

FISHERS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TIGER TALES

RESPECT, RESPONSIBILITY, RESOURCEFULNESS

February 3, 2012 FES Website: hse.k12.in.us/FES

Mission Statement (5/08)

Fishers Elementary is committed to the total education of children as measured by their ability to master and exceed district, state, and national standards. A system of differentiation including remediation and acceleration will be used to meet the needs of individual students.

February 6th is a Flex Day. There will be No School.

3rd and 4th Grade Parents-Important ISTEP+ Information

ISTEP+ will be given to all 3rd and 4th grade students March 5th-March 14th. This test will be the applied skills portion. In the language arts section, students will read stories and answer questions with sentences and paragraphs. The math section students will need to solve problems and explain their answers. April 30th-May9th will be the 2nd portion of ISTEP+ testing. This part of the test will be on-line and consist of multiple choice questions. It is imperative that students do not come to school late or leave early for appointments, etc. during these weeks. We appreciate your help with this. Additional information on how you can help your student do his/her best on these tests will be coming soon. Should you have questions, please contact your child's teacher, Mrs. Penley or Mrs. Mansfield

Update-Water Damage

Both Mrs. Jarrett and Mrs. Thomas will be moved back into their classrooms by Tuesday, February 7th. Mrs. Stanfield will be back in the gym and our small group instruction will be able to have instruction in the portable. We are very thankful to the HSE facilities staff, FES custodial staff and outside sources for their hard work and overtime to make this possible!

LUNCH MENU February 6-February 10

Student Choices Hot Lunch, PBJ Lunch Yogurt Lunch, Turkey Sandwich

Lunch Prices Student Lunch \$2.05 Adult Lunch \$3.00 Milk .50

Table with 2 columns: Day and Lunch Item. Monday: No School; Tuesday: Pancakes with Sausage; Wednesday: Pasta and Meat Sauce; Thursday: Mexican Beef Burrito; Friday: Cheese Pizza

Save the date - Kindergarten Round-Up set for Feb. 9, 2012

Hamilton Southeastern Schools will host Kindergarten Round-Up earlier than usual this year on Thursday, February 9, 2012. A child must be 5 years of age before September 1, 2012, in order to register for kindergarten for the 2012 - 2013 school year.

Registration packets can be picked up beginning Monday, January 30th through Thursday February 9th from 10am-2pm in the school office. Please bring the following documents to register or pick up a packet:

When you come to round-up you should bring:

- Your child's birth certificate
A copy of their immunizations
Guardianship paper (if applicable)
3 forms of Proof of Residency - You can see the HSE website (www.hse.k12.in.us, District Information, Enrolling your child, and Step 3) for a list of what is needed.

Examples for Proof of Residency from each column are:

- Lease, closing papers or mortgage payment stub
Utility bill (gas, electric, water, sewer or phone)
Driver's license, current vehicle registration, or valid Indiana photo I.D.

Valentine's Day Party Snack This year the snack for the Valentine Party on February 14, 2012 will be Rold Gold heart pretzels and Blue Bell Cookies and Cream sundae treat. If you do not want your child to have these please contact the school nurse at 594-4160. Thank you

Menu items are subject to change and we will do our best to advise students of any changes that do occur.

Rotation Feb. 6 - Feb. 10 Monday-No School Tuesday-R Wednesday-S2 Thursday-T Friday-I



SPORTS NEWS

Spring 2012 Registration for baseball, softball, soccer, 7 v 7 football, boys and girls lacrosse, rugby and track and field will take place during the month of January. The registration forms will be available on the S.P.O.R.T.S. website, at all HSE schools, the Fishers Library and the S.P.O.R.T.S. office. Online registration will open on January 1. Parents registering online can pay online with a credit card or can print the form and submit it to the S.P.O.R.T.S. office with a check. There will not be a weekend walk-in registration this year.

S.P.O.R.T.S. Youth Volleyball is seeking board and committee members. There are a variety of open positions with varying time commitments. The season is ten weeks, mid-Aug. to mid-October and ends before fall break. Our initial meeting is on Mon., Feb. 13 at the S.P.O.R.T.S. office located at Billerica Park at 7:00 p.m. Please contact Janet Berg at f.j.berg@sbcglobal.net with any questions.

Fishers-HSE Youth Softball – The Fishers-HSE Youth Softball league is looking for a volunteer to join the board as the Fields Manager. The Field Manager works with the town and other youth softball volunteers and field crew members to help maintain and improve Olio Fields. Any interested parties may email Jared Darlington at jared.darlington@kci1.com. Thank you for your consideration!

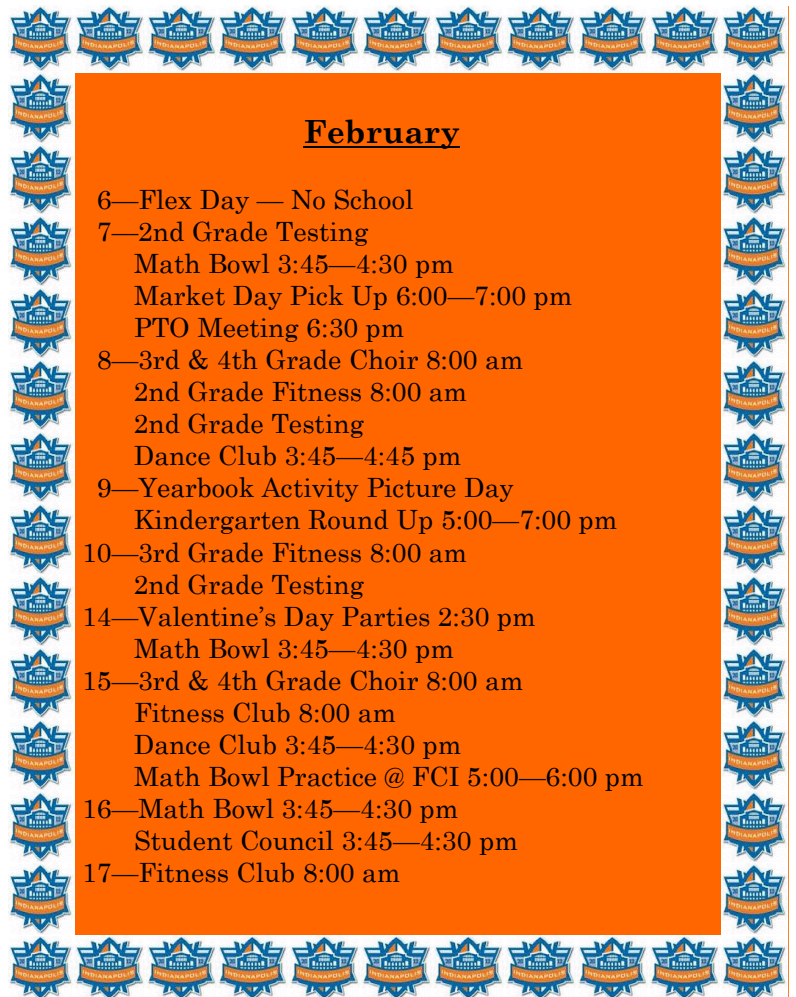


Donations Needed!

Our school is in need of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division flashcards for teachers to use in their classrooms. We are also in need of standard decks of cards that will be used for Math games. If you would like to donate any new or gently used flashcards and/or decks of cards, please send them in to school with your child by February 14th (because we know how much you **LOVE** Fishers Elementary) Please make sure to keep a set of flashcards at home for your child to practice. We truly appreciate your support!

Jump and Hoops for Heart

It is time for Hoops and Jump for Heart this year. We will be doing station work in PE classes the week of February 14th. This is when the donations are due or earlier. I encourage everyone to donate to the American Heart Association and help fight Heart Disease.



February

- 6—Flex Day — No School
- 7—2nd Grade Testing
Math Bowl 3:45—4:30 pm
Market Day Pick Up 6:00—7:00 pm
PTO Meeting 6:30 pm
- 8—3rd & 4th Grade Choir 8:00 am
2nd Grade Fitness 8:00 am
2nd Grade Testing
Dance Club 3:45—4:45 pm
- 9—Yearbook Activity Picture Day
Kindergarten Round Up 5:00—7:00 pm
- 10—3rd Grade Fitness 8:00 am
2nd Grade Testing
- 14—Valentine's Day Parties 2:30 pm
Math Bowl 3:45—4:30 pm
- 15—3rd & 4th Grade Choir 8:00 am
Fitness Club 8:00 am
Dance Club 3:45—4:30 pm
Math Bowl Practice @ FCI 5:00—6:00 pm
- 16—Math Bowl 3:45—4:30 pm
Student Council 3:45—4:30 pm
- 17—Fitness Club 8:00 am

THE SWEET LIFE

Everyone knows that Valentine's Day means sweet treats!

Please join us on Tuesday, February 7 from 4-8pm at The Sweet Life for a dessert night fundraiser. And if you can't come by that evening, then drop off your preorder form for a Cupcake or Gifts order pick-up on February 13 to help you get ready for a little sweet surprise on Valentine's Day!

There two flyers attached: 1) the Fishers Elementary flyer should be presented on Tuesday, February 7 from 4-8pm at our Dessert Cafe and will earn our school 20% of the sales that evening and 2) the "Cupcake Order" form will need to be dropped off at the Sweet Life, 11009 Allisonville Rd with your pre-payment no later than Friday February 10 in order to place your Valentine's Day order. All prepaid orders will also earn us 20% of sales.

Wishing you and yours a Happy Valentine Day!



Fishers Parks & Recreation Father Daughter Sweetheart Dance

Fathers and daughters are invited to join us for a special evening of fun and dancing. A photographer will be on hand to take pictures for an additional cost. Prizes and refreshments will round out the evening. Semi-formal dress. Tickets go fast so don't delay! *Sponsored by Fishers Parks & Recreation and The Mansion at Oak Hill.* For girls 5-12 years old and their fathers. Cost is per person. Min 200/Max 400. *After payment tickets must be picked up at the Parks & Recreation Office. *Web Registration NOT allowed for this event.**

The Mansion at Oak Hill, 5801 E. 116th Street, Carmel
Wednesday, February 15 7P-8:30P
Resident \$8/Non-Resident \$12
Pre-registration is required and ends 2/8.
595-3150 or www.fishers.in.us/parks for more information.



Fishers Parks & Recreation Basketball Skills Competition

Showcase your basketball abilities by shooting and rebounding, passing and dribbling in a half-court obstacle course. Participants should wear appropriate athletic attire and shoes. This is a drop in program. Prize winners will be notified following the competition. For boys and girls, ages 9-14.

Fall Creek Intermediate School,
12001 Olio Road
Monday, February 27 6:30P-7:30P
FREE!
Pre-registration is required and ends 2/20.
595-3150 or www.fishers.in.us/parks for more information.



PTO News

Hey Parents! Are you on Facebook? Join our PTO group to stay connected with us!

<http://www.facebook.com/#!/groups/186767741942/>

Our next PTO meeting is Tuesday, February 7, at 6:30 p.m. in the library. Please join us.

The PTO is also in need of a parent to volunteer to chair Teacher Appreciation Week. If you are interested, or have new great ideas for appreciating the teachers this year, please email Janet Pritchett jmpritchett11@yahoo.com.

JOIN THE REVOLUTION OF RESPONSIBILITY

4-H is an informal educational program where youth "Learn by Doing." Youth in grades 3-12 can learn life skills such as cooperation, leadership, decision-making, responsibility and more through hands-on projects in over 65 different subject areas. A great opportunity to develop a hobby, experience camp, and make new friends, 4-H is family oriented and promotes family togetherness. **The 2012 4-H Enrollment Deadline is March 1, 2012. You must re-enroll every year. Contact the Purdue Extension Hamilton County Office at 317-776-0854 for more information or to enroll. Information and online enrollment is also available on our website at: www.ag.purdue.edu/counties/hamilton.**

Come join the revolution of responsibility with Hamilton County 4-H!

4-H Call-Out

Sunday, February 12, 2012

Artist of the Month

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BOCK	JONES	MAIN	SAVIN
Olivia B.	Aaron H.	Dalton W.	Isabelle S.
Carson P.	Marlee M.	Luke M.	Gwen G.
Sebastian M.	Tony M.	Kori N.	Teghan B.
Olivia W.			

Fishers Parks & Recreation Mother Son Football Bash

Mothers, bring your sons to celebrate the big game! With it being in our own backyard, we want to have our very own party, and you're invited! Participate in football games and crafts and eat football party snacks. For boys ages 5-12 and their mothers. Min. 10/Max. 50. Price is per person.

Billericay Park Building, 12690 Promise Road Wednesday, February 1 7P-8:30P
Resident \$8/Non-Resident \$12 Pre-registration is required and ends 1/25.

595-3150 or www.fishers.in.us/parks for more information.

