

February 2nd, 2018



Eastridge Elementary THE CAPSULE



Mrs. Johnson's Journal

It is very important for children to develop habits of arriving on time at an early age, beginning from the time they start school. Arriving on time for school and class gives your child time to greet their friends before class and can reduce the possibility of disruptions in the classroom.

Did you know?

* The likelihood of success in learning is strongly linked to strong participation in school programs which is linked to arriving on time.

#schoolattendanceiscool

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Upcoming Dates

PARENTS PLEASE REMEMBER THAT WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7TH, 2018 IS A LATE START FOR ALL SCHOOLS. BUSES WILL RUN ONE HOUR LATER THAN NORMAL AND SCHOOL WILL BEGIN AT 9:30AM. THE LATE BELL WILL RING AT 9:40AM AND AT THAT TIME STUDENTS WILL NEED TO ENTER THROUGH DOOR ONE (THE FRONT DOOR).



- Tuesday, February 6th**
Skating Party 6:30pm-8:30pm
- Wednesday, February 7th**
LATE START
- Friday, February 9th**
Sweethearts Dance & Dinner 6-8pm

“ You can quote me on that”

“ You are never too old or too young to set another goal, or to dream a new dream.”
-C.S. Lewis

WE ARE A COMMUNITY!

Sonny Day Community Center
10502 E. 21St, Indpls. In. 46229

Sonny Day Community Center is a PTA run help center that assists families with food, clothing, toiletries, school supplies, cleaning products and clothes. They are typically open twice a month. **The February distribution dates are: Saturday 2/10/18 from 9-11am and Thursday 2/22/18 from 6-7:30pm .**

PLEASE CONTACT YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL FOR INFORMATION ON THE REFERRAL POLICY.

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February 19th- President's Day- NO SCHOOL

**** SNOW MAKE UP DAYS:
JUNE 1ST**



JUNE 4TH

“JACK AND THE BEANSTALK”

Auditions for the actresses and actors will be **Monday, February 5 from 4:30 p.m. to 6 p.m. in the Creston Middle School auditorium.**

Approximately 65 students in grades K through 8 will be selected for roles in this play. **ONLY students enrolled in a MSD Warren Township school are eligible to participate. Rehearsals will be nightly from 4:30 – 9:00 p.m. Actors and actresses MUST attend all rehearsals for their roles.**

No advance preparation is needed – just attend on time, follow the director’s instructions and meet some new friends. A nice smile is always appreciated. Older students who get a part will stay for rehearsal that evening. Send a snack with your student or plan to bring one if they stay for practice.

This is the 19th year that the Warren Arts & Education Foundation has sponsored a Mis-soula Play.

Performances are 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. Saturday, February 10 in the Creston auditorium.

Sweetheart’s Dance

Eastridge is hosting a “Sweethearts Dance” on Friday, February 9th, 2018. We hope to see Fathers with their daughters AND mothers with their sons at this event! The dance is free for PTA members and \$5.00 for non PTA members. There will also be a spaghetti dinner for \$2.00 per person (PTA & non PTA members.) Please send in RSVP for the dance by Wednesday, February 7th, 2018. We hope to see you all there!

COUNSELOR’S CORNER

From your school counselor:

- ★ Classroom lessons about importance of thinking before you speak, learning to accept the word “No,” controlling anger, and thinking about our future careers
- ★ Social skill groups this week are focusing on what are the qualities of a good friend and how to filter certain thoughts
- ★ Practice social skills at home by doing a fun art project together! A favorite is a “Sensory Bottle.” All you need is a clear bottle, fill it with water, put some baby oil and glitter in, and you’ve got a fun visual relaxer!
- ★ As always, remember that we are here for you! Reach out with any questions, comments, or concerns.

MCHD coming to Eastridge


Attention Parents:

The week of February 12th, 2018 the Marion County Health Department will be coming to Eastridge to conduct hearing and vision test. The testing will be done as listed below:

- 1st grade: Vision and Hearing testing
- 3rd grade: Vision testing
- 4th grade: Hearing testing



BOOK FAIR

 February 6th-13th (during school hours) you have an amazing opportunity to shop at our book fair! There will be tons of great books and other items for you and your child(ren) to purchase. If you want to volunteer please call and speak to Mrs. Sparks to confirm volunteer time slots for those days. The Book Fair will also be open from 6-8 during the Sweetheart Dance Feb 9th. Please stop by and support the book fair.



Weekly Attendance

Kindergarten	1st grade	2nd grade	3rd grade	4th grade	Eastridge Total	Township Goal
94.41	92.27	94.53	94.16	96.65	94.40	97%