



# CEDARVILLE CONNECTION

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**Our mission at Cedarville Elementary School is:**  
*To build a solid academic foundation and develop fundamental skills that will lead our students into a lifetime of success.*

## From the desk of the Principal...

On Wednesday, November 13<sup>th</sup>, we welcomed Mr. Bob Nelson, member of the EACS Board of Trustees, as **Principal for the Day**. Mr. Nelson's visit was part of a district-wide event to promote understanding and build relationships between schools and the community.



Mr. Nelson reflected on his day in the following email:

*Thank you so much for allowing me the opportunity to be Principal for the Day at Cedarville Elementary School.*

*From the moment I was greeted by Dr. Bakle, it was very obvious to me that the students, staff and administration at Cedarville had such a caring and respectful attitude for everyone. As you walk the halls of Cedarville, you could just see and feel the "moments" that the staff tried to instill in each and every student.*

*I had the opportunity to read to a kindergarten class, discuss homophones with the third grade class (principle and principal) and enjoy a fantastic lunch served up by the kitchen staff.*

*My favorite part of the day was discussing about Dr. Bakle with some first grade students. When I first met the students I called Principal Bakle, Principal Brad. One young lady informed me that he was not Principal Brad, he was Dr. Bakle... but he was not a real doctor, in fact, he was not even a veterinarian. Another girl sitting nearby said he was a doctor because he had a degree, which made him really smart. At that point, Dr. Bakle and I had a teaching opportunity and we explained to the students what the differences were and what a degree*

*meant. It was just great to hear the excitement in the children's voices as we related back and forth.*

*I also had an opportunity to meet with many staff members, and I'm proud to report EACS is full of outstanding people. I even had a chance to reminisce a bit with some "Woodlan graduates."*

*Thank you so much and I look forward to doing it again. Last year I was at New Haven Intermediate and this year Cedarville, I consider myself fortunate to have met both staffs.*

*Yours truly,  
Bob Nelson*

## 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Sport Stacking Winners – 2013

Students have been busy in gym class preparing for the Guinness Book of World Records Sport-Stacking event that took place on Thursday, November 14<sup>th</sup>, in over 2,800 schools. During the course of the day, each sport stacker stacked and down-stacked specially designed cups called Speed Stacks in prescribed patterns at lightning speed.



### 3-3-3

(101) Will Lashure – 3.86  
(125) Isaac Copeland - 4.19  
(124) Max Otto – 3.48

### 3-6-3

Will Lashure – 3.46  
Isaac Copeland – 5.44  
Max Otto – 3.52

### 3-3-3 Relay

(107) Noah Crawford, Tristan Roberts, Maci Tchinski, Sarah Witmer – 33.20  
(125) Trey Hiteshew, Jagger Galbreath, Braden Green, Isaac Copeland – 28.88  
(124) Caitlyn Stetzel, Rachyl Bergoff, Calvin Hartleroad, Truman Wirtz – 26.08

### 3-6-3 Relay

(101) Rihannah Hullinger, Brady Sharp, Ella Wehrle, Will Lashure – 43.19  
(125) Kacey Gibson, Jagger Galbreath, Braden Green, Isaac Copeland – 34.24  
(118) Caden Schrock, Ellie Sauder, Calvin Hartleroad, Truman Wirtz – 34.97

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"Tell me what you read and I'll tell you who you are" is true enough, but I'd know you better if you told me what you reread."

– Francois Muriac

## Favorites of Mrs. Delagrang, First Grade:

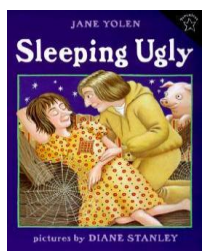
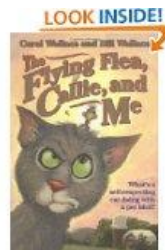
I have chosen books that I love to read or have students read in the classroom.

### Read Alouds:



**Amelia Bedelia** books by Peggy Parish  
Amelia Bedelia has such a unique way of interpreting words. Her actions make the books very silly and funny. Students also get to learn about literal or double meanings of sayings in the books, too.

**The Flying Flea, Callie, and Me**  
by Carol and Bill Wallace  
When I read this story aloud, the students are so quiet and hang on every word. The story is from a cat's perspective and is very funny yet heartwarming.



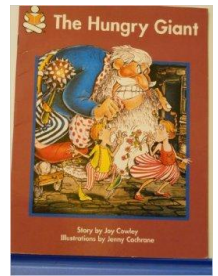
Fractured fairytales like: **Sleeping Ugly** by Jane Yolen  
There is nothing better than to hear a new twist on an old story. Fractured fairytales give us that twist. Many of them are funny and entertaining. The students love to compare the original versions with the fractured versions.

### Books to have students read in group:

**Little Critter** books by Mercer Mayer  
Little Critter has many adventures and things happen to him that relate to real life. The stories are interesting and fun. Students can really relate to these books.



**The Hungry Giant** by Joy Cowley  
Students love reading this book because the giant is very mean and they get to shout like the mean giant. In the end, the giant gets what he deserves for being so mean to the towns people, and they love that part, too. It is fun book to read!

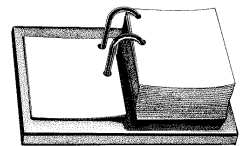


### Murder on the Nile...

Leo High School - 14600 Amstutz Road, Leo, IN 46765  
November 21, 22, and 23 at 7pm  
Tickets: \$6 advance, \$8 day of show  
For more information, call 446-0180

### Mark Your Calendar...

- Nov. 21: "Kick It with Blue" school assembly: wear colts colors or clothing if you can
- Nov. 22: Campbell's Soup Labels for Education collection day
- Nov. 22: **Popcorn/Pretzel Friday and Spirit Day wear purple and white**
- Nov. 25: Canned Food Drive begins and runs through Dec. 18<sup>th</sup>.
- Nov. 27: Grade 3 visit from Zoomobile; Collaboration Day
- Nov. 28 – 29: Thanksgiving Break – **NO SCHOOL**
- Dec. 3: Winter Music Program for grade 2 @ 6:30 p.m.
- Dec. 4: Collaboration Day
- Dec. 6: Campbell's Soup Labels for Education collection day
- Dec. 10: Winter Music Program for grade 1 @ 6:30 p.m.
- Dec. 11: Collaboration Day
- Dec. 18: Canned Food Drive ends; Collaboration Day
- Dec. 19: **Class Holiday Parties**
- Dec. 20: Campbell's Soup Labels for Education collection day
- Dec. 21- Jan. 5: Holiday Break – **NO SCHOOL**
- Jan. 6: ½ day district work in the building and ½ day teacher work day - **NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS**



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