



PRINCIPAL'S REFLECTIONS...

Dear Hayes Families,

As we turn the calendar from October to November, we seem to have a lot of learning events and activities coming up. However, first of all, I would like to thank all of our families for attending the PTO Fall Family Festival on October 23. We had a great turnout and everyone seemed to have a lot of fun. With food, raffles, cakewalks, games and drawings, what more could we ask! Thank you to all of those that helped organize such a fabulous event!

Parent-Teacher conferences are next week on Tuesday and Thursday evening, as well as throughout the day on Friday. This is a very important meeting between you and your child's teacher, at which time you will receive your child's grade card. Your child's progress will be discussed and this is a time for you to express any questions or concerns that you may have regarding your child's academics. It would be helpful if you would jot down any questions that you may have and bring those with you at the time of your conference. In this way, your scheduled time will be used in the best way possible.

On November 2nd, all of the staff and students at Hayes celebrated our academic successes. We recognized that being an "EXCELLENT" school was as equally important to us as it was to the State Board of Education, the State Superintendent, Fremont City School Board of Education and the Fremont City School Superintendent. Therefore, we met in the gymnasium for some cake and punch to celebrate this exciting honor. All of our teachers and support systems at Hayes contributed their hard work and efforts to make sure that the standards were being taught and that all of our children are learning. This proved to be true as our 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th graders were able to make the gains over the course of the years and show at least a year's growth and progress. Now, as we have just completed the first quarter of the 2009-2010 school year, our goal is to reach this "EXCELLENT" rating continually in the future.

Each evening, after your child's day at school, please remember to ask them about their day. Only because you are wanting to know about their successes and need for some assistance, will your child be motivated to continue being the responsible and accountable learner that you expect him/her to be.

Yours in education,

Mrs. Laurie Selvey

1. INCREASE STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT
2. CLOSE SOCIO-ECONOMIC, ETHNIC AND DISABILITY GAPS IN STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT
3. BUILD HOPE, TRUST AND RESPECT WITH OUR COMMUNITY

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Fremont City Schools Mission Statement

The Mission of Fremont City Schools is to develop well-educated life-long learners prepared to be responsible, Productive and respectful members of their community

STRONG ACADEMICS + STRONG CHARACTER = STRONG COMMUNITY

DATES TO REMEMBER

NOV. 1 FALL BACK....TURN YOUR CLOCKS BACK 1 HOUR

NOV. 3 PTO MEETING IN THE LIBRARY 3:45

NOV. 4 PICTURE RETAKES AND GROUP PHOTOS

NOV. 4 PAPA MURPHY NIGHT FOR HAYES 4-8

NOV. 9 ASSEMBLY: NED THE YO-YO GUY 2-2:45 PM

NOV. 10 PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES 3:45-7:15

NOV. 11 50TH DAY OF SCHOOL STUDENT COUNCIL SPONSORING DRESS LIKE THE 50'S AND ENJOY ROOTBEER FLOATS!

NOV. 12 PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES 3:45-7:15

NOV. 13 NO SCHOOL CONFERENCES ALL DAY 8:30-3:30

NOV. 16 NO SCHOOL PROFESSIONAL DAY

NOV. 17-20 OSU/MICH RAFFLE DURING LUNCHES

NOV. 17 ALL WEEK, 3RD GRADE HEALTHY SNACK SALE BY OFFICE AFTER SCHOOL

NOV. 19 4TH GRADE MUSIC PROGRAM FOR VETERAN'S DAY 6:30 P.M.

**NOV. 23 K-5 MOVIE DAY
NOV. 24 6th grade ice skating**

**NOV. 25, 26, 27 NO SCHOOL
THANKSGIVING BREAK
HAPPY THANKSGIVING**

**CHRISTMAS BREAK DEC. 23-
RETURN ON JAN. 4**

KINDERGARTEN—4TH GRADE

10:00-10:45

On the 2nd Saturday of the month come to Birchard Public Library for a morning of good times and good books.

Saturday Nov. 14th: Going to the Dogs

You don't need to be a dog lover to have a doggone good Time as we celebrate man's best friend.

Mon. Nov. 2nd

Discussing.....**Regarding the Fountain: A Tale, in Letter, of Liars and Leaks**

By Kate Klise

Pizza and Pages Club for 5th and 6th graders
4-4:45 pm

An after school book club, featuring good books and good eats.

THANK YOU

A HUGE "THANK YOU"...

The SCORTA, Sandusky County chapter of the Ohio Retired Teachers Association, have been very generous in donating a dictionary to each of our 4th graders. They agree, with the schools, that reading is a vital skill and that a dictionary is an essential tool to help students become better readers and good writers. The Dictionary Project is a national drive with the sole mission of providing students with their own personal dictionaries. SCORTA took the initiative to coordinate the buying and distributing of dictionaries to 4th grade students throughout Sandusky County. In addition to purchasing dictionaries, thesauruses were purchased to be used in each sixth grade classroom in the county. A list of service organizations, businesses, and individuals who generously donated to this program can be found on the inside cover of each dictionary and thesaurus.

MOVIE NIGHT

NOV. 6

MONSTERS AND ALIENS

Doors open at 5:45

Movie begins at 6:00

Pickup by 7:45

Drink and Snack provided

Don't forget your pillow and blanket!

Please send your form by Nov. 2



STUDENT COUNCIL

NOV. 11 50TH DAY OF SCHOOL
 DRESS LIKE THE 50'S AND ROOTBEER FLOATS
 NOV. 17-20 OSU/MICH RAFFLE
 TICKETS ARE 50 CENTS OR 3 FOR \$1
 SOLD DURING LUNCH
 UPCOMING: DEC 17 AND 18 BAKE SALE DURING LUNCH
 ALL ITEMS 50 CENTS
 DEC. 7-11 CANNED FOOD DRIVE, CLASS THAT BRINGS
 IN THE MOST CANNED GOODS...WILL RECEIVE A
 FROSTY PARTY!!!

ATTENDANCE

Please remember to call in your child when they are ill or have a doctors appointment. Please bring the doctor's note with the child the day they return. If the doctor suggests no recess or PE please have the doctor write a note, even if a cast is applied.



Word of the Month

Character education continues to be important lesson throughout the school year. Character traits should be carried outside of the school into the home, community, and world. For the month of November, the character word of the month is **Citizenship**. Remember children look up to those adults whom they are closes with, so modeling positive behaviors are keys to children learning.

How to be a Good "Student" "Citizen

- Do your share to make your school, community, and the world a better place.
 - Take responsibility for what you do.
 - Participate in community service.
 - Be a good classmate, neighbor, and citizen.
 - Treat other people with respect.
 - Follow the rules of your family, your school, and your community/society.
- Help take care of the environment.

Why you should be a Good "Student" Citizen

- To make the world a better place to live.
 - To make a positive impact on your community.
- To feel proud and good about yourself
 Ask yourself what you do to be a good citizen each day.

Let it snow!!!!

Remember the weather changes every day! Please make sure your child has the appropriate clothes. We go outside unless it is raining or under 20 degrees. Hats, gloves and scarves are needed as they are outside for 30 minutes. Thank you for your cooperation!

Please listen to the local radio stations or TV stations for weather advisories. They will also have the delays and closings scrolling across the bottom of the screen. Alerts are also available online. You have sent in your Alert Now form for the phone call from the school for the delays and closings.

These are the many ways to know if school is delayed or closed.





October STAR CUBS



- K – Logan LeJuene, Cienna Heineman., Addie Stover , Elizabeth Keller, Jaedyn Bulger, Noah Wiezorek
- 1- Carley Hottinger, Alexyia Montalvo
- 2 – Brady Oddo, Drew Garza, Trinity Damschroder, Daniella Ortiz, Kaden White
- 3 – Aaron Lahman, Lyssa Gschwind , Camryn Root, Keiara Dukes, Braxton White, Nickolas Grove, Justine Cronin
- 4 –Anastasia Reidenbach, Jazmin Bulger, Noah Massie, Zoe Tucker
- 5 - Valerie Chavez, Hannah Hamons, Xavier Mendoza, Cierra Gonzales
- 6 – Nicholas Kolbus, Jasmine Scott, Jordan Hershey, and Chelsey Webb

Basket Winner from the Fall Festival

Ella Smith, Kourtney Jared, Kaitie Reed, Laurie Selvey, Shane Vanderveen, Kasi Turner, Gina Reed, Samantha Karr, Gene Smith, Andrea Ortiz, Carley Hottinger, Manny Oriiz, Mary Green, Charlie Clark, Braelyn Horn, Tom Root, Justin Howell, Michele Cummings, Jeannine Brown and Kelly Hasselbach
 Thanks for everyone participating in this PTO sponsored event!!! Fun times were had my all!!

NOVEMBER 14, 2009

**FREMONT AREA
SCHOOL CHESS
TOURNAMENT**

CHESS CLASSIC

4 ROUNDS
 1ST & 2ND PLACE AWARDS
 High School \ Middle \ Elementary
 Lunch provided
 Chess Displays
 USCF rules for guideline

FREMONT MIDDLE SCHOOL CAFETERIA

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
 Playing site: Cafeteria
 \$5.00 entry fee

Sponsored by:

Fremont Area Chess Club and Fremont Middle School

Awards from Bay Trophy

Registration 9:00 – 9:30 AM

You may phone in your registration to:
 John L. Hibbler at
 419-334-8886

**Hayes Elementary PTO – Your
Parent/Teacher Organization**

****NEXT MEETING – NOVEMBER 3,
2009, 3:45 PM IN THE LIBRARY****

THANK YOU! We appreciate your support of the Fall Festival and hope you had a great time. A big thank you to our volunteers (parents and friends, and Hayes teachers and staff, and Ross HS NHS) for all of your help!

WHAT'S NEXT: We are going to start discussions about getting new playground equipment for our school. We will be applying for grants but that will not cover all of the costs. So we are pursuing other fundraising methods to help us reach our goals.

PAPA MURPHY'S PIZZA DAY: The next fundraising event is the Papa Murphy's Pizza Day on November 4, 2009. Some teachers and members of PTO will be there that evening making pizzas. Please come out and order a pizza that day and support Hayes Elementary! Desperate plea for assistance: We do need some help that day from 5:00-6:30. If you might have some time to help, please let us know.

SECRET SANTA SHOP: The Secret Santa Shop will be happening again in December. This is not run as a fundraiser. It runs as a special treat for children who want to buy little gifts for family and friends. We do need help at lunch time the week before Christmas. If you might have a little free time, please let us know.

If you want to keep up with the PTO, send an email to hayes_pto@yahoo.com or Friend Hayes_PTO on Facebook!