



Principal's Message

Let's be # 1 - Please take advantage of the programs offered at the Southeast Branch Library!!!!

Reading Buddies is one-on-one reading practice with library staff at the Southeast Branch Library. Students from all over come read with adults at the library and our school had the 3rd highest number of sessions just above us was Sedalia Elementary and Groveport Imagine - let's try to be #1.

Reading Buddies times:

Monday 5-6

Tuesday 5-6

Wednesday 5-6

The library also offers Homework Help every day after school - all subjects! 30 Homework Help sessions have been with Groveport Elementary students (mostly 3rd and 5th graders) since mid September. Let's see if we can double that number by March! We aren't assigning a lot of homework - mostly reading and math practice, so if your teacher assigns homework it is important for your learning!

Homework Help Sessions Monday - Thursday 4 -7 and Friday 3 -6

This winter the Homework Help Center we will kick off a new reading program called the Winter Reading Challenge. Students who sign into the Homework Help Center can also sign up for the WRC that will run Dec 3-Feb 28. The intent is to keep students reading in the winter and further develop connections to and attendance in our Homework Help Centers. Students will receive a mechanical pencil and bookmark at sign up and can win a new book after they read 6 hours. (Check out these books!) Students will be tracking the time they spend reading in the Homework Help Center. They can also win a

pair of earbuds.



Artist of the Week



Amiyah Ayers

Second graders have been learning about artist, Georgia O'Keeffe and the art element: space. We first started with a still life drawing where we practiced showing space by overlapping, size and placement of fruit. Next, we learned how to do a perspective drawing. Students started with the vanishing point and then began adding buildings, doors, windows, a street and a lot of other fun details to create their cityscape. Amiyah Ayers was selected by Mrs. Sperrk because of her awesome perspective drawing! Amiyah is a 2nd grade student in Mrs. Monhollen's class. She has been attending Groveport Elementary since kindergarten. Amiyah has an older brother, Antwan, an older sister, Amira and a younger brother Amarion. She enjoys playing with Amarion, jumping on the trampoline, drawing and watching football. Her favorite colors are pink and blue.

Congratulations Amiyah for being our Artist of the Week!

Town Hall Lego Exhibit will be on display again this year December 3rd - January 4th

Teachers if you want to take your class to see this exhibit, please get a walking field trip permission form out and let Mrs. Bray know when you are going! Santa's mailbox is right outside too and the kids can drop off their letters for Santa.

Heritage Holiday is this weekend with the tree lighting ceremony on Friday, November 30th from 6:30-8:00pm (Santa arrives on a fire truck, ice carving, refreshments, crafts, carriage rides and music) and Saturday, December 1st 12-3pm (Santa, crafts, refreshments, carriage rides, live reindeer, animal encounter).

Programs offered by Town Hall - Register the kids for some free fun :)))

Lunch with Santa - December 9th (1:00 - 3:00) Tickets (\$6/person) - This event is actually at the Rec. Center Call 614.836.1000 for more information

Science Night - 1st Wednesday of each month 6:30 - 7:30 - Free (6 -12)

Spread Holiday KINDNESS - December 11th 6:30 - 7:30 Make a gift of kindness to show your appreciation to those who help you. Bring a bag of mints and all other supplies will be provided!

Winter Break Fun Hours at Town Hall School is Closed but Town Hall is Open and the activities are All FREE

December 27th (11 - 12) Come make a snowman stress ball, snowfall measuring stick, square snowman

December 28th 11:00 - 12:00 Make a Eye Spy Ball, Waterless Snow Globe, and Play a Winter Game

December 31st - Noon Year's Eve! Ring in the Noon Year - this is at KidSpace

January 2nd - It's Summer in December make summer-themed crafts in Winter!

For more information on all the fun things happening at Town Hall or sponsored by Town Hall - please call 614.836.3333

Upcoming Important Dates

December

5 = 2 Hour Late Start

14 = PBIS Meeting (8:00)

21 = December Breakfast with Principal

21 = 45 Minute Early Dismissal for Winter Break

Thank You to Our Pledge of Allegiance Helpers

Blake Smith - Mrs. Mosure

Kelsey Jennings - Mrs. Monhollen

Nataliegh Ford - Mrs. McGonigal

Jacob Barrios - Ms. Townsend

Christopher Burke - Mrs. Kehoe-Conn

Cincere Hairston - Ms. Miller

Tyler Butts -Mrs. McGonigal

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!!

Savannah Westcamp, Parker Westcamp, Ervin Quinonez,
Dream Hamilton, Tobias Calloway, Rosalia Garcia, Rylan
Peoples, Gavin Bailey, Averie Adams, and Maria Elderwy



Cruiser STAR Students

Gold STAR Awards are given to students by staff members for students who show characteristics of being a Cruiser STAR - Stay Safe Take Responsibility Act Respectfully Reach Goals. Students come to the office and put their gold STAR in our Treasure Box. Every Friday, Mrs. Bray picks 15 -20 STARS from the Treasure Box and calls those students to the office for a prize. [Congratulations - Ayden Kirk, Jerelle Crawford, Madison Gibson, Edwin Stelle, Olivia Hart, Gabriella Atiba-Modesta, Leila Clinton, William Nuakey, Daveyion Hamilton, Brooke Hammon, Sara Shearer, Abigail Bays, Soffia Niemann, Dylan Burbacher, Emma Webb, Spencer Bray, Hayden Rutter, Skylah Summersett, Maci West, Cheyenne Parrett, Finn Blake, and Austin Combs!](#)



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