Nickell, Summer Bixler, Colton Lafferty, Makenzie Walters, Rodney Lowe, Emily Fisher, Cade Stokes

CLIMBERCLUB NEWS --- TONIGHT!!!

East Elementary's Climber Club is sponsoring their annual Food Truck FUNraiser on Friday, October 27, from 4:30-7PM. Food trucks will be set up along Washington Ave and there will be places for our families to sit and eat (rain or shine). Come and get your fill before the football game vs. Northwestern.

KINDNESS CLUB

The KC (Kindness and Compassion) Club is sponsoring an event called Socktober. East Elementary will be collecting and giving socks to The Caring Kitchen in Urbana. Socks can be new or clean, gently used. Socks are needed for any age or gender. We will collect socks through the end of the month. Our total so far 262! Thank you for helping others in need!

East Elementary is on Twitter!

The goal is to provide families with up to date, real-time information about the exciting happenings within our school. We hope that you join us on Twitter by following @urbanaeast.

If you need to create a Twitter account or want to know more about Twitter:

Visit <u>https://support.twitter.com/</u>

Check out the articles in the "Welcome to Twitter" box.

Ready to follow East Elementary?

1. Login to your Twitter account.

2. Type Urbana East in the search box at the top of your Twitter homepage.

3. Click on East Elementary to navigate to our profile page.

4. Click the **Follow** button on our profile page.

REMINDERS

- All visitors (Parents too!) must check in at the office when they enter the school and wear a badge)

- No flip-flop or stacked heel shoes at school. Please see page 16 in the handbook for more information on the elementary dress code.

- If your child is absent from school please call the office (937-653-1453) before 9:15am. You may call the night before or early in the morning and leave a message on the voice mail. This calling policy is for your child's protection.

- There is no supervision on the playground until 8:15am. Students need to arrive once there is supervision.

- All medication must be brought to school by an adult and given to the school nurse or principal. We cannot give medicine without a completed form from your doctor.

Student tickets for the Urbana High football games will be on sale in the office at East on Friday's only from 2:30 – 3:30pm. Student tickets are \$4.00, and we do not sell adult tickets. These tickets are good for any home football game.

-See your newsletters on line go to http://www.urbana.k12.oh.us/East/Newsletter.htm

- Outdoor Recess - The weather seems to be changing quickly!! Remember to dress your children for outside recess. We will go out as long as it is not raining and the temperature is above 20 degrees. The students should have hats, coats, gloves or mittens please.





