Urbana Elementary

Kindergarten through Grade 5

News and Information

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Urbana Elementary Climber Club News

You still have time to order Hillclimber Spirit Wear for Christmas! The UES Climber Club Spirit Wear store is open ONLINE to view and purchase items. Ordering can be done in 3 easy steps:

- 1) Go online to https://urbanaclimberclub.itemorder.com/shop/sale/,
- 2) Choose your items and add them to your cart,
- 3) Securely checkout with your debit or credit card.

If you would like to order but are not able to purchase items online, please contact your child's teacher or the elementary office at (937) 653-1453 and we will send a paper order form home with your child. The **DEADLINE IS SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5th** to get in time for Christmas! Thank you for your support of our students!

We are still in need of donations and volunteers for the *Dinner with Santa Night* on <u>Tuesday, December 7th from 5:00-7:00 pm</u> at UES. If you can help, please contact Mr. Pack or Mrs. Anders at UES.



Our UES K-5 PBIS Climber Code: Be Respectful, Be Responsible, Be Ready!

Upcoming Events at UES!

Tuesday, 12/7: K-2 PBL Exhibition Day (schedule on next page)

Tuesday, 12/7: Dinner with Santa Night @ UES, 5:00-7:00 pm

Wednesday, 12/8: LAST DAY for Penguin/Santa Shop!

Tuesday, **12/14: 1st** grade Music Program @ UHS, 6:30 & 7:30 pm

Thursday, 12/16: 5th grade Music Program @ UHS, 6:30 & 7:30 pm

Tuesday, 12/21/21: K-5 Holiday Parties beginning @ 2:15 pm

Wednesday, 12/22/21: BEGIN HOLIDAY BREAK--NO SCHOOL

until **Tuesday, January 4, 2022**. See you in 2022!



The 12 Days of Christmas at Urbana Elementary School



Newsletter # 5

Congratulations to our November K-5 GOOD CITIZENS! Students enjoyed a hot breakfast with Urbana's Mayor, Mr. Bill Bean. The character trait was citizenship.

Zack Korte (Andreassen-K)
Madden Speckman (Bowdle-K)

Isley Dobberstein (Miesse-K)

Joshua Legge, Jr. (Oakes-K)

Olivia Wescott (Marsh-K)

lan Swain (Trout-K)

Bentley Huffman (Heim-K)

Nicholas Luza (Glessner-1st)

Karly Wooten (Hiltibran-1st)

Alice Partin (Pack-1st)

Vivian Coffman (Pemberton-1st)

Vincent Deppen (Childs-1st)

Layni Barrowman (Anderson-Deitrick-1st)

Anniston Hardman (Prince/Rooney-2nd)

Kamden Barrett (Shelpman-2nd)

Mari Fetz (Hower-2nd)

Raylen Dovel (Robison-2nd)

Josiah Holeton (Jacobs-2nd)

Layne Carson (Walters-2nd)

Caroline Dike (Roby-2nd)

Zackarie Holbrook (Petry-Brisley-ESC)

Lilly Parson (Burnside-3rd)

Ryland Watts (McGinnis-Weiss-3rd)

Hailee Ramey (Zirkle-3rd)

Hayden Perry (Siegenthaler-3rd)

Jagger Moore (Sullivan-3rd)

Indaka Kleismit (Hartman-3rd)

Zoey Errett (Edwards-3rd)

Zach Fernander (Keep-Maloney-4th)

Demario Browning (Keely-4th)

Courtney Randall (Deans-4th)

Cal Scott (Bline-4th)

Collin Pund (Recker-4th)

Liam Hardman (Wasson-4th)

Dylan Dailey (Sherman-5th)

Nikita Cooper (Bever-5th)

Madalynn Belmaggio (Pine-5th)

Kinlee Culp (Holeton-5th)

Martha Thornhill (Neer-5th)

Latasha Taylor (Inskeep-5th)

Brooklyn Robbins (Knight-ESC)

November *Students of the Month*

Alex Parker (Kindergarten, Marsh) Wrennyn Moore (1st grade, Pack) Sophia Lewis (2nd grade, Jacobs) Nevaeh Davis (3rd grade, Sullivan) Kaelyn Strader (5th grade, Neer)

URBANA ELEMENTARY YEARBOOKS FOR SALE!

We have extra copies of the 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 yearbooks for sale. If you are interested, please contact the school office at (937) 653-1453 or let your child's teacher know. They are **\$20** each.

FinalForms

We are excited to announce that Urbana City Schools has partnered with FinalForms, an online forms and data management service. FinalForms allows you to complete and sign forms for your students. The most exciting news is that FinalForms saves data from year to year, meaning that you will never need to enter the same information twice! FinalForms also prepopulates information whenever possible, for each of your students, saving you time. You may review your data at any time to verify that it is current. You will be required to sign your forms once per year and after any update. Emails have been sent to all parents with your login information. We understand that you may have filled out a paper form at the beginning of the year, but all forms will need to be done within FinalForms as soon as possible. If you did not receive an email, or you have any questions, please contact the office at your child's school. You may also contact Kelli Marsh - kelli.marsh@urbanacityschools.org for additional help.

DINNER WITH SANTA (AND MRS. CLAUS) NIGHT!



WHERE: URBANA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL WHEN: TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 5:00-7:00 pm

Get your picture taken with Santa and Mrs. Claus. Enjoy a dinner out with a pizza "meal deal" for only

\$3.00 per person. Crafts to make and reindeer games to play! Visit the 1st grade *Music and Movement* PBL in the elementary gym. Walk down the Preschool wing to shop in the Penguin Patch/Santa Shop (with free gift wrapping too). Come and join us for a fun night!



The Penguin Patch Holiday Santa Shop is now OPEN for business and will remain open during school hours until Wednesday, December 8th. Flyers and budget envelopes were sent home with your child last week. Your child will love shopping for family & friends for holiday gifts in our kid-friendly shop. While your child is having fun shopping, you are also helping raise money for our school. A portion of the proceeds will go right back to the Climber Club parent/teacher organization. If you would like to shop with your child, The Penguin Patch Santa Shop will also be open during evening hours from 5:00-7:00 pm on Tuesday, December 7 (during the Dinner with Santa Night). PLEASE NOTE: ONLY CASH and/or CHECKS (made payable to *Urbana Elementary Climber Club*) are accepted as form of payment (no credit/debit cards).

Wishing our families a safe and healthy holiday!



Our Literacy Coaches' Reading Corner

Monitoring and Correcting - Within the Text

When reading a text, it is important that

readers are accurately reading the words on the page. Often readers will stumble over a word or two. Sometimes, readers will skip entire lines or pages. Other times they just read a word incorrectly. ALL readers including adults - experience this almost every time they read. When readers pay attention to WHAT they are reading they will notice when something doesn't make sense, sound right, or look right. When that happens, they go back and correct the mistake. If you notice your reader going back and fixing mistakes, please encourage them to continue! They are showing you that they are checking in on their reading.

If you notice that your reader is not going back and fixing mistakes, you can prompt them with these questions:

- Did that make sense?
- You said _____.
 Does that look like the word on the page?
- Does that sound right? Don't feel like you need to point out every mistake your reader makes. This can take away from the enjoyment of reading. Your most important job at home is to make reading time a fun activity. If the book seems too hard, read to your child and discuss what the book is about.

Upcoming Music Programs at <u>Urbana High School</u>

Tuesday, December 14: 1st Grade

6:30 pm: Anderson/Deitrick, Childs, and Pemberton's classes

7:30 pm: Glessner, Hiltibran, Pack

Thursday, December 16: 5th Grade

<u>6:30 pm</u>: Bever, Inskeep, Neer <u>7:30 pm</u>: Holeton, Pine, Sherman

* K-2 PBL Exhibition Day *

9:30-10:30 am: 1st Grade 12:00 noon-1:00 pm: 2nd Grade 2:00-3:00 pm: Kindergarten