



CEDARVILLE CONNECTION

February 12, 2014

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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...

The safety of our students is of the highest priority, especially as they arrive at school each morning and as they leave at the end of the day! With that in mind, I'd like to remind parents of some of our car-line procedures that seem to be getting sketchy:

- ❖ If a parent needs to enter the building at pick-up/drop-off times (for example, to talk with his/her child's teacher), it will be necessary to park in the **North** lot facing State Road 1.
- ❖ If a parent does not need to enter the building at a pick-up/drop off time, he or she is expected to remain in the car line to pick-up or drop-off the student. This will reduce the number of parents and students disrupting the flow of traffic in the car line.
- ❖ Please be patient with the car lines. It doesn't take long to run cars through. If you must, remember that parents and students should exercise great caution when walking through the parking lot, and should avoid walking between cars that are in line.
- ❖ **Under no circumstances shall a parent drop off or pick-up a child from the parking lot and allow the child to walk unattended to/from the building.**

Your patience and cooperation are greatly appreciated as we work together to keep our students safe!

Kindergarten Roundup...

If you (or someone you might know) have a child entering kindergarten at Cedarville during the 2014-15 school year, you may enroll your child here at the school any time between 8:15 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. on **Thursday, March 13, 2014**. If you cannot attend on this date, we are available during school hours through mid-June.

School Choice Forms Available...

For families wishing to attend an EACS school but not living in that school's attendance area, and NOT ALREADY ATTENDING their school of choice...School Choice Transfer Forms for the 2014-15 school year are available upon request in the school office, as well as on the EACS website, from February 3 - March 14, 2014. Students must already be in the EACS attendance area, *and must have the form completed and submitted by the March 14th deadline*. Families only need to submit a School Choice Form when the child first enters the

requested building. Parents of third graders who are currently doing choice need to complete a form for next year if going to Leo Elementary School.

Hoopsters Remembered...

In an event to be remembered, K105 Radio Personalities defeated the Cedarville / Leo Staff **66 to 56!** Our staffs still reign supreme with a 3-1 record vs. K105!

THANK YOU to K105, Dan Austin, Dude Walker, the Cedarville/Leo PTO, the Livingston family, Cedarville and Leo staff members, students, and all of the families and friends of our school who planned, manned, braved the elements to attend, and enjoyed the Hoopsters basketball game at Leo High School on February 6th!

For pictures and video feed from the studio, be sure to visit <http://k105fm.com/Events/K105Hoopsters.aspx>



FAVORITE I V E



“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

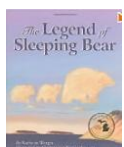
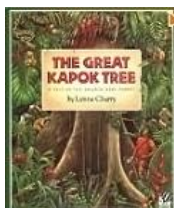
Favorites of Mrs. Kumle, Kindergarten:

I LOVE to read aloud children’s books that I can change voices for the characters. The children become much more engaged in the stories when the characters take on different voice tones, accents, etc. The characters seem to come to life for the students. It sure makes sitting still and listening a lot more fun. Here are some of my favorites.



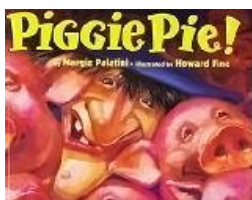
Epossumondas by Colleen Salley: This little possum “...doesn’t have the sense he was born with.” He is his mama’s little sweet patootie and does exactly as she says—just not in the right situations!

The Great Kapok Tree by Lynne Cherry: Many rainforest animals bring their own voices to the story that teaches a great lesson of conservation. Snakes hiss. The sloth is slow. The monkeys scamper. The jaguar creeps. Finally, the man sees the rainforest from their points of view.



The Legend of the Sleeping Bear by Kathy-jo Wargin: This is a legend of how the Sleeping Bear Sand Dunes came to be. You might just need a tissue when reading the mama bears part.

Pumpkin Soup by Helen Cooper: This is the story of three animal friends who make pumpkin soup and what happens one decides he doesn’t like his job! Time for tears, temper tantrums with a cat and squirrel who are very set in their ways.



Piggie Pie by Margie Palatini: Gritch the Witch needs “eight plump piggies” to make her dinner. The pigs go to great lengths to fool her. She is my favorite character to bring to life. Our personalities must be similar!

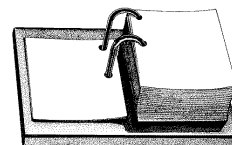
Help Support Leo Jr/Sr High School Band...

Market Day pick—up will be Friday, February 14th, at 4:30 p.m. at Leo High School, door 4. Profits from Market Day benefit the Leo Band.



Mark Your Calendar...

- Feb. 17: **Presidents' Day, School in session (snow make up day)**
- Feb. 18: Grade 2 Dental Health Program with Dr. Hoagburg’s staff in the pit.
- Feb. 19: Collaboration Day
- Feb. 20: Grade 3 to Embassy 9:00 - 11:15 for Aesop’s Fables performance
- Feb. 20: Grade K-2 to Embassy 11:20 – 1:45 for Aesop’s Fables performance
- Feb. 21: **BOX TOP\$ for Education** contest ends
- Feb. 21: Carnival Pre-Sale Raffle Collection Day
- Feb. 26: Carnival pre-sale Game Tickets go on sale and will run through March 5
- Feb. 26: Collaboration Day
- Feb. 28: Popcorn/Pretzel Friday and SPIRIT DAY
- Feb. 28: Carnival Pre-Sale Raffle Collection Day
- Feb. 28: Campbell’s Soup Labels for Education collection day
- Mar. 5: Final day selling Carnival pre-sale Game Tickets
- Mar. 5: Collaboration Day
- Mar. 8: **PTO STAR-nival @ LEHS 4:00-8:00 p.m. Don’t forget to sign-up.**
- Mar. 13: **Kindergarten Enrollment Day**
- Mar. 14: PTO Meeting @ LEEL 9:30 a.m.
- Mar. 15 – 16: F.A.M.E. FESTIVAL @ Grand Wayne Center
- Mar. 20: Room 112 and 125 to FW Museum of Art
- Mar. 21: Room 114 and 122 to FW Museum of Art
- Mar. 26: Spring Pictures; Collaboration Day
- Mar. 27: Room 126 to FW Museum of Art
- Mar. 28: Campbell’s Soup Labels for Education collection day
- Mar. 28: Room 116 and 121 to FW Museum of Art
- Mar. 28: Popcorn/Pretzel Friday and SPIRIT DAY
- Mar. 31- Apr. 4: **SPRING BREAK – NO SCHOOL**



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