



NEWSLETTER

Middle School Students of the Month



Music Apparel is Available

An online store is open until October 27. Shirts should be ready mid-November for pick up at Sportique Graphics in Berne.



https://southadamsmusicdepartment.itemorder.com/shop/sale/?fbclid=IwY2xjawFyc5NleHRuA2FibOIxMOABHYPSHbicIKU8NRnU4ueeEONf_pYrYFrE92zpd2Qc3mtXK9DLGT0k2Umyg_aem_x0Mp_RfR7JSxkOTO2aF1kw

Middle School Pumpkin Carving Competition

The M.S. Student Council/Spirit Committee is hosting a pumpkin carving/painting competition for M.S. Students. Carve your pumpkin at home and bring it to school October 28-31. Judging will happen on October 31. The top three winners will receive a gift card.



East of Chicago Night

On **Tuesday, November 5th**, you can vote and then head to East of Chicago for supper. South Adams Elementary staff will be working at East of Chicago in Berne from **5:00-7:30 p.m.** The buffet costs \$10.99 for ages 11-adult, \$4.99 for ages 6-10, and 50 cents per year for kids 5 and under. All tips will go to S.A. Elementary School.



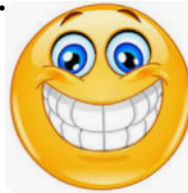
First Quarter Ended October 9

The first quarter ended on Wednesday, October 9th. If your child is a middle school athlete, please remember the following grade eligibility requirements. If a MS student receives an F on the 9-week report card, the student will be ineligible for contests for two (2) weeks. After 2 weeks, the students may receive a weekly grade check each Monday to see if the grade is passing. If a student fails 3 weeks of grade checks, the student will be dismissed from the sport for the remainder of the season (see pages 32 and 33 of the MS handbook).

SPORTS RULES

School Picture Retakes

If you weren't crazy about your child's picture packet, please return the packet on **Tuesday, October 15** and have their picture retaken. If your child was absent on the first picture day, they can have their picture taken for the yearbook. If you wish to order pictures, please pick up an order form in the PreK-8 Office. Payment is due when you order.



Parent/Teacher Conferences

MS Parent/Teacher Conferences will be held Thursday, October 17 and Monday, October 21 from 3-6 p.m. Pick the night that works best for you. Elementary parents will have scheduled parent/teacher conferences. You will receive information from your child's teacher.



Calendar



Monday, October 14

Level 3 Movie Party for elementary

Tuesday, October 15

School Picture retakes

MS Football vs. Woodlan (home) - 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, October 16

MS Study Tables will meet after school on Oct. 16 instead of Oct. 17 due to P/T Conferences.

Thursday, October 17

School Smiles Dentist will be at SA MS Intense Intervention field trip to BCM in the a.m.

Parent/Teacher Conferences from 3-6 p.m.

Robotics Meeting at 6 p.m. for 6th & 7th grade Robotics Parents in Kim LeFever's classroom. 8th grade Robotics parents will schedule a meeting with Mrs. LeFever at Parent/Teacher Conferences.

MS/HS Fall Choir Concert at 7 p.m.

Monday, October 21

3rd Grade Community field trip to Fear Powersports, EP Graphics, McDonalds, and ACE.

Art to Remember Orders are due!

Parent/Teacher Conferences 3-6 pm
MS/HS Fall Band Concert at 7 p.m. in the auditorium.

Tuesday, October 22

Elementary Fall Parties

MS Escape to SKYZONE, Ft. Wayne for qualifying MS students.

Kdg. RAH RAH Reward to Lehman Park from 10-11:30 a.m.

October 23-25

Fall Vacation

Monday, October 28

Nick Ferreri, Wane TV, will talk to 5th graders about the weather at 10.

The marching band performs in the Callithumpian Halloween Parade in Decatur at 7 p.m.

Saturday, November 2

Holiday Bazaar

Star Cards

We have extra **STAR** cards for \$15 (**note the price increase**)! The cards have discounts at many local businesses and can be used repeatedly for an entire year. The **STAR** cards will now be sold in the MS office (while supplies last)!



Grandparents/VIP Day for Elementary Kids Friday, November 8 from 1:15-2:30 p.m.

We will have an **OPEN HOUSE** on Friday, November 8 from 1:15-2:30 p.m. for Grandparents and other VIPs to visit our school. They can visit the classrooms. Students can give them a tour of their classrooms and our school. **Visitors should park close to Door S30.** We will have a shuttle available to transport visitors to the school building. Kids will return to class after the open house. We are very excited to meet everyone!



Veterans

If you or someone you know is a veteran, we would love to have a photo to add to our Veteran's Day display at the High School. Please include name, service branch, years of service, and hometown. Photocopied or scanned photos may be sent to Mindy Monticue at mmonticue@southadams.k12.in.us. Items may also be brought in for display in the South Adams High School Library showcase. If you are interested in displaying an item(s), you may contact Mindy at the address already mentioned, or Mary Highley in the high school library. We will receive items up until Friday, Nov. 1st.



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Grades K-5

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Breakfast with SANTA CLAUS


COOKIE DECORATING & DONATION BREAKFAST

Bring the whole family for a special Meet and Greet event, where kids can decorate Christmas cookies, meet Santa, and enjoy a pancake & sausage breakfast!

-  **Saturday, November 16, 2024**
7-10 am or until supplies run out
-  **Geneva Volunteer Fire Department**
200 E. Line Street, Geneva, IN 46740
-  All Proceeds Support
The Geneva Volunteer Fire Department Ladies' Auxiliary



MS/HS Yearbooks
24/25 MS/HS yearbooks can be purchased online at <http://jostens.com/ybksm>. For the 3rd year in a row, the middle school students will be included in the HS yearbook. The 23/24 MS/HS yearbooks have not arrived yet but should arrive soon.



School Smiles Dental Care

 **Thursday, October 17th** 



The dentist is coming to our school on October 17th! You can register your child for this service online at <https://schoolsmiles.com/student-signup/>. The dental team will set up inside our school during school hours to see students for dental cleanings. They accept Medicaid, private insurance, and offer self-pay rates. School Smiles requires a new registration form be filled out each school year. If you are interested in this awesome service, please complete the form and turn it in to your child's teacher or the office ASAP. Please call the nurse's office with any questions.

Art Fundraiser



Our school is participating in a fundraiser with Art to Remember. This program benefits our art department and you will have the opportunity to purchase keepsake items customized with your child's artwork. The products make great gifts for friends and family members!

Orders were sent home last week and are due by October 21.



Order online at [ArtToRemember.com](https://www.ArtToRemember.com)



SOUTH ADAMS GOLD CLUB WRESTLING REGISTRATION

South Adams Gold Club is open to all kids in Grades K-5

Registration can be made online at the link below or in-person on Monday, November 11th from 6:00-7:00 pm in the cafeteria.

Cost : \$60, Optional \$20 singlet rental

Practice Times: Mondays & Wednesdays from 6:00-7:00 pm

First practice is Wednesday, November 13. All practices are located in the new multi-purpose facility.



Any questions, contact Coach Nathan Wynn at nathankwynn77@gmail.com