Delta Center Dateliner

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April 12th, 2019

Calendar of Events

April 19 Half Day - Good Friday
Release at 12:05 pm

May 2 Music Around the World
4th grade
6:00 Ford / Soria
7:00 Slear / Granger

May 3 Mobile Dentist

May 9th Colonial America
5th grade
6:00 Caylor / Schuchaskie
7:00 Boucher / Lutz

May 10 Popcorn Day!!
25 cents a bag

May 13 6th grade Band Concert

May 23 Musical - Lion King Kids
6th grade
6:00 Carlson / Palacios
7:00 Brown / Whisman

May 24 Half Day
Release at 12:05 pm

May 27 No students
Memorial Day

June 2 Grand Ledge Schools
Lugnuts Day

June 4 Half Day of School -
LAST DAY OF SCHOOL
Release at 12:05 pm

Notes From Mrs. Bucholz

M-STEP

Our 5th graders started their M-STEP tests this week and other grade levels will be NWEA testing next week. It is very important to have good attendance throughout the testing windows. Don't misunderstand me, I am not asking you to send your children to school if they are ill, however, if at all possible, please schedule appointments before or after school to reduce the number of makeup test sessions. Students tend to perform better when testing with the entire class rather than during a makeup session in my office.

Test Windows

5th grade: April 8th - May 3rd

3rd, 4th & 6th grades: April 29th - May 24th

Half Day Reminder

Just a quick reminder that Friday the 19th is a half day of school. Students will be dismissed at 12:05.

End of Year Planning

As a staff, we will be taking steps in planning for next year. Like other schools in our district, we will NOT be accepting any teacher placement requests. Within the next couple of months, a team comprised of classroom teacher, the counselor, Dean of Students, resource teachers, reading teacher, and myself will be meeting to make placement decisions for your child. We will be reviewing your child's academic strengths, areas of need, learning preferences, and peer relationships in order to best place your child.

PTO Meeting

Our next PTO meeting is scheduled for May 8th at 7:00 pm. The meeting will be held in the Delta Center media center with free child care in the art room. We hope you can come and join us.

Check out the Delta Center Elementary Facebook Page where important dates and information will be posted. You can also follow Delta Center on Twitter.

2019-2020 Schools of Choice

Grand Ledge

Parents of Current Schools of Choice Students:

If your student is currently an external Schools of Choice student (meaning you live outside Grand Ledge Public Schools' boundaries) and you would like them to continue as a Schools of Choice student for the upcoming year, please send an email to D'Anne Golub at golubd@glcomets.net with your student's name and grade for the upcoming year and that your would like them to continue as a Schools of Choice student for the 2019-2020 school year. Current external Schools of Choice students do not need the online application process, but you do need to email D'Anne Golub.

Hi Delta Center Families,

I hope Spring break was relaxing and many great memories were made whether you ventured out of the Lansing area or had a staycation. I will be continuing my lessons in the classrooms during the month of April. My lessons for most of the grades will be based on "problem solving". The sixth grade students will be participating in lessons about "empathy". I have begun meeting with small groups and most of these groups will continue on until early May. If you have any questions about my classroom lessons or the small groups please do not hesitate to contact me.

April is a busy month for testing within the school. To help your child to do their best make sure they are getting a full night's rest and a good breakfast along with protein enriched snacks for during the school day. The right fuel for your child's body is critical for his/her success in school and extracurricular activities. AVOID or LIMIT sugary drinks and snacks. Stick to real food and balanced nutrients and your child's body will be able to recognize and digest them for increased focus, energy and balanced moods.

Snacks that combine nutrients for balanced energy, mood and focus:

- Apple slices with almond butter
- Apple or pear slices with cheese and nuts
- Smoothie with fresh fruit
- Veggie sticks with hummus or guacamole
- Hard boiled eggs
- Yogurt with chopped nuts
- Fresh fruits
- Fresh veggies

Make It A Great Day!
Amanda Loos
School Counselor
loosa@glcomets.net/517-925-5735

Hello! I'm Tricia Brentar, Dean of Students here at Delta Center Elementary School. I will be directing Camp Invention for the second year this June! Camp will be held at Delta Center the week of June 17 and is open to students entering K-6 grade in Grand Ledge and surrounding areas. Camp Invention is filled with hands-on fun that gets children excited about science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM). Your help is needed to provide scholarships to local underserved children so they can experience this great program too. It's easy! Just follow the link below to donate! Thank you!

https://connect.clickandpledge.com/Organization/NIHF/campaign/C-MI32-13211-19

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Your local Camp Invention site information:

REGISTER AT INVENT.ORG/CAMP OR 800-968-4332

Who: For children entering grades K–6
Location: Delta Center Elementary School
305 S. Canal Rd, Lansing, MI 48917
Date & Time: June 17 - 21, 2019 from 9:00am - 3:30pm
Price: $230 (before discount)
Director: Tricia Brentar | brentart@glcomets.net |

If these dates/times don't work for you, please visit invent.org/camp for other locations near you.

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Duck Tape®
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Burton D. Morgan Foundation
Nordson Corporation Foundation
United Way of Summit County
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Upcoming Music Programs!!!!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS
MUSIC PROGRAMS IN MAY

FOURTH GRADE

THURSDAY, MAY 2-**"IT'S A SMALL WORLD"**

6:00 Ford/Soria 7:00 Slear/Granger

WHAT TO WEAR? Jeans, capris, shorts and a SOLID color shirt

FIFTH GRADE

THURSDAY, MAY 9-**"MUSIC OF COLONIAL TIMES"**

6:00 Caylor/Schuchaskie. 7:00 Boucher/Lutz

WHAT TO WEAR? Info coming soon about Colonial Costumes

SIXTH GRADE

THE LION KING

THURSDAY, MAY 23

6:00 Carlson/Palacios 7:30 Brown/Whisman

$1.00 ADMISSION FEE (to pay back our PTO for buying a Broadway Script)

Costume note was sent home in MARCH!

Grasp is The Grand Rapids Academic Summer Program. This is a correspondence program in reading and math form grades K-8. There is also an online version fro grades 4-8. The program seeks to help students retain skills learned during the past school year by providing review exercises. Please fill out the form below and send in with your check to your student's teacher. Thank you!!

grasp

Grand Rapids Academic Summer Program

Dear Parent:

We have made arrangements to acquire the GRASP program for you this **summer**. GRASP is a correspondence program for grades K to 8 which helps students **maintain reading and math skills** while they are on summer break.

Children receive a packet of materials with a booklet containing 9 lessons. It takes approximately one hour to complete each lesson. Students submit one lesson a week starting June 10th or work at their own pace, as long as they submit all lessons before August 5th. They mail the lessons to GRASP where they are scored and returned to the children with comments.

We also have an on-line version of GRASP for students in 4th to 8th Grade. These students will receive feedback immediately.

Children successfully completing at least 7 lessons with 70% accuracy are awarded a certificate. Those successfully completing all 9 lessons with 70% accuracy receive a medal! **Certificates and medals will be distributed by your school instead of mailed as in the past.**

When registering, select the grade your child is just completing so they review material they learned. If your child is ahead or behind grade level, order the appropriate level. The fees for the summer of 2019 are $26 for one subject or $46 for both subjects for each child. You can enroll your child by completing the form below and paying the indicated enrollment fee.

THIS FORM AND FEE SHOULD BE RETURNED TO SCHOOL NO LATER THAN APRIL 15, 2019.
All materials or login information will be sent home with the child by the last week of school.

GRASP ENROLLMENT FORM

Child's Name _____ Phone ( ) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Parent's Email Address: _____

Student's Email Address: _____

				Book?	Online? (Grades 4-8 Only)
Enroll my child in: (Check one or both)	Math	☐	Grade Completed _____	☐	☐
	Reading	☐	Grade Completed _____	☐	☐

I am enclosing $ _____ TEACHER _____

MAKE THE CHECK PAYABLE TO YOUR SCHOOL
RETURN FORM AND FEE TO THE SCHOOL BY APRIL 15, 2019

Good Luck Clever Comets

Grand Ledge Teams at State Tournament!

Congratulations to our four Destination Imagination teams! They qualified and are competing in the state tournament this Saturday at MSU!

The Grand Ledge Blazing Builders team took first at regionals in the middle level technical challenge. Good luck at states to Tej Patel (Hayes), Katelyn Roberts (Delta Center), & Zach Zulewski (Hayes).

The C.A.R.L. team took first at regionals in the elementary level technical challenge. Good luck at states to Colin Flynn, Julian Lamb, Rebecca Patrick, Isabella Perez, Isabella Ramos, Nathan Schroeder, Kaiden Schulze (all Delta Center).

The Omega Comet Boys team took second at regionals in the elementary level improvisational challenge. Good luck at states to Brenden Bouton, Cruz Morden, Lincoln Morden, Matthew Ruswinckel, Nathan Ruswinckel, & Dallas Warner (all Delta Center).

The Monster Team took second at regionals in the middle level engineering challenge. Good luck at states to Alexandra Hicks (Delta Center), Memphis Kocher (Hayes), Israel Malone (Delta Center), & Julian Malone (Delta Center).

Good luck Saturday, Clever Comets! Look for pictures and more at the Clever Comets facebook page: **facebook.com/clevercomets.**

CLEVER COMETS!

A GRAND LEDGE TEAM!!!

Say yes to Michigan!

Free Parking • Free Admission • Fun for the Whole Family

May 11, 2019
10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Please join us for the third annual **Say Yes to Michigan Day** event as we celebrate the stories of the people, places and things that make Michigan so special!

- Celebrate the Michigan State Parks Centennial
- Have a laugh with Michigan-themed puppets
- Make Michigan-inspired crafts
- Learn from hands-on demonstrations
- ...and much more!

Michigan History Center
702 W. Kalamazoo St., Lansing, MI 48915
Michigan.gov/Museum

Michigan History Center

Andy Schor, Mayor

Human Relations & Community Services Department Presents:

Feed the Babies Keep them Dry

LANSING CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

501 Marshall Street
Lansing, MI 48912

Saturday, May 11th, 2019
10:00 a.m. — 2:00 p.m.

Advance registration is required no later than May 3rd
Please call 517-483-4477

Must bring proof of need (Medicaid, EBT, WIC Card)
Baby must be present (Newborn – 3 years old)

Childcare will be available for 4 years and older only.
Baby Food, Formula, Diapers, Strollers, High Chairs, Baby Baths and other baby items…
Prizes & Giveaways

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Featuring

- **MSU Expo Zone and More**
  Saturday, April 6
  MSU campus
- **Statewide Astronomy Night**
  Friday, April 12
  MSU campus and statewide
- **Take a Tour/Open House**
  Saturday, April 13
  MSU campus and beyond
- **Detroit Expo Day and More**
  Sunday, April 14
  Belle Isle and other Detroit locations

And MORE

Nights at the Museums • Science Cafes and Pubs • Demonstrations and Performances • Talks with Experts

all events FREE
sciencefestival.msu.edu

The Literacy Camp

A Unique Lansing-Area Summer Day Camp!

The Literacy Camp is a place where children grow and develop their love for reading and writing in a fun summer camp way!

- Children who LOVE to read and/or write!
- Children who need extra SUPPORT with reading & writing!
- Children who need a CHALLENGE with reading & writing!

INCOMING 1st-3rd Graders!

2019

the LITERACY camp

Camp Details:	AM	PM	Full Day
	8:30-12:00	12:30-4:00	8:30-4:00
June 17-21 June 24-28 July 15-19	$125/week $145/week (After May 1st)	$125/week $145/week (After May 1st)	$240/week $275/week (After May 1st)
River's Edge Community Church	12406 Broadbent Road LANSING, Michigan 48917 (Behind Art Van – on Saginaw)		

Early Registration through May 1st

Additional 10% off Sibling & "Refer-a-Friend"

"Our son was so mad that he had to attend a reading camp during summer break. The third day in, he asked if he could go for another week! For the first time, HE'S EXCITED to read and write! Thanks Ladies!!"
-Literacy Camp Parent

Register Today:
www.theliteracyladies.net

theliteracyladies@gmail.com
(517) 202-1617

MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY | College of Arts & Letters
CeLTA Language School

2019 LANGUAGE SUMMER CAMPS FOR CHILDREN AND TEENS

Our summer camps introduce children (ages 6-12) and teens (13+) to different languages and cultures by providing a fun learning environment that focuses on hands-on activities and interactions in the target language. No prior knowledge is required and children of higher levels can be accommodated.
Camps meet from 8:30-4:00 pm in Wells Hall.
Morning-only options (8:30-12:00 pm) are available for all kids camps.

SPANISH SESSION A*
June 24-28 (all day or morning only)

FRENCH SESSION A*
July 8-12 (all day or morning only)

FRENCH TEEN
July 15-19 (afternoon only, 12:30-4pm)

CHINESE
July 22-26 (all day or morning only)

KOREAN TEEN
July 22-26 (afternoon only, 12:30-4pm)

FRENCH SESSION B*
July 29-August 2(all day or morning only)

GERMAN
July 29-August 2 (all day or morning only)

JAPANESE
August 5-9 (all day or morning only)

SPANISH TEEN
August 5-9 (afternoon only, 12:30-4pm)

SPANISH SESSION B*
August 12-16 (all day or morning only)

Early registration rate (full payment due by May 17, 2019):
$275 for all-day camps (lunch provided by parents) $135 for half-day camps

After May 17: $295 for all-day camps (sack lunch provided by parents), $145 for half-days
B&A available upon request for an additional charge

*We are offering two French and two Spanish kids camps this summer. Topics covered in these camps are different. Students can register for either or both camps.

Enroll at: http://camps.cal.msu.edu
For information or questions,
call 517-355-7587 or
email cls@celta.msu.edu

CLS

MSU CeLTA Language School
College of Arts and Letters
http://cls.celta.msu.edu

MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY GIFTED AND TALENTED EDUCATION

Gifted and Talented Education (GATE) programs offer differentiated educational experiences for students in grades 3-11.

APPLY ONLINE AT WWW.GIFTED.MSU.EDU

2019-2020 Programs

Application Deadline: May 2, 2019

Summer Programs

Grades 3-11

GUPPY

Gifted University for Parents and Precocious Youth

GUPPY offers a variety of accelerated exploratory educational presentations and hands-on experiences in MSU's laboratories and classrooms. Topics range from STEAM curriculum and pre-medical topics.

Grades 3-4: June 22-23, 2019

Grades 5-6: June 21-23, 2019

MST@MSU

Math, Science, and Technology

This one-week residential or commuter program offers a wide range of advanced STEM curriculum that students don't have access to in middle school!

July 8-12, 2019

Grades: 7-8

MSTL

Math, Science, Technology, and Leadership

This two-week residential or commuter program offers advanced STEM topics such as Microbiology and Animation. Students will choose two STEM courses, as well as one recreational Leadership Workshop.

July 8-19, 2019

Grades: 9-10

IS4GT

Intensive Studies for Gifted and Talented

June 17-21, 2019

Grades 7-9: Forensic Science

Grades 8-10: Number Theory

Grades 9-10: Aircraft Piloting

June 24-28, 2019

Grades 7-9: PRE-MED ED

Grades 9-11: Behavioral Mathematics in Artificial Intelligence

Grades 9-11: Remote Drone Piloting

Grades 10-11: Lab Research in Microbiology

Academic Year Programs

Grades 7-9

ISHALL

Intensive Study in Humanities, Arts, Language, and Literature

Advanced readers study a wide range of texts in literature and humanities including novels, biographies, plays, poetry, and film.

Locations: MSU Campus, Avondale, Novi

LEAF

Cours de Langue pour Étudiants Avancés de Français

Students with a passion for French language and culture can complete four years of high school French curriculum in just two academic years.

Locations: MSU Campus/Online Hybrid

CHAMP

Cooperative Highly Accelerated Math Program

With weekly classes, CHAMP is an academic year-long program designed to teach students the required four-year high school mathematics curriculum in just two years.

Locations: MSU Campus, Avondale, Novi

ALL

Amo Linguae Latina (I Love Latin!)

Every semester of the program corresponds with one year of high school Language Arts/Latin emphasizing developing and refining reading and writing skills.

Locations: MSU Campus, Online-Hybrid

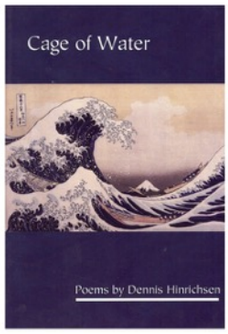
Grand Ledge Area District Library

Library News and Events

AN EVENING OF POETRY
FOR NATIONAL POETRY MONTH

Apr. 17th 6:30pm - 8pm

An evening of poetry featuring Lansing Poet Laureate, Dennis Hinrichsen, accompanied by a diverse group of exciting and terrific Grand Ledge & Lansing-area poets.



HOW TO ADULT: MONEY MATTERS & SAFE DRIVING*

Apr. 20th 11am - 1pm

Money Matters: Checking accounts, on-line banking, credit, debit, bill paying, saving and more! Presented by Eaton Federal Savings Bank.

Driving and Law Enforcement: Licenses to tickets -- what to do and how to safely cope with those encounters. Presented by the Grand Ledge Police Department.

GLASS PAINTING WITH FRIENDS*

Apr. 24th 5:30pm

Paint a beautiful scene on a glass dessert plate and learn more about the Friends of the Library!

TEEN LOCK-IN*

May 10th - 11th 8pm - 7am

Have you ever wanted to party all night in the library? Now is your chance! Sign up for our teen lock-in, where we will supply games, food, and movies! Registration and a parent/guardian permission slip is required -- 7th grade and up.

CHILDREN'S "ROYAL" VICTORIAN TEA*

May 18th 11am - 11:45am

Children can celebrate Victorian Days at a "Royal" Tea hosted by a beautiful Princess, Elena of Avalor! Dress up and enjoy tea, special stories, yummy treats, and more. Toys invited too! Seating limited to 40 guests.

PAWS FOR READING*

Apr. 16th & May 7th 6pm - 7pm

Dogs love stories too! Come and read to a therapy dog! Call the library to sign up for a 10 minute reading time with a certified therapy dog!

***Registration Required. To register visit our website, call 517.627.7014, or stop by the library during open hours.**

grandledge.lib.mi.us **517.627.7014**

131 E. Jefferson St., Grand Ledge MI 48837

Monday - Thursday 10am - 9pm, Friday & Saturday 10am - 5pm, Sunday 1 -5 pm

Storytimes at the library

Stories and Crafts
Tuesdays 10:30 a.m. Ages 3-5

Baby Time
Wednesdays 10:30 a.m. Ages birth-24 months.

Toddler Storytime
Thursdays 10:30 a.m. Ages 18-36 months.

Music and Movement Storytime
Fridays 10:30 a.m. All ages.

Meet Angie Thomas*

Tue, Apr 16 7 p.m.
Meet author Angie Thomas, author of the 2019 Capital Area Reads selection, *The Hate U Give* at **Holt High School Main Campus**, 5885 West Holt Road

Family Escape Room*

Wed, Apr 17 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.
Ages 5-8. Escape Rooms are fun mystery games in which you work as a team to solve a series of puzzles within a set time limit. In our family-friendly version, kids and their adults will work together and race against the clock.

Spring Cleaning Leads to Summer Reading

Get Your Library Card Back on Track

Eliminating overdue fines on youth materials.
Starting April 1, the library will no longer charge overdue fines for youth materials owned by the library.

Fine Forgiveness April 8-13.
Have a current late fine on your account? To celebrate National Library Week, we are offering Fine Forgiveness for anyone who stops by the circulation desk and updates their library card from April 8-13. Clear away up to $25 on past overdue fines by updating your contact information and renewing your card.

Spring cleaning with fine amnesty.
For the month of April, we are welcoming back our overdue books and the patrons that read them. Please bring any undamaged, overdue materials to the circulation desk, and we will waive all overdue fines on them.

*To register for Youth events, please call 517-321-4014 x3 or visit dtdl.org/events. To register for Adult events, please call 517-321-4014 x4 or visit dtdl.org/events.

Delta Center's PIZZA NIGHT is the 4th Tuesday of <u>every</u> month! Our next one is Tuesday, April 22! Please mention our school when you order at Hungry Howie's in Grand Ledge 517-627-8300 Thank you for helping our school!

3rd Grade Reading Law

In the fall of 2016, Governor Rick Snyder signed into law a bill that would attempt to boost early elementary reading skills in Michigan's schools.

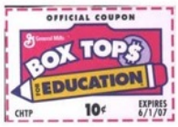
*** Please find more info regarding this on our webpage:**

www.glcomets.net/ourschools/elementary-grades-1---6/deltacenterelementary/news/

EASY ways to help our school

Box Tops for Education www.boxtops4educaton.com

Send boxtops into school with your students or place them in the collection bin located outside of the main office.



Shoparoo www.shoparoo.com *Sign up for this free app to earn for our school every time you shop!

Paper Gator Please feed our Paper Gator recycle bin located on the South side of our school. Please only feed our Paper Gator the following: Newsprint, Catalogs/magazines, junk mail, phone books, hard and soft cover books, plain wrapping paper (non metallic, non laminated)

Delta Center Toner Recycling Program We turn used toner and printer cartridges into Kleenex and pencils for the students. Please leave them by the lost and found.

Kroger Community Rewards Sign up at Kroger and simply swipe your Plus card for rewards!

Please send in to school the UPCs from your favorite products: Holsum, Sunbeam, Soft N' Good, and Aunt Millie

Go to smile.amazon.com and Amazon will donate 0.5% to our school!