



NEWSLETTER

South Adams Elementary Young Authors



We are very proud of all of our young authors. The following students' stories were selected to advance in the PBS39 Writing Contest.

Kindergarten: Fitzgerald Billington, Lakely Sprunger, Hans Eicher

1st Grade: Rose Mary Hershberger

2nd Grade: Novalynn Reed, Sienna Cramer, Cassandra Hammitt, Nora Provost

3rd Grade: Easton Caffee, Jenna Kiefer, Mackynzie Toland, Evelyn Anderson, Harper Miller

4th Grade: Lane Rediger, Dominik Yoder, Harper Moser, Madison Weaver, Lyndsey Myers





**Youth 6th - 8th grade
Boys and Girls**
Join **Guardian** to sign up

\$20.00
all summer





GUARDIAN Golf

JOIN US AT
Wabash Valley Golf Course

Every Monday
April 28 - May 19, 4:00 - 5:45
May 26 - July 21, 2:00 - 3:45

Gold Safety
Gold Etiquette
Gold Rules

About Guardian Golf
Empowering and equipping kids to become good servants through the wonderful game of golf. USGA rules will be taught to new and seasoned golfers. Fee includes driving range, balls, tees, and lessons. Clubs can be provided.

Guardian Golf FCA
Remind Text 81010
Msg: @guardgolf

Chris Toledo
260-849-9564
christoledo92@gmail.com

Wabash Valley Golf Club
260-368-7383

Washington DC Trip

If your student is interested in the Washington DC Trip that will be happening June of 2026 (for 2025-2026 6th, 7th, and 8th graders) please contact Mrs. Fosnaugh at afosnaugh@southadams.k12.in.us.



Calendar



Monday, May 5

Kindergarten Screenings begin for incoming kindergarten students.

4th Grade Wax Museum from 6:30-7:15 p.m.

MS Track at S.Wells Boys Relays - 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday, May 6

First grade to Ft. Wayne Zoo (lv. at 8:30/ret. at 2 p.m.)-rain date is May 13

Wednesday, May 7

3rd grade field trip to Armstrong Air & Space Museum

Thursday, May 8

Last day to earn A/R points for EOC luncheons and book shopping trip

MS Track at A.C. Girls Relays - 5 p.m.

MS Tennis at A.C. - 5 p.m.

Friday, May 9

Kindergarten Moms come for a picnic

MS Students vs Staff basketball, volleyball and possibly dodgeball in the p.m.

Monday, May 12

A/R Field Trip to Fort Wayne for the 300 Pt Club (lv. at 9/ret. at 2:30 p.m.)

MS Track vs. S.Wells/Heritage at Heritage - 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday, May 13

JD Keller's class (a.m. and Sturgeon/McKean-p.m. go to the Decatur Safety Village for Bicycle Safety

MS II Field Trip to McMillen Health (lv. at 8:15 a.m./ret. at 1:30 p.m.)

MS Tennis at Jay County - 5 p.m.

Wednesday, May 14

5th grade to Biz Town (lv. at 8:30/ret. at 2:30)

Vergara-a.m. and Crider-p.m. go to the Decatur Safety Village for Bicycle Safety

Thursday, May 15

Gerber's class to the Decatur Safety Village for Bicycle Safety - a.m.

4th/5th grade track meet - a.m.

Blue For Brooks - We LOVE and SUPPORT Brooks!



Blue For Brooks



Mrs. White's students are selling Blue Bracelets to raise money for Brooks. If you don't know who Brooks is, he's going through cancer. This is his second time going through this sickness. He is having a very expensive treatment called Chemo, so we are collecting money to help pay for the treatments and hospital stays. Pray for Brooks as he fights cancer again. Nobody Fights Alone! Each bracelet will be sold for \$1.00 during lunches (while supplies last). Our first round of bracelets sold out the first day so more bracelets were ordered. Donations will also be accepted.



SUMMER CAMP 2025

EARLY BIRD SPECIAL!

\$25 registration fee (per family) if registered by Spring Break!
After Spring Break- \$25 registration fee

Summer Camp Hours:
5:30am-5:30pm

Summer Club Hours:
12pm-5:30pm

**Club hours (12-5:30) free to all registered club members.*

Summer Camp Prices (per child):
\$15 per day or \$45 per week
*\$50 per week for each additional child after first two children

GREAT FUTURES START HERE.

BOYS & GIRLS CLUB of South Adams

KIDS NUTRITION CAMP

AT THE PAVILION

Who: Kids Grades K-5
What: Fun Nutrition Education
When: June 17-20 | 2pm-4pm
Where: The Muselman Wellness Pavilion
Why: Nutrition is FUNDamental to a long and healthy life!

REGISTRATION OPEN:
MAY 19 – JUNE 10
COST: FREE
SCAN HERE TO REGISTER!

Must have completed Kindergarten. Limited to 40 kids.

Arthur & Gloria Muselman Wellness Pavilion
SuperKids Nutrition
The SUPER CREW
American Institute for Cancer Research

GIFTED ARTS PLACE

First Steps in Music

Registration will go live April 21st!

Class taught by Amelia Freeman

Classes:

10 - 23 months old	9:00 - 9:35 AM
2 - 3 years old	10:00 - 10:35 AM
4 - 5 years old	11:00 - 11:35 AM

Price:
First Steps + Class Materials - \$60
First Steps (already have materials) - \$45

Call 260-726-1809 or visit myartsplace.org for more information.

Portsmouth Arts & Cultural Center
NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS
The Portland Foundation
COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF PORTLAND

ATTENTION 6TH GRADE PARENTS!

IMPORTANT IMMUNIZATION REMINDER

As your child prepares to enter 6th grade, state law requires the following vaccinations before the first day of school:

- ✓ Tdap (Tetanus, Diphtheria, and Pertussis)
- ✓ Meningococcal (MCV4)

These vaccines are **REQUIRED** to help keep your child and our school community safe.

WHAT YOU NEED TO DO:

1. Schedule an appointment with your child's healthcare provider or local health department.
2. Bring your child's updated immunization record to the school office.
3. Make sure all records are turned in **BEFORE THE FIRST DAY OF 6TH GRADE**

Don't wait—beat the back-to-school rush.

Thank you for helping keep our school healthy and safe.

JOIN THE SOUTH ADAMS COLORGUARD

Spin flags, dance, perform with the band!

**No experience necessary
Open to anyone grades 7-12**



High School Callout Meeting
Advisory, 5/20
In the band room



Middle School Callout Meeting
Advisory, 5/21
In the band room

QUESTIONS?

Talk to Mrs. Schwinn – rschwinn@southadams.k12.in.us

The United Way Clothe A Kid Project

Last week we emailed information about Clothe A Kid including an application to apply for this assistance. If your family is experiencing financial hardship, you can apply for clothing assistance for children entering Kindergarten through 8th grade for the 2025-2026 school year. Applications are due by July 11. Hard copies of the application are available in the PreK-8 office.



LADY STARFIRE BASKETBALL CAMP



Who: Girls currently in grades 5, 6, & 7

Where: South Adams Middle School Gym.

When: Tuesday, May 27th thru Thursday,
May 30th, from 12:30-2:00 p.m.

South Adams Girl's Basketball is excited for the opportunity to work with your daughter.

This summer's camp time will include:

Instruction by members of the South Adams Lady Starfire coaching staff and current high school players. Fundamentals of dribbling, passing, shooting, defense, rebounding, and team concepts will be focused on. *There will also be contests each day with awards being given.* Today, most camps will cost you over \$250 for the same type of instruction that you can receive for \$50 here at South Adams. This is a tremendous opportunity to learn the game of basketball at an affordable price, and develop your skills to make you the best basketball player you can be. We ask that you try everything, and do it to the best of your ability. Campers will also be introduced to offenses we use in the program. **This is a key camp to start preparing girls for their middle and high school careers.**

***All campers will receive:**

-Lady Starfire Basketball Tee-shirt

-Practice shorts

-Basketball

-Certificate

Cost: \$50.00

All checks should be made payable to:

South Adams High School

*Please contact Coach Brett Freeman at
(260) 589-1102 ext. 320 or at

bfreeman@southadams.k12.in.us with any questions.

*Please detach the right portion of this paper to send in, and keep the left side for your information.

2025 Lady Starfire Basketball Camp Application

(please print all information)

Player Name: _____

Home Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Home Phone #: _____

Age: _____

Shirt Size: Youth: S M L
(circle one) Adult: S M L XL XXL

Shorts Size: Youth: S M L
(circle one) Adult: S M L XL XXL

Grade: 5 6 7
(circle one)

Please read carefully and sign:

I hereby authorize the directors of the South Adams Lady Starfires Basketball Camp to act for me according to their best judgment in any emergency situation requiring medical attention.

(parent/guardian signature)(date)

All applications and camp fees must be returned to the address below by **Friday, May 9th. You can drop it off before noon in the Elem/MS office as well.

Shirts, shorts, and basketballs will be ordered at this time.

**Also include your child's name on the check if paying by check.

Return this page with fees to:
South Adams Middle School
1212 Starfire Way
Berne, IN. 46711
C/O Brett Freeman