



The Webster Wildcat



Webster Elementary School - Where students ROAR!

Wednesday, April 25, 2012

Mrs. Kathryn Borowicz, Principal

Looking Ahead...

- 4/25 Webster Wildcat goes home
Instrument fittings (5th grade)
- 4/26 PTA Mystery Night 6:00-8:00
- 4/27 ROAR!
- 4/30 Math Club
- 5/2 Fifth Grade Camp
- 5/3 Fifth Grade Camp
Red Cross Blood Drive 1:00-7:00
PTA meeting 3:30
Youth Assistance Night 6:30 p.m.
- 5/4 Fifth Grade Camp
- 5/7-5/11 Book Fair
- 5/7-5/11 Teacher Appreciation Week
- 5/7 Morning Meeting
Math Club
- 5/8 Second Grade Field Trip
- 5/9 Student of the Month Breakfast
Webster Wildcat goes home
- 5/10 Choir to Hoover 8:30-10:45
Choir Concert 7:00 @ HPJH
- 5/11 End of the first five weeks of
the 3rd marking period
Fifth grade to HPJH for Civil
War Shared learning experience
Mother's Day Flower Sale
- 5/14-5/25 Reading End of the Year Testing
- 5/15 Vision Screening PreK, 1, 3, 5
- 5/16 Five Week Reports go home
Vision Screening PreK, 1, 3, 5
- 5/17 Vision Screening PreK, 1, 3, 5
- 5/18 Vision Screening PreK, 1, 3, 5
Pre-School Information Fair
Green Acres Park 2:00-7:00

**No School for students:
May 28 and May 29**

**Last Day of School:
June 13
School dismissed at 11:00**

Scrap Booking Event

When: April 27
 Where: Webb Elementary Cafeteria
 Time: 5:00 - 10:00
 Cost: \$15.00 (includes dinner, snacks and a chance to win the door prize!)

Electricity is available, but space is limited. Please reserve your spot early by contacting Ann Ayers at 248-159-1667 or ayersann68@wowway.com. There will be a Creative Memories Consultant on hand for advice or if you need supplies. Proceeds go to the Senior All Night Party.

Rummage Sale

The HPHS Board of Directors will be holding a Rummage Sale on Saturday May 5 and Sunday May 6 at Hazel Park High School to benefit the **Promise Zone**. Scheduled drop-off times are April 19, April 26, May 1, May 2 and May 3 from 3:00-6:00 p.m. Drop off will be held at the side parking lot of HPHS; please pull up next to the POD. A receipt will be provided at the time of the drop off. Donations will be accepted now. Please contact Toby Gordon at tgordon@hazelpark.k12.mi.us with any questions.

Webster's Whaling Windows

Have you checked out the fantastic art-work on display in the windows of the classrooms surrounding the Media Center? If you haven't, now is the time to do so. Students in the Art Club, under the direction of teachers **Mrs. Emlet** and **Mrs. Platt** have demonstrated their skills in an outstanding manner! After **Mrs. Weidman** got them started, the students took the ideas and ran with them! **Mrs. Smith** showed the students how to sew the fish that you will see hanging from the ceiling. We thank all of the adults for the help they gave our students. Our students rock!!!

5th Grade Civil War Bingo Challenge

Fifth Grade students have been working hard on completing Bingo Squares for a Civil War Bingo Challenge. Squares can be earned by reading historical fiction and nonfiction books about the Civil War, creating art work representative of Union or Confederate, listening to Civil War Music, creating maps, watching movies and reading poems from the Civil War. Students have until May 11th to complete as many Bingos as possible. Special congratulations to **Kyndle Saffold** and **Zaid Aleesha** for earning their second Bingo! Congratulations to each of the following students who have earned their first Civil War Bingo. Students may earn as many Bingos as possible. **Dalaya Hawkins, Angelique Carter, Gabby Crossno, Joseph Jones, Rebekah Jones**

ACES

ACES is an acronym for All Children Exercise Simultaneously. Project ACES takes place on the first Wednesday in May as part of National Physical Fitness and Sports Month along with National Physical Education Week. It has been labeled as "the world's largest exercise class" by the media. Since 1989, millions of children from all over the world exercise together to promote proper health and fitness habits. With the obesity epidemic facing the youth of the world, children's fitness plays a major role in fighting heart disease. Mr. Sadler will lead the entire school in a walk around the block at 10:00 on May 2, stressing the importance of "movement". If you would like to join us in our walk, please meet us on the front lawn at 10:00 a.m.! Parents, if you do not wish your child to participate in this walk, please inform the office in writing by Tuesday, May 1st.

Have you moved?

If you have recently moved from the Webster attendance area, please notify the office of your new address and phone numbers. It is very important that we have this information in case of an emergency. Also, if any other information has changed on your child's emergency card, please feel free to stop in the office to change the card. Even if you have just moved down the block, we are required to have on file proof of residency documentation. In a recent audit we discovered that we did not have the required documentation regarding some of our students and we were requested to obtain that information. We must have proof of residency for each of our students showing their current address. Thank you for your cooperation.

Did you know...

that when a child comes to school with a cut, bruise, or other marks, or complains of an adult taking a violent action against them, we have no choice but to call Children's Protective Services? The Child Protection Law mandates that all teachers and administrators do so. We cannot investigate the incident with a parent; Children's Protective Services is the investigative agency in these matters. We hope that parents understand that when school personnel become aware of circumstances where a child has possibly been abused, we have to follow the law and inform Children's Protective Services. This also applies to parental neglect such as leaving a child alone, not providing meals, clean clothing, or the practice of good hygiene; the abuse and neglect law is for the protection of children.

Playground

Use of the playground is only permitted during supervised times at lunch or classroom recess. Students are not allowed on the playground on the way to or from school unless the child's parent is with him. Parental help is requested to help enforce the "No Play" rule. For safety's sake, we ask that parents expect their children to go directly home after school.

Teacher Appreciation Week

Thousands of communities will take time out during the week of May 7 to honor their local educators and acknowledge the contributions they make to our lives. We are so fortunate to have such an outstanding faculty here at Webster! If you would like to thank a teacher, the week of May 7 would be a great time to do so!

