



Thursday, October 19, 2023

Upcoming Events

October

- 19 Parent/Teacher Conferences
- 25 End of the First Grading Period
- 26 Upstander Classroom Meetings
- 26 Reading Under the Lights (Stadium) 6:30
- 27 Fall Festival
- 31 Grade 3 Fall OST ELA Part 1

November

- 1 Grade 3 Fall OST ELA Part 2
- 1 Report Cards Sent Home
- 1 PTO Fundraiser Pick-up 3:30 - 7:00
- 2 & 3 Celebrate Success (Inflatables)
- 7 Fall Picture Retakes/Make-Ups
- 14 PTO Meeting @ NN 6:30
- 16 Upstander Classroom Meetings
- 20 Board Meeting @ NN 6:30
- 22-24 Thanksgiving Break – NO SCHOOL
- 27 Teacher Exchange Day – No School

5th Grade Yearbook Covers Winners!

Destiny Smith (Mrs. Swope's HR) - Front Cover
 Mia Wallace (Mrs. Kruse's HR) - Back cover.
 Congratulations to Destiny and Mia! A special thank you to all who participated!!! There were several really great drawings this year!

Grade 1 Musical – December 6th at 7:00

Grade 3 ELA OST

On Tuesday, October 31 and Wednesday, November 1 the third graders will be taking the Grade 3 Language Arts Ohio State Test at 9:00 am. We will take Part 1 of the test on Tuesday and Part 2 of the test on Wednesday. Thank you for your support in reading with your child to help prepare them for the Grade 3 Language Arts Test.

PTO Fundraiser Pick-Up

PTO would like to thank everyone who participated in the PTO Fundraiser. Items can be picked up on Wednesday, November 1st from 3:30 – 6:00 in the LES cafeteria. Thanks again for your continuous support!

Picture Retakes & Make-Ups – November 7

Fall pictures will be sent home at the end of October. Please make sure to bring back your pictures on November 7th if your child is getting his or her picture retaken.

Celebrate Success

Students will be celebrating their goals earned for the 1st 9-weeks on Thursday, November 2nd and Friday, November 3rd. Students will be jumping on inflatables in the gym during their special time.

Halloween Costume Guidelines

Students will be permitted to wear their costumes on Friday, October 27th to school. Students will walk through the nature trail outside of LES, a bag of candy will be provided by PTO. Students will also get their own pumpkin and decorate it during the day. PTO will also be providing each student with a donut and juice. Costumes that include cults, drugs, alcohol, weapons, blood or violence are not permitted at school. Students must participate in their regular day in their costume. Therefore, if a student needs a mask or anything that might be distracting to school for his or her costume, just be sure your child knows to keep it in his/her cubby until it is time to wear it. Be sure to consider these guidelines as you decide what costume your child will be wearing this year.

Louisville Elementary Scholastic Book Fair!!

The library will be open on Thursday, October 19th during parent/teacher conferences from **3:30-6:30**. Feel free to stop in the library to check things out.

PTO (Parent-Teacher Organization)

Our school is very lucky to have an active PTO that supports many things that happen at our school. All meetings are open to any parent that wants to know what is going on in the school. The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, November 14th, 2023, at 6:30 PM in the North Nimishillen School cafeteria. Currently, the PTO is looking for more volunteers to join their team. If we all help a little, we can do amazing things for our kids. Be sure to look through your PTO letter from Meet the Teacher Night for more information about the PTO.

Lost & Found

Are you missing any coats or sweatshirts? There are many items on our lost and found table located in the main office. On Friday, October 20th these items will be bagged up and given to Goodwill. So if you are looking for something special, please have your child stop by and look at our lost and found.

December

- 1 Yearbook Sale Starts
- 1 Interim Reports Sent Home
- 4-8 Spirit of Giving Week
- 6 Grade 1 Musical @ 7:00
- 11 Board Meeting @ Board Office 6:30
- 11-15 Secret Santa Shop (PTO)
- 11-15 Fill the Bucket Week
- 14 Upstander Classroom Meetings
- 20 Holiday Parties
- 21-29 Winter Break

January

- 1&2 Winter Break
- 3 Classes Resume
- 5 Upstander Movie and Activity
- 8 Board Meeting @ Board Office 6:30
- 9 PTO Meeting @ LES 6:30
- 11 Upstander Classroom Meetings
- 12 End of Grading Period
- 15 MLK Day - (No School)
- 18&19 Celebrate Success (Inflatables)
- 22-26 PTO Food Drive Week
- 23 Report Cards Go Home
- 29 PD - Waiver Day (No Students)
- 30 LES Fundraiser Begins

Apple/Smart Watch

Students are permitted to wear an apple/smart watch to school; however, they are not allowed to use it to communicate in any way. Please make sure your student is aware of this.

Water Bottles

Please make sure to send a water bottle with your student each day. Water fountains are now turned on if a student would prefer to use it. Students will be able to fill up their water bottle throughout the day. No pop, juice, tea, etc. is permitted.

Lunch Guests

This year we will continue to limit the number of adults in our building. Unfortunately, parents will not be able to come in for lunch. Thank you for understanding.

CARE TEAM CORNER

The holiday season is quickly approaching. If your family could use some assistance for the holidays please contact one of our Family Support Specialists Rhonda -LES - 330-875-1177 or Sara Corona - NN - 330-875-2661

Student Attendance

It is critical for all children to be in attendance at school daily. We do realize that from time to time children do get ill, and they should be home. Excusable reasons to keep your child home would be; running a temperature, vomiting, infection that has not been treated with antibiotics for at least 24 hours, funerals, or doctor appointments that cannot be made outside of school time.

You must phone the 24 hour Hotline at (330)875-7610 or call the school at (330)875-1177 before 9:30 am to report your child off of school. When reporting your child off of school, you may also request for homework to be sent home with another student or you can pick it up in the office 3:20-4:15. Upon return to school, the student must bring a written excuse or doctor's slip for an absence to be considered excused.

Reading Under the Lights

Reminder: Our Reading Under the Lights event will take place next Thursday, October 26 from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m at Leopard Stadium. We were truly disappointed that we had to cancel on its original date; however, we are ready to go for next Thursday. We hope to see you there!



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READING UNDER THE LIGHTS


OUR AWESOME ACTIVITIES


-  **TAKE A PICTURE**
SMILE WITH YOUR FAVORITE BOOK CHARACTER
-  **GO ON A BOOK WALK**
ENJOY NUMEROUS HANDS-ON ACTIVITIES
-  **EAT PIZZA AND SNACKS**
GRAB A QUICK BITE TO EAT AS YOU ENTER OUR RAFFLE FOR PRIZES

PRESCHOOL THROUGH FIFTH GRADE
STUDENTS AND THEIR FAMILIES ARE INVITED
TO AN INTERACTIVE LITERACY EVENT AT OUR
LEOPARD STADIUM. JOIN US AND OUR
COMMUNITY PARTNERS AS WE CELEBRATE
THE POWER OF READING!

26
OCT
6:30-8:00
P.M.
@ Leopard
stadium

SIMPLY DRESS AS YOUR FAVORITE BOOK CHARACTER (A QUICK GOOGLE SEARCH FOR "EASY BOOK CHARACTER COSTUMES" WILL DO THE TRICK), AND BRING A BOOK TO EXCHANGE. EVERYTHING ELSE IS ON US! WE HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

 Dress like your favorite book character

 Bring a book for our community book exchange

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