GREETINGS FROM GROVEPORT ELEMENTARY

OCTOBER 14, 2022 NEWSLETTER

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Thank you so much to all the parents/guardians who took time out of their busy schedules to make it to parent/teacher conferences. Students with involved parents or other caregivers earn higher grades and test scores, have better social skills, and show improved behavior. We really appreciate your support!

Have a great weekend! April :)

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3RD GRADE STATE TESTING

3rd Grade ELA State Testing - TESTING STARTS NEXT WEEK - PLEASE HELP! All 3rd grade students will be taking the English Language Arts Part 1 test on Wednesday, October 19th and English Language Arts Part 2 test on Thursday, October 20th. It is very important for your child to do their best on the test. Here are a few things you can do to help them.

- 1. Keep a positive attitude about tests.
- 2. Mark test days on your calendar so you can give your child a pep talk that morning!
- 3. Make sure your child gets enough sleep the night before the test.
- 4. Make sure your child gets up early enough so that he/she will be on time to school and won't feel rushed.

Most important assessment for third graders because they must get a promotion score to go to 4th grade and this is one of their opportunities!

i-Ready Lucky Ducky Contest going strong! Students can earn 1 duck for reading and 1 duck for math each day for time on task and lessons passed on iready. The ducks are placed in a swimming pool and 1 lucky duck is picked each week. Ms. Fravel's class was the 1st Lucky Ducky winner - Congratulations! The grade level with the most ducks at the end of the month will receive a pizza and dance party!



READ-A-THON MOST MINUTES READ

Congratulations to Mrs. Myers' class for reading the most minutes! The class read a total of 6022 minutes. The kids were excited to pick 2 free books. Keep Reading!



READ-A-THON RAISED THE MOST MONEY

Congratulations to Mrs. Monhollen's class for getting the most donations! The class raised \$1275. They also read a ton of minutes and are looking forward to reading one of their new books over the long weekend!



CITY OF GROVEPORT BLACKLICK HAUNTED PARK

Looking for something scary to do this weekend?? Check out Blacklick Haunted Park tonight or tomorrow night (October 15th) 7:30pm - 11:00pm. Very Scary! Parental discretion advised. T

Thinking kids might be too young or they don't like scary things - no problem. Take the kids out Saturday afternoon 1:00 - 4:00. The 1st 200 kids will receive a free goodie bag.

Groveport Blacklick Park 770 Blacklick Street 614.836.3333 - \$5.00/person. All proceeds go to Groveport Madison Human Needs & The Groveport Food Pantry!

Sponsored by the City of Groveport and Groveport Residents

HAUNTED SCHOOL

Haunted School coming up next weekend! You can buy tickets in advance or at the door and costumes are optional. Hope to see you there.



LUNCH CHOICES

Monday = No School - Staff PD

Tuesday = Beef, Bean and Cheese Burrito

Wednesday = Cheeseburger

Thursday = Mini Cheese Pizza Bagels

Friday = Sweet & Sour Meatballs

*Packers need to bring a drink or pay \$.50 for a milk. Milk is no longer free.

THANK YOU PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE HELPERS



Monday = Anthony Smith

Tuesday = Sir Phillips

Wednesday = Monroe Hill

Friday (10/7) = Zion Latham

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

October

17th = No School

19th = 3rd Grade OST ELA Part 1

20th = 3rd Grade OST ELA Part 2

22nd = Haunted School

24th = Picture Day

25th = PTO Meeting (5:00)

28th = Halloween Parade and Parties

November

1st = Staff Meeting

11th = No School - Veterans Day



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Savannah Silverman Kendall Howard, Annaliese Evanichko, Robbert Gillies, Aiden Gillies, Zion Black, Dayana Gonzalez, John Beebe, Amyah Caldwell, Ty'zhon Barlow, Ethan Ortiz, Noelle Porter, Fatima Doukoure, and Ryder Jackson!

REGISTER NOW: OHIO LEARNS 360 FAMILY WEBINAR SERIES STARTS OCT. 12

How can families help students learn at home, what impact can families have on learning growth for students and what resources are available to help families boost student learning? On Wednesday, Oct. 12, at 6 p.m., the first Ohio Learns 360 Family Webinar will address those questions. The second webinar will be on November 9th.

CRUISER STAR STUDENTS

Cruiser 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. Congratulation -



