

Urbana Elementary

Kindergarten *through* Grade 5

News and Information

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Urbana Elementary Climber Club News

Climber Club is planning a **Dinner with Santa Night** on Tuesday night, December 7th from 5:00-7:00 pm at the PreK-8 building--and they need your help! If you would like to participate in the planning and/or can donate items or volunteer your time, please email Melanie Anders at Melanie.Anders@urbanacityschools.org. As soon as we have a list of helpers, we will be reaching out with a day/time to meet soon to plan and organize this fun Climber Club event!



PBIS Positive News

PBIS Rewards is up and running with all of our K-5 students earning points for following our Climber Code of being respectful, responsible, and ready! The PBIS Store/Cart made its rounds last week during students' library times and students could redeem their points for reward prizes of their choice.

Our UES K-5 PBIS Climber Code:

Be Respectful, Be Responsible, Be Ready!

Upcoming Events at UES!

Friday, 10/15/21: End of 1st quarter (*can you believe it?*)
4th graders will be signing the National Anthem during pre-game of the Urbana home football game

Monday, 10/18/21: NO SCHOOL

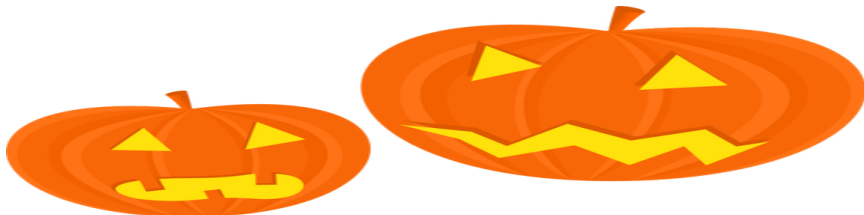
Wednesday, 10/20/21: Good Citizens breakfast, grades K-2

Thursday, 10/21/21: Good Citizens breakfast, grades 3-5

Tuesday, 10/26/21: 2nd grade Music Program @ UHS @ 7:00 pm

Thursday, 10/28/21: 4th grade Music Program @ UHS @ 7:00 pm

Friday, 10/29/21: K-5 Halloween Parties, 2:00-3:15 pm



NOTE: All K-5 students can BRING (NOT wear) a costume that will fit easily over their clothing. Students will NOT be changing in the restrooms. Also...NO make-up, NO masks, and NO plastic weapons/accessories with costumes.

The goal: a safe, healthy, and socially distanced celebration!

Parent-Teacher Conference time is almost here!

Tuesday, November 2: Grades 3-5 from 3:45-7:00 pm

Thursday, November 4: Grades K-2 from 3:45-7:00 pm

Tuesday, November 9: Grades K-2 from 3:45-7:15 pm

Thursday, November 11: Grades 3-5 from 3:45-7:15 pm

K-5 Book Fair will take place November 1-12 and be open during Parent/Teacher conference nights

Newsletter # 3



Attention parents and caregivers:

The backpack program will be starting up again in the next few weeks. The backpack program provides non-perishable food items that are sent home in participating student's backpacks on Friday afternoons. These items are intended to supplement the student's meals over the weekend, when school meals are not available. This is a **FREE** program available to all students. If you would like for your student to receive the food bags, please call the school at (937) 653-1453, Ext. 2120 and leave a message with your name, student's name, grade level, and teacher. **Please respond by October 22.**

November's Good Citizens

Next month, Mr. Bill Bean, Urbana's Mayor, will join our Good Citizens for breakfast on November 22 and November 23.

Youth Basketball



Anyone in grades 2-6 interested in playing basketball this year, can register online at hillclimberhoops.com or get more information by emailing: jeremy.dixon@urbanacityschools.org (for BOYS) or amanda.mounce@urbanacityschools.org (GIRLS).

Emotional Empowerment!

1. Identify emotions and what they mean. Labeling emotions enriches emotional vocabulary and signals that feelings should be discussed.

How adults can help. Say things like, "I'm feeling happy that we're spending time together" or "it looks like you're frustrated with finishing this math problem, but that's okay!"

Parent Access

We now have an app available for Parent Access. In the Google Play Store or Apple App Store, search for “Progressbook Parent and Student” to find and download the mobile app. If you already have an account--tap login, choose Urbana City Schools, tap go, enter your username and password and tap sign in. Students will follow the same directions but will tap Students Sign in with Google. If you have a registration key and need to create an account--open the app, tap login, choose Urbana City Schools, tap go, scroll down to the New to Progressbook? section, tap create account, on the next screen tap New Parent Account and follow the prompts on the screen to complete registration. You can watch a short video about how the app works at <https://bit.ly/UCSParentAccess>. If you need a registration key, please contact Kelli Marsh at kelli.marsh@urbanacityschools.org.

Remind

Parents are completely in control of their Remind accounts! You can login to Remind through the app on your smartphone or through the web at remind.com. Once you are logged in, you can change your notification preferences. You can add, remove, or edit your cell phone number and email address as well as adjust your app and desktop notification preferences via your Remind dashboard. On the web: Login to your Remind account on a computer (you will use your cell number or email to login), click your name in the upper left corner and then click on Account Settings. Select the Notification Preferences tab. Set your preferred way to receive notifications. Via Android: Log into the app on your phone. Click on the three vertical dots in the upper right corner of the screen. Click on Account. Click on the gear in the top right and choose Notifications. Via IOS: In the app, tap the gear icon in the upper left corner of the screen. Choose Push (the Remind logo pops up at the top of your screen if you receive a message), or double check your cell phone number and email address and save those preferences.



Making learning fun in kindergarten!

Mrs. Andreassen’s students are composing 3-D shapes!

The UHS After Prom Committee is conducting a unique fundraiser this year. They are selling wood cut-out collectibles of our old school buildings--North Elementary (\$20), South Elementary (\$20), *East Elementary (\$20), Urbana Local (\$20), and the UHS Castle (\$25)--get all four (4) as a set for \$75. *(*If you are interested in the East Elementary building, it is a pre-order situation and will arrive in January. Please email Denise if you are interested in the East building to get your name added to the pre-order list).*

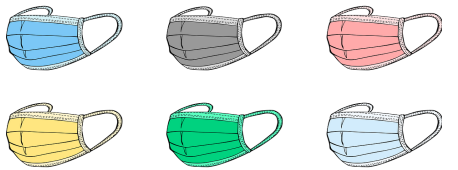
URBANA SCHOOL BUILDING COLLECTIBLES
Urbana High School 2022 After-Prom Committee
Contact Denise Thiel at thield@ctcn.net

NAME _____ ADDRESS _____
(Please Print) _____
PHONE NUMBER _____ CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

BUILDING	Quantity	Price Each	TOTAL
UHS 'Castle'		\$25.00	
North Elementary		\$20.00	
South Elementary		\$20.00	
Urbana Local		\$20.00	
4 Gift Pack - North, South, Local, & 'Castle'		\$75.00	
East Elementary (Pre-order for January 2022 delivery)			
		PAY AT DELIVERY	
		GRAND TOTAL	

Place your orders by contacting Denise at thield@ctcn.net. Orders will be delivered to the High School (after school) on Tuesday, 10/19 and to the PreK-8 building (after school) on Thursday, 10/21. Checks can be made payable to: Urbana After Prom.

MASK MANDATE IS STILL IN PLACE!



Please remind your child of proper mask wear: up over the nose and under the chin. *Let’s work together for health and safety of our students and staff*