



TROJAN NEWS

February 2018



West Central Parent Teacher Council

The West Central Elementary PTC has been around for years, helping boost the quality of education and activities offered to students at West Central. This group of parents and teachers meets monthly to plan, organize, and support our school. Here are just a few things the PTC has done to help our school during my time as principal.

- Secured a landscaping grant to redo the elementary school landscaping
- Paid for the busing costs of 2 field trips for every grade level
- Purchased extra balls and toys for students at recess
- Purchased ISTEP+ treats to encourage students to do their best
- Provided ice cream for Meet the Teacher Night
- Provided snacks and treats for field day
- Organized the Pumpkin Decorating and Recycling contests
- Purchased the portable sound system used at music programs
- Provide special meals/snacks for teachers throughout the year
- Organized many other volunteer opportunities for parents

Our next PTC meeting is scheduled for February 12 at 3:00 in the Elementary School Library. We have two long-serving PTC members whose children will be moving on to middle school next year. We need a few more parents willing to step in and help us keep the PTC going. If you are interested, please contact the school and come to the meeting. We would love to see you there!

Special Points of interest:

- Feb. 9- 5th Grade Field trip to the Symphony
- Feb. 12- PTC Meeting
- Feb. 14- NHS orders delivered to students
- Feb. 16- Gym 'n' Swim Ends
- Feb. 19- School will be in session

Upcoming events:

- March 11- Daylight Saving time starts (move your clocks ahead 1 hour)
- March 12- PTC Meeting
- March 16- Spring Pictures
- March 19-23- PTC Recycle Contest
- March 20- Spring Musical 4th and 5th grades 6:00
- March 21- Indiana Blood Drive 7:45-1:00
- March 23- School will be in session
- March 26-30- Spring Break- no school

Student of the Month for

November/December

Katie Scholz



Wash, wash, wash your hands. Get plenty of rest and drink lots of water to keep your body **HEALTHY!!**

Head Start News

We are taking applications for children 3-5. Just call [219-204-0736](tel:219-204-0736) to schedule an appointment.

Good day to you from the Trojan Market!

Just a reminder: you are welcome to come for a lunch date with your child any time!

Just check in at the office and Lounge on the nice sofa to meet them as they come from class to lunch!

We also want to let you know that the first full week of March, 5th - 9th, is **NATIONAL SCHOOL BREAKFAST WEEK!** Look around the internet and you'll see more about this.

Keeping things fresh and healthy here maybe you will hear about something delicious or a fun surprise.

We hope everyone has found their way of communication with meal payments...either cash, check or online payments from our website Titan School Solutions.

FEBRUARY SWIM CLUB

COMPETITIVE SWIMMING AND RACES

Students registered for this activity will be competing against each other. There will be no teams, except for relays. These will be timed races with specific swim strokes. Students will need to register for the events they would like to compete in. Each week they will be given time to practice for their event choices. If they sign up for a relay race, they will need to create their team on the first day. We are very excited about this activity! We encourage parents to come and cheer them on!

Monday and Wednesday 3:00 - 4:15pm Cost - \$10.00 per student

LIFEGUARD CALL OUT

THE WC POOL WILL BE CONDUCTING ITS ANNUAL SPRING LIFEGUARDING COURSE. PARTICIPANTS MUST BE 15YRS OR OLDER. THIS IS A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO GET A HEAD START ON SUMMER JOBS! WE ALSO ENCOURAGE ADULTS TO TAKE THE COURSE. THE POOL IS CURRENTLY LOOKING FOR ADULT SUPERVISORS / SWIM INSTRUCTORS. Classes begin late February. QUESTIONS OR INTEREST IN THE COURSE, PLEASE CONTACT ELYSE WILLIAMS ewilliams@wsc.k12.in.us



WEST CENTRAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL 2018-2019 KINDERGARTEN ROUND-UP INFORMATION

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS: Your child must be 5 by August 1, 2018, and you must provide a legal birth certificate. Your child must be fully immunized.

ROUND-UP DAY: Thursday, April 5. Your Round-up session will last approximately two hours. During your session, your child will be given a kindergarten readiness screening and his or her vision will be checked. You will also have the opportunity to meet the principal, counselor, nurse, speech pathologists and kindergarten teachers. School registration forms will also be filled out at this time.

OTHER: The Kindergarten fee will be determined at a later date. Please complete the form below and return it to the school office by Monday, March 19. If you know of a family who has an eligible child that does not receive a copy of The Communicator or The Trojan News, please ask them to contact the school at 219-567-9741.

PLEASE SAVE TOP PORTION FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

KINDERGARTEN ROUND-UP REGISTRATION 2018-2019

Please complete this form and return it to the elementary school by Monday, March 19 so we can schedule your child for this exciting time.

Child's Name

Birth Date

Gender

Parent'(s)'/Guardian's Name(s)

Telephone Number

Address of Parent/Guardian Child Resides With

Is your child enrolled in the Medaryville Preschool? Yes _____ No _____

Is your child enrolled in Head Start? Yes _____ No _____

Is your child enrolled in another program? _____

Please check your preferred time for your Round-up session:

Thursday AM(9:00) _____ Thursday PM(1:00) _____

NHS Valentine's Day Fundraiser

West Central High School's National Honor Society is organizing its annual Valentine's Day fundraiser.

Students, staff, parents, and relatives can order assorted flowers, cookies, or fruit snacks for their loved ones: carnations for \$2.00 each, large cookies for \$1.00 each, or Fruit Snacks for \$.75 each.

Sales begin Monday, January 22, and run through Wednesday, February 7. High school and middle school students can place orders during lunch. Elementary school students can place orders in the Elementary School Office. Alternately, you can send in the order forms below. The orders will be distributed on **Wednesday, February 14, 2018.**

Show your love for that special person, and thank you for supporting the West Central High School National Honor Society's scholarship fund!

NHS Valentines Order Form

Please enclose this order form with payment in a sealed envelope. You may copy this form.

To: _____

Where: (First name) _____ (Last name) _____

K1 K2 K3 KR Teacher _____

1st – 5th Grade Homeroom (5A, 2C, etc.) _____ Teacher _____

Middle School Grade _____ Teacher(s): 5th _____ 6th _____ 7th _____

High School Grade _____ Teacher(s): 5th _____ 6th _____ 7th _____

From: _____

What: (____ cookies × \$1.00) + (____ flowers × \$2.00) + (____ Fruit Snack × \$.75) = Total _____

Message:



NHS Valentines Order Form

Please enclose this order form with payment in a sealed envelope. You may copy this form.

To: _____

Where: (First name) _____ (Last name) _____

K1 K2 K3 KR Teacher _____

1st – 5th Grade Homeroom (5A, 2C, etc.) _____ Teacher _____

Middle School Grade _____ Teacher(s): 5th _____ 6th _____ 7th _____

High School Grade _____ Teacher(s): 5th _____ 6th _____ 7th _____

From: _____

What: (____ cookies × \$1.00) + (____ flowers × \$2.00) + (____ Fruit Snack × \$.75) = Total _____

Message:

