



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...

Thanks to the Cedarville/Leo PTO, staff members, and the numerous parent volunteers who brought the STAR-NIVAL to life on March 8th! This event would not be possible without the dedicated leadership and creativity of our Carnival Committee and the selfless contributions of time and resources of all of our volunteers and supporters!



Doubles

10U

Olivia Lashure/Chloe Hogue – 3rd
Logan French/Truman Wirtz – 8th

Relays

6U – Lydia Hogue, Hayden Roberts, Selah Wirtz, Megan Judd – 1st

8U – Braden Green, Isaac Copeland, Patrick Judd, Max Otto – 2nd

Will Lashure, Tristan Roberts, Dylan Rochelle, Lukas French – 5th

10U – Olivia Lashure, Chloe Hogue, Calvin Hartleroad, Truman Wirtz, Logan French – 3rd

Sport Stacking Results – 2014...

The results of the WSSA Great Lakes Regional & Hoosier State Sport Stacking Championships are:

	<u>3-3-3</u>	<u>3-6-3</u>	<u>Cycle</u>
<u>6 & Under</u>			
Megan Judd	3 rd	4 th	3 rd
Selah Wirtz	5 th	3 rd	4 th
Lydia Hogue	7 th	8 th	8 th
Hayden Roberts	3 rd	2 nd	3 rd
<u>7 - 8</u>			
Olivia Lashure	3 rd	6 th	6 th
Max Otto	4 th	5 th	7 th
Will Lashure	5 th	3 rd	10 th
Patrick Judd	6 th	9 th	4 th
Braden Green	7 th	6 th	
Dylan Rochelle	8 th	7 th	
Calvin Hartleroad			6 th
Tristan Roberts			
Lukas French			
<u>9 - 10</u>			
Chloe Hogue	3 rd	6 th	
Logan French			
Truman Wirtz			8 th



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

Pick up for Market Day orders will be Friday, March 14th; 4:30pm at Leo High School, door 4. Profits from Market Day will benefit the Leo Band. Leo Band account #: 10054



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Dylan Rochelle/Tristan Roberts – 8th
Lukas French/Max Otto – 10th



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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. Firestine, Grade 3:

I have always loved to read for as long as I can remember. Each year, I try to introduce my students to authors or series they might not have read before. Here are a few of my favorites:

Frindle by Andrew Clements

This is a story that has fun with words. This book allows children to think about derivative of words, and even how they could create a word and think about its use. After reading this story the students love trying to think of new names for things.



Nick Allen has a reputation for devising clever, time-wasting schemes guaranteed to distract even the most conscientious teacher. His diversions backfire in Mrs. Granger's class resulting in Nick being assigned an extra report on how new entries are added to the dictionary. Surprisingly, the research provides Nick with his best idea ever, and he decides to coin his own new word. Mrs. Granger has a passion for vocabulary, but Nick's (and soon the rest of the school's) insistence on referring to pens as "frindles" annoys her greatly. The war of words escalates--resulting in after-school punishments, a home visit from the principal, national publicity, economic opportunities for local entrepreneurs, and, eventually, inclusion of *frindle* in the dictionary.



The Best Christmas Pageant Ever by Barbara Robinson

I loved this book growing up, and I still love it now. It is a laugh out loud kind of story with a feel good moral at the end of it. In this hilarious Christmas tale, a reluctant volunteer

mom struggling to put on a church Christmas pageant is faced with casting the Herdman kids-- probably the most inventively awful kids in history. You won't believe the mayhem—and the fun-- when the Herdman's collide with the Christmas story head on!

Gooney Bird Greene by Lois Lowry

This book is funny and teaches the students how to include details their writing. This is my favorite book to read to the students because they have not read her books before and can't wait to read more.

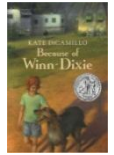


graders are intrigued by her unique sense of style and her unusual lunches. So when story time arrives, the choice is unanimous: they want to hear about Gooney Bird Greene. That suits Gooney Bird just fine because, as it turns out, she has quite a few interesting and "absolutely true" stories to tell.

Because of Winn Dixie by Kate DiCamillo

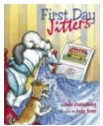
This is a great book for children because the story teaches a lesson of being grateful for what you have and how to treat others.

Because of a hysterical encounter with Winn-Dixie, a stray but lovable dog, India Opal's life changes forever. Opal is forced to deal with the absence of her mother and a father who is absorbed in his work. One day she stumbles upon a stray dog in the Winn-Dixie grocery and it's love at first sight. Opal adopts the dog and he helps her make friends with people that the town-folks have labeled as strange and different. This is a beautiful story about friendship, forgiveness, and tolerance.



First Day Jitters by Julie Danneberg

I read this book every year on the first day of school. It is a nice ice breaker for students who are feeling nervous about a new grade or teacher. The students love the surprise ending.



Sarah Jane is worried about going to a new school. She refuses to get out of bed because she keeps imagining all the bad things that can happen. Readers will understand and sympathize with Sarah's feelings and laugh when they discover the surprise ending to this delightful story.

I hope you and your child/children enjoy reading these books as much as I do. ☺

Mark Your Calendar...

Mar. 14: PTO Meeting @ LEEL
9:30 a.m.

Mar. 15 –
16:F.A.M.E. FESTIVAL @ Grand Wayne Center

Mar. 18 –
20: Grade 3 IREAD-3 Assessments

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

Mar. 27: Room 126 to FW Museum of Art

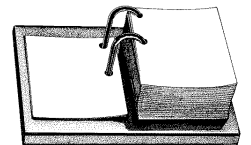
Mar. 28: Campbell's Soup Labels for Education
collection day

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**



From the moment Gooney Bird Greene arrives at Watertower Elementary School, her fellow second-