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## BOTH GC ROBOTICS TEAMS ARE GOING TO WORLD!!



Our 3rd Grade Team (ScorpionBot) absolutely killed it during their Teamwork matches Saturday and rocked it in the finals with a 4th place finish! These kids have shown SO much growth in the past month and really stepped it up! Our 4th Grade Nerd Patrol Team has worked tirelessly for months on modifying their bot, improving driving skills, going a lot deeper with their STEM Research Project, developing their autonomous program, and completing a nearly 200 page Design Notebook. It paid off Saturday at the State Championship Competition in the biggest way as they won the EXCELLENCE AWARD which is the highest award presented at any VEX IQ Event. We are over the moon excited for these kids and so proud of them for their hard work. Thank you to Coaches Dustin Ecker and Katy Williams for their excellent leadership skills and for representing our school in a very professional but compassionate manner.



Way to go!

## "PUTTING CHILDREN FIRST"



## GRASSY CREEK MISSION STATEMENT

Grassy Creek Elementary empowers children to be life-long learners and productive citizens in our diverse Community.



SPRING BREAK  
MARCH 19TH  
THROUGH  
MARCH 30TH!  
SCHOOL RECONVENES  
MONDAY, APRIL 2ND!  
ENJOY!



REPORT CARDS GO HOME  
TODAY-FRIDAY,  
MARCH 16TH



## HAT DAY-FRIDAY, APRIL 6TH



On Friday, April 6th, students can pay \$1 to wear a crazy hat. All proceeds will go to the YMCA for Grassy Creek families who are in need of YMCA services and cannot afford it. Thanks for your support!

## PRINCIPAL'S POINT:

Good evening parents,

We are getting ready for our first big event for next year. It is our Kindergarten Round-Up, which is Monday evening, April 9th, from 5:30-7:00pm. Please help us spread the word throughout the Grassy Creek community and especially to those families that have incoming Kindergarten students, but don't currently have a student attending Grassy Creek. It also gives us an opportunity to share information with those families about the types of things they can work on over the summer to help their child be as prepared as possible when starting their educational journey. We are in hopes that everyone has a safe and relaxing Spring Break with family and friends.

Sincerely,

Christy Merchant, Proud Principal



# PTA CORNER



Reminder about the next skating party which is Thursday, April 5th. The next PTA Association meeting is Thursday, April 5th at 5:00 p.m. If you are interested in running for an officer position, please contact the school or email [pta.grassycreek@gmail.com](mailto:pta.grassycreek@gmail.com) by April 27th. We will be voting on those positions at the May 3rd Association meeting. Everyone is welcome!

Haley Hilliard, PTA President



## Kindergarten Families-Save the Date

The date of our Kindergarten Music Program is April 26th, 2018! This year's theme is "Adventures Away". Please save the date, April 26th, at 6:00 p.m. Kindergarten students should arrive at 5:45 p.m. More information will follow.



## LITERACY NIGHT—A HUGE SUCCESS!

As you can see, students, staff and their families had a great time Tuesday evening playing games, reading books, and participating in the scavenger hunt during Literacy Night. Thank you to Ms. Steiner and all of our staff that made this evening an exciting family event.

**FUN!**



## FIELD CLEAN UP DAY



Please join Warren Little League on April 14th, 2018 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. for a fun day beautifying our fields and preparing them for the start of our Spring 2018 baseball season! This year Warren Little League has partnered up with Disney Parks and Points of Light. Warren Little League was APPROVED for this project with their clean up day! The more volunteers that participate in their clean up day the more Disney Park tickets they will earn! Tickets will be used as a contest prize for the work that you put in. These tickets will be valid for 2 years to give you time to plan your trip.

### How to be eligible to win Disney Parks tickets:

- Must volunteer a minimum of 4 hours
- Sign a volunteer form when you get to the park

### How does the donation work?

- If we get 15-34 volunteers=5 tickets will be put into the drawing
- 35-74 volunteers=10 tickets will be put into the drawing
- 75 or more =20 tickets will be put into the drawing

Please contact **Cindy Hobbs** for questions or to sign up as an individual or family at [luv4family@comcast.net](mailto:luv4family@comcast.net). The Rain Date make up is April 21st, 2018 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

**DELAYED START DATE-WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11TH:** On Wednesday, April 11th, Grassy Creek will have a delayed start of 9:30 a.m. All buses will run 1 hour later than normal in the morning. This does not impact dismissal time.







## WARREN TOWNSHIP SCHOOLS PRESENT STEAM



### SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY ENGINEERING + ARTS MATHEMATICS NIGHT



**TUESDAY, APRIL 10TH, 2018 6:00-7:30 P.M.**

**Join us at Warren Central HS and Walker Career Center!**

**Featuring: Robotics, Graphic Design, Culinary Arts, Student Performances, Art Show & Exhibits, and much more!  
Mark your calendars NOW!**



**SAVE THE DATE!:** The World Famous Harlem Wizards are Coming!

**Date:** Friday, April 27th

**Time:** 6:30 p.m.

**Location:** Warren Central High School—South Gym

**Watch the Harlem Wizards as they take on our teachers and community members! Tickets will be available soon.**



### ATTENTION GIRLS IN GRADES K-6! FREE WCHS OUTDOOR SOCCER LEAGUE

A flyer came home this week with girls in grades K-4 about a free girls spring soccer league. The league will run for six weeks. Each week will consist of one practice on Monday evening and one game played on Wednesday evening. Players will be broken up into different age groups. They will play at the ESSA soccer field, 937 S. German Church Rd. To register go on online to: <https://goo.gl/forms/HMAOCIC27lbyxJ3> or fill out the registration form you received and our school will mail it in to the person in charge.



### GALLERY AT THE CREEK SAVE THE DATE!

Please save the date for the popular Gallery at the Creek on Thursday, April 19th. More information will follow after Spring Break.



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Date*



### NEWS FROM THE MEDIA CENTER!

Summer break will be here before you know it and we all know how important reading is. Grassy Creek will hold a book fair May 7-11 during school hours and Muffins with Moms, where you can purchase brand new books for your child to read over Summer Break. We will have books by the author that visited Grassy Creek, Sherri Duskey Rinker, available. The book fair will have reasonably priced books available as low as \$2. Book fairs allow our media center, the opportunity to purchase brand new books for circulation. We appreciate your continued support of the Grassy Creek media center and our book fair.





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