

CALENDAR OF EVENTS: April 12th JH Track Archie Invitational

April 13th JH Track Pictures at AC at 2:45 p.m. (Hudson will transport.) April 14th Algebra I EOC Testing Begins/JH Track Midway Invitational

Board Meeting at 7:30 p.m.

April 15th First Day to Wear Shorts

April 16th Grades Go Home

THE BRIGHT SPOT: Sometimes the bravest and most important thing you can do is just show up.

STUDENT OF THE WEEK: CHASE FROST (GRADE K)

Vanilla or Chocolate? Vanilla Rainy Days or Sunshine? Rainy Days Hamburgers or Nuggets? Nuggets Summer or Winter? Winter Pancakes or Waffles? Pancakes Ride Bikes or Run? Ride Bikes Dogs or Cats? Cats Books or Movies? Books Fruits or Vegetables? Fruits Cookies or Cake? Cookies



Preschool: Last week we learned the letters 'L' and 'M'. We learned about monkeys and lions to go with our letters. This week we will talk about 'N' and 'F'. We will take a look at our shapes and colors this week. We know how to identify them, but this week we are going to work on sorting them based on these attributes. The weather looks to be cooler this week. Our first day to wear shorts is Thursday. Remember, just because we can, doesn't mean we should. The mornings are still a little cool! Have a fantastic week! - **Miss Stacie**

1st/2nd: First grade will be learning more about weather and seasons this week. We will also be working on understanding character, plot, and setting in our stories. They will also be discussing the importance of rules and laws. Please be practicing math facts and sight words at home each night with your first grader. Second grade will continue working with the bossy R this week. We will also begin a science unit covering seasons and weather. We will be discussing colonial days more in depth in social studies. Second grade will also be getting new vocab cards on Tuesday. Please be studying vocab, states, and math facts each night. All seven students in our classroom had perfect scores on their spelling tests on Friday, so we will have a small popcorn party this afternoon! - Mrs. Hird

3rd/4th: Our class finished up ELA Map Testing today and we will start the math portion on Wednesday. We will still

continue to work on our MAP Prep books this week. Both classes will be working on writing friendly letters as well as continuing our review of grammar. Fourth grade will have a science test on Thursday and both grades will have a Social Studies test on Thursday as well. Our goal this week is to stay focused and keep pushing forward. The end is right around the corner and we are determined to make it a good one. - Mrs. Cooper

5th/6th: 5th graders have a Social Studies test April 13 over Chapter 3. The students continue to work in their Buckle Down and C.A.R.S. books and focus on the Grammar booklet for English. MAP Math testing is this week April 14 and 15 5th grade boys and 5th grade girls will have separate growth and development classes with Nurse Amber this week. 6th graders have a Science test April 13 on Chapter 1. Their next chapter will be Chapter 4. Buckle Down, C.A.R.S. and Grammar books are also part of their schedule. MAP Math sections are April 14 and 15. 7th and 8th grades are reading different sections from their literature books, as well as working in Buckle Down and C.A.R.S. - Mrs. Sewell

Parents watch for mid-quarter grades this week.

5-8 Math: Fifth graders are looking at various types of charts and graphs and more difficult division problems. Sixth grade is working on square root estimation and the vocabulary of measuring turns. Seventh grade is working on compound probability and various geometry concepts. In pre-algebra, students are working on the various operations with algebraic terms and zero and negative exponents. In algebra, students are working on different types of equation systems and looking at non-linear functions. In all cases, we have been getting extra practice for our upcoming MAP tests.

No additional math tests this week as we concentrate on our MAP math tests.

7-8: In science, seventh grade is going to be talking about categories of diseases and how our body systems work to keep us healthy. In eighth grade, students will take an early look at how various living organisms are classified. In grammar, both groups are working on identifying types of clauses and looking at complex sentences.

FIRST DAY TO WEAR SHORTS: Thursday, April 15th. Please keep in mind students will be going outside for recess and many days, especially mornings, are still cool out.

CHARACTER ED WORD FOR APRIL - Integrity — the quality of being honest and having strong moral principles The older students and I are beginning to talk about the classes they will be interested in taking in high school. We will look at some of their college choices to see what classes are required for admission!

PTO: If you would like to be a 2021-2022 PTO officer, please contact Stacie Flagg, PTO President at 660-492-2354.

IMPORTANT DATES: 5/13/21 AWARDS ASSEMBLY/LAST DAY OF SCHOOL/BOARD MEETING

5/14/21 8TH GRADE GRADUATION AT 7:00 P.M.

5/17/21 KINDERGARTEN SCREENING (APPT. REQUIRED)

8/24/21 BACK-TO-SCHOOL NIGHT 8/26/21 FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL