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HOME OF THE FREE BECAUSE OF THE BRAVE

Last Thursday, Student Council completed another service project under the guidance of Mr. Gammons' mother, Marla Gammons. Mr. Gammons is a former 4th grade teacher at Grassy Creek and now teaches at Brookview Elementary. They filled ziploc baggies with snacks and hygiene products to ship to troops in Kosova. The money you donated from March's Green Out Day funded this project. Our Student Council thanks you for showing Civility.

STUDENT COUNCIL PREPARES TROOP CARE BASKETS



SUPPORT

"PUTTING CHILDREN FIRST"



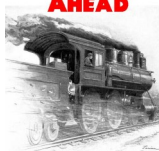
GRASSY CREEK MISSION STATEMENT

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

Kindergarten Music Program

Please come out to our Kindergarten Music Program on Thursday, April 26th, at 6:00 p.m. This year's theme is "Adventures Away". The students have been working very hard so their performance should be very entertaining. Kindergarten students should arrive at 5:45 p.m.

ADVENTURE AHEAD



Kindergarten

SHELDON'S DAYLIGHT CAMP

What: Free Co-Ed Football Camp for current 4th-6th graders featuring former Warren Central Warriors and current San Francisco 49er **Sheldon Day!**

Where: Warrior Stadium @ WCHS

When: June 20-21 5:30-8:00 PM

June 22 ND campus visit (6th Grade only)

June 23 11:00 AM-1:00 PM

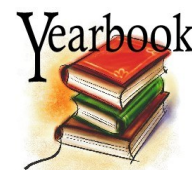
Register: www.sheldonday.net

Registration closes on May 25th or after the first 150 campers.



BUY YOUR GRASSY CREEK YEARBOOK TODAY!

We have a supply of 2017/2018 Grassy Creek Yearbooks on sale in the school office for \$13.00 a copy. Capture those memories and purchase your copy today while supplies last!



PRINCIPAL'S POINT:

Good evening families,

We will be finishing on Monday with ISTEP testing for the 2017-2018 school year, and we appreciate your support throughout the process. As we enter the month of May, please consider reaching out to your child's teacher to see what types of things your child can work on over the summer months. The research shows that students who do not participate in any academic tasks (read a book daily, practice math skills, write, etc.) over the summer, lose almost half of a school year's worth of learning, which is called summer learning loss. On the other hand, those that do, are proven to gain between 2 and 3 months of learning. That ends up being a difference of almost 3/4 of a school year when comparing the groups of students. Our staff would be happy to give you ideas and resources for your child to work on during the months of June and July.

Sincerely,

Christy Merchant, Proud Principal



PTA CORNER



Our PTA Association meeting will be Thursday, May 10th at 4:30 p.m. If you are interested in running for an officer position, please contact the school or email pta.grassycreek@gmail.com by April 27th. We will be voting on those positions at the May 10th Association meeting. Everyone is welcome.



Haley Hilliard, PTA President

Healthy Smiles Coming to Grassy Creek!

Dr. Matchett and the Healthy Smiles team will be visiting Grassy Creek on Tuesday, May 1st. They provide the following care on-site: dental check-ups, dental cleaning, digital x-rays, preventive sealants and fluoride. They accept Medicaid and most private insurances. Free care may be available to qualified students. Once Healthy Smiles has seen your child, a dental health report card will be sent home. Registration forms came home last week.



MIDTERMS WILL BE COMING HOME FRIDAY, APRIL 27th!

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! A flyer came home with your student today. Tickets can be ordered online at www.harlemwizards.com.

This Slamtastic Community Event is hosted by The Warren Arts & Education Foundation. This is not a drop off event. K-6 students must be accompanied by an adult.

WARREN PRIDE GREAT INDY CLEAN UP DAY!

SAT. APRIL 21ST, 2018

7:30 A.M.-1:00 P.M.

KICK OFF @ WCHS

WARRIOR DOME

9500 E. 16TH ST., 46229

7:30am Breakfast

8:15am Kickoff

8:30am Loading shuttles

9-11am Cleaning

12pm Lunch

Gloves and trash bags will be provided!

Must register to attend:

warrencentralpta@yahoo.com

For more information contact: Michelle Shuffitt

317-490-7752



GRASSY CREEK SPRING BOOK FAIR MAY 7TH—11TH!

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.

Mark Your Calendar



2018 FREE SPRING SWIM CAMP

The Warren Aquatics Club is holding a free swim camp for all Elementary aged youth. Swimmers will learn water safety, floating, kicking, strokes, etc. Swimmers will be taught by Warren Aquatics Club/WCHS Head Coach, John Sincroft, alongside the high school Platinum Level Swim Team members.



- ♦ Grades K/1-April 23-April 27,, 5:30-6:15pm
- ♦ Grades 2-4-April 23-April 28, 6:30-7:15pm

Register online at

www.warrenaquaticsclub.com

You may also get a registration form from Mr. Stillman, our super gym teacher.

ATTENTION PARENTS/GUARDIANS: BUS STOP REMINDER!

Just a reminder to please have your student(s) out to their bus stop 5 to 10 minutes before their scheduled bus pick up time. Thank you very much for your help with this matter!

