



CEDARVILLE CONNECTION

January 9, 2013

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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...

BLUE, the mascot for the Indianapolis Colts, will be coming to Cedarville Elementary on Friday, January 11th, for a **Take PRIDE in Yourself** school show. We are only 1 of 75 schools in the state to receive a visit from **BLUE**. The program, sponsored in part by hgregg, is



TAKE P.R.I.D.E. IN YOURSELF

based on the following:

- P**hysical fitness
- R**espect
- I**ntelligent decisions (saying no to drugs, alcohol, and tobacco)
- D**iet
- E**ducation

BLUE and his emcee will lead the audience through the acronym of P.R.I.D.E. with bright visuals, magic tricks, and audience participation. Students receive a clear message with a hefty dose of humor! **WEAR BLUE AND WHITE IF YOU CAN!**

Labels for Education Contest...

Remember to save those Labels for Education for the contest beginning next week. The



classroom that brings in the most Labels for Education points between **January 14th and January 25th** will win a party! Start collecting now! Thanks for helping our school!

Family Fun Hoopsters Night...

K105 Radio Personalities vs Cedarville/Leo Staff



Come and join the fun as staff and teachers from Cedarville and Leo Elementary Schools face off against K105 fm Country Radio personalities in **THE basketball event of the season!**

WHEN: Monday, January 28, 2013
Doors open at 6:15p.m.
Game starts at 7:00p.m.

WHERE: Leo High School Gymnasium
ADMISSION: Only \$2.00 per person

Plan now to join us for an action-packed evening of some of the best family entertainment you can find anywhere!

Supporting our Community...

Please join the Leo Jr./Sr. High School Band for a fundraising night at East of Chicago Pizza. A percentage of your order and all tips from the dining room will go to the band's uniform fund.

When: Tuesday, January 22, 2013 5-8 p.m.
Where: East of Chicago 11119 Grabill Road

Spirit Day...

Wear your Super Fan t-shirt, Cedarville Spiritwear, or any other purple clothing to school on **January 28th**, to show your support of our Leo-Cedarville team!

Super Fan T-shirt Winner...

Julian Cook, a kindergartner from Mrs. Hensch's class, is the winner of the SUPER FAN T-shirt design contest!

Congratulations, Julian, on a SUPER job!

Teacher Feature

Spotlighting Mrs. Fipp, First Grade Teacher...

When I was nine years old, I taught a neighbor girl to read. I have known since that experience that this is the job for me. There is nothing like teaching a student. It is truly rewarding work. I have had the opportunity to teach three grade levels in my four years of experience. I am thrilled to be teaching at Cedarville again. The parents are very helpful and the community is exceptionally welcoming.



Fun Fact: My family was one of the first farming families to settle in this part of Allen County. My Great, Great, Great Grandpa Notestine made the Notestine Road by dragging a tree wrapped in chains behind a team of horses.

Reminder from the cafeteria...

When your child's lunch account is below \$5.00, an automated phone call goes out to parents. (The cafeteria does not send home letters anymore.) Parents can also access their child's account through the Parent Access Login link under the Parents tab.

Food for thought...

Just for today, I will be happy. This assumes that what Abraham Lincoln said is true, that "most folks are about as happy as they make up their minds to be." Happiness is from within; it is not a matter of externals.

Just for today, I will try to adjust myself to what is, and not try to adjust everything to my own desires. I will take my family, my business, and my luck as they come and fit myself to them.

Just for today I will try to strengthen my mind. I will learn something useful. I will not be a mental loafer. I will read something that requires effort, thought and concentration.

-- Sibyl F. Partridge, Composer

Where's my bus?

The EACS Transportation Department is now posting which buses are running late on the EACS web site. Look at the Quick Links section of the homepage, Bus Status.

BOX TOP\$ for Education contest ...

February 1st is the kick-off of our **BOX TOP\$ for Education** contest! The class that brings in the most box tops between February 1st and February 22nd will win a PIZZA PARTY! The top class in each grade level (second place class for the grade level with the top class in the school) will also earn a special treat!



Remember –

Bring in as many Box Tops as you can between February 1st and February 25th to help your class totals!

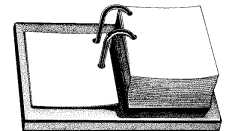
If you have the time:

- *Clip the box top out neatly around the edges*
- *If you have 50 box tops, place in one Ziploc bag and label it "50"*

(Of course, we take them any way we can get them! Just keep sending them to school!)

Mark Your Calendar...

Jan. 14: Campbell's Labels for Education contest begins and ends on January 25th



Jan. 16: Collaboration Day

Jan. 21: MLK Observance – **NO SCHOOL**



... where they will not be judged by the color of their skin but by the content of their character.
Martin Luther King, Jr.

Jan. 23: Collaboration Day

Jan. 24: Philharmonic Brass Quartet @ 9:30 and 10:15

Jan. 25: Popcorn/Pretzel Friday and SPIRIT DAY

Jan. 28: **Scholastic Book Fair through Jan. 31**

Jan. 28: **Hoopsters Basketball Game 7:00 p.m. @ LEHS (CEEL and LEEL staff vs. K105!!!) Doors open @ 6:30**

Jan. 30: Collaboration Day

Feb. 1: BOX TOP\$ for Education contest begins and runs through Feb. 22