

# STILLWATER TOWNSHIP

## NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER 4, 2022

### IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Board of Education Meeting - 11/7/22  
School Closed - 11/10 & 11/11/22 NJEA Convention  
PTA Meeting - 11/14/22  
Fall Picture Retake/Make-Up - 11/15/22  
Parent Academy Night - 11/15/22  
Board of Education Meeting - 11/21/22  
12:40 PM Dismissal - 11/23/22  
School Closed 11/24 & 11/25/22 - Happy Thanksgiving

### SECOND GRADE NEWS

Second graders are finishing up their first unit of Writer's Workshop! Students have all finished their own small moments story and this week they will be having their writing celebration. They have learned various writing strategies and applied them while writing their stories. They learned how to develop bold beginnings, mighty middles, excellent endings, and how to edit and proofread. All students in second grade will share their stories they created with their peers. We also got to enjoy Buddy Day and students got to read with fourth grade students. In math, second graders have been adding fluently within 100 by using the various addition strategies they have learned. In science, students have been creating models to show how bodies of water are made on land. We hope everyone has a wonderful fall.

Mrs. Gryzeski



## FOURTH GRADE NEWS

Fourth Grade English Language Arts

It has been such a busy month in Fourth Grade! In reading, we have been enjoying *The One and Only Ivan* by Katherine Applegate. While getting to know the lovable characters, we have also been diving into analyzing the setting and gathering text evidence. We have been developing informational paragraphs in writing to analyze the text we have read. Everyone has done a great job digging into our class novel and other texts to find evidence and develop reasoning in their written work. The social studies textbook has been full of new vocabulary and we have been exploring geography while practicing map skills. I have really enjoyed seeing how everyone is growing so much already.

Mrs. Maeurer

## SIXTH GRADE NEWS

On a chilly afternoon in October, Mrs. Steffens had a visitor in her 6th grade Social Studies classes! For many years her father has come to visit the schools she has taught in to share his knowledge and artifacts from the Lenni Lenape people who lived here many years ago. Mr. Price has spent much of his life building his collection by walking through nearby cornfields and streams finding small remnants of the lives of these Native American people and what they left behind. The students enjoyed passing around arrowheads, pieces of flint, part of an ax, a garden hoe, jewelry, game pieces and much more! The students were left inspired after his visit and have already been searching their backyards for items of their own! Thank you again Mr. Price for your visit.

Mrs. Steffens



## MORNING FITNESS CLUB

The Morning Fitness Club has been meeting for the past several weeks. The students have enjoyed playing different tag games, participating in Halloween gym stations as well as having a friendly Lu competition between club members! As a reminder, the Club starts at 7:45 AM and will continue through the second week in December.

Mrs. Riva

## STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS

It's November and our student council is busy with many activities this fall:

This Monday **November 7th**, will be a **Red, White, and Blue Day** for the whole school. Both students and staff are invited to participate. The Student Council is asking for a \$1.00 donation from all participants. the money collected will be donated to the Go GI Fund, honoring all veterans of America!


Also **beginning Monday, November 7th-18th**, the Student Council is kicking off their annual **toy drive**. Your child may bring in a new, unwrapped toy to donate. all donations will be brought to Project Self Sufficiency's "Stuff the Stocking" event. Collection boxes are in the hallway, outside the second grade classrooms. Let's all try to reach our goal of 300 toys!



Lastly, we will be having a schoolwide **Pajama Day on December 2nd**. All students and staff may wear pajamas to school (no slippers, please). The Student Council is collecting a \$1.00 donation on this day to support the patients of Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, or CHOP!

Thank you to all of our families for your support.

## **STILLWATER SCHOOL PARENT ACADEMY NIGHTS**



Join us for Stillwater School's Parent Academy Nights featuring several important topics.

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### **CYBERBULLYING AND SOCIAL MEDIA**

**Date:** Tuesday, November 15, 2022  
**Time:** 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm  
**Presenter:** Detective Dave Perez, Sussex County Prosecutor's Office  
**Info:** This session will provide information on cyberbullying and the proactive measures parents can take to keep children safe on social media.

**RSVP HERE:**  
[HTTPS://FORMS.GLE/YGYEDHSL0YP02GEG8](https://forms.gle/YGYEDHSL0YP02GEG8)

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### **THINGS THAT GO BUMP IN THE NIGHT: UNDERSTANDING ANXIETY IN CHILDREN AND TEENS**

**Date:** Tuesday, March 28, 2023  
**Time:** 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm  
**Presenter:** Debra E. Koss, M.D.  
**Info:** This session will focus on identifying and understanding anxiety in children and teens as well as ways to effectively support your child(ren).

**SAVE THE DATE!**  
**RSVP LINK TO FOLLOW**


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### **ADHD: SUPPORTING YOUR CHILD AT HOME AND SCHOOL**

**Date:** Tuesday, April 25, 2023  
**Time:** 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm  
**Presenter:** Jeanne Smetana, LCSW  
**Info:** This session will provide information on ADHD both in the classroom and at home. You will receive strategies on how to best support your child(ren) in both environments! \*

**SAVE THE DATE!**  
**RSVP LINK TO FOLLOW**

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For more information please contact Mrs. Cramer in the main office.  
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## SCHOOLWIDE FUNDRAISER TO SUPPORT THE 6TH GRADE

🕒 Tuesday, November 29th - Saturday, December 3rd 🕒

1. Download the Double Good App



2. Enter our fundraising Event Code



3. Create and personalize your Pop-Up Store



There are over a dozen Double Good gourmet popcorn flavors with prices ranging from \$16-\$99

Top seller wins an ice cream party for their class!! 🍦

Check out the leaderboard on the app to see who is in the lead!

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Stillwater 6th Grade Recognition is doing a Double Good popcorn virtual fundraiser! It is 100% contactless, the product ships directly to your buyers!

**The 6th Grade Class thanks you for your support!**

Please contact Kayla Philhower with any questions!

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