Delta Center Dateliner

Lori Bucholz, Principal 305 S Canal, Lansing MI 48917 January 27th, 2017

Calendar of Events

Feb 3 2 HOUR EARLY RELEASE
(students released at 2:00pm)

Feb 8 STUDENT COUNT DAY

Feb 20 NO STUDENTS Pres. Day

March 10 1/2 DAY for students

March 31 NO STUDENTS

Apr 1-8 SPRING BREAK

Apr 10 Classes Resume

April 14 NO STUDENTS

April 24, 27, 28 Conferences

April 28 1/2 DAY for Students
Afternoon Conferences

May 26 1/2 DAY for Students

May 29 NO STUDENTS

June 13 Last Day of school
****1/2 day****

Notes From Mrs. Bucholz

Reminder: There is a 2 hour early release Friday, February 3rd. School will let out at 2:00 pm

It was great to finally have a full week of school and get back into our routine. As the weather continues to change from spring-like to winter, please be sure your children are dressed appropriately for going outside.

Valentine's Day parties will be on Tuesday, February 14th during the last hour of the day. A few classrooms may have a modified party schedule so they can attend specials classes. Please check classroom newsletters and Facebook pages for more information.

Milage Club will be starting up April 10th, a sure sign of Spring. Registration begins this coming Wednesday, February 1st and ends on March 6th. Information will be sent home in Friday folders.

Save the date!! The Grand Ledge Lugnut Night will be Friday, May 5th which also happens to fall on a night where kids eat free. This is always a fun event for our families. We will have more info as the date gets closer.

Our next PTO meeting will be Tuesday, February 14th at 7 pm (not the 16th as previously stated). The meeting will be held in the Delta Center media center with free child care in the art room. Please join us!

As always, please feel free to contact me with any question or concerns you may have. Thank you.

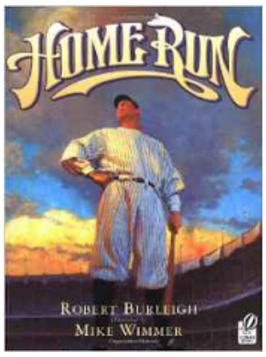
Grand Ledge Jr. Comets Softball ... Registration for the 2017 summer softball program is now open. Practices will begin when the weather permits (typically after spring break) and games start the last week of school. Please visit www.jrcometssoftball.com to register (early registration deadline 2/28/17 - $100 ... late registration 3/1-3/23 - $125 ... all payments due by 3/25 to hold your spot on a team). Evaluations will take place at the HS gym on March 25. **Important note for 2017 - At this time we are ONLY accepting 8U registration for returning players. All new 8U players are encouraged to sign up through Community Rec at www.glathletics.com. If you have questions, please contact Dave Sage at djsage31@msn.com

Cub Scouts Pack 657

On behalf of The Lions Club of Grand Ledge, we will be collecting used eyeglasses. These are checked & sanitized and given to those in need. A collection bucket is in the main office from Feb 1-17

PTO Bringing Author ROBERT BURLEIGH *to Delta Center!!*

To kick off our celebration of *March is Reading Month,* our PTO is bringing acclaimed author, **Robert Burleigh** to our school on March 2nd! He will be speaking to our students about writing non-fiction works, doing research, and the many topics and people about which he has written! Mrs. McBride has been introducing his works to all grade levels and has a display office books available in the library. **Order forms** for paperback and hardcover editions of nearly twenty of his books are coming home soon, so that you may purchase autographed copies for your children and friends. **Book Orders will be due on February 15th,** along with payment (by check - made out to Delta Center Library Fund). Schuler Books is applying our book sales and is providing discounted pricing for this event! **Thank you, PTO! and Thank you to Schuler Books!**



PTO Coupon Booklets

Thank you so much for your continued donations to our PTO! To supplement our fundraising this year, the PTO will have coupon booklets for sale in the office for $25. These books have over $5,000 in savings and have many local deals which include, Biggby, Dicks, Logan's, Dunkin Donuts, Chuck E Cheese, Zap Zone, pizza places, and many many more. Please stop by anytime during school hours to get yours. Also make great gifts!!

Easy ways to help our school

Box Tops for Education: www.boxtops4education.com

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

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

Paper Gator:

Please feed our Paper Gator recycle bin located on the South side of our school. Please ONLY feed our Paper Gator with:

*Newsprint *Catalogs/Magazines *Junk Mail *Phone Books, Hard and soft cover books *Plain wrapping paper (non metallic, non laminated)

My Coke Rewards:
www.mycokerewards.com
You may enter Coke reward points at the website; go to the Schools tab and click on Donate to a School OR send them to school with your student.

Delta Center Toner Recycling Program:
We turn your used toner and printer cartridges into Kleenex and pencils for the students. Please leave them by the Lost & Found.

~Kroger Community Rewards~

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

redrobin.com

1% of your meal to your school!

Music Room Information

State Honors Choir Info

Music will be distributed to those who auditioned and made the choir. Mrs. Wilkinson will have a rehearsal with these students soon during a recess time and then the music will be sent home with your student. More info soon!

Delta Center 5th & 6th Grade Comet Choir

Thanks to those that signed up! We have had a great first week of rehearsals. Please note on your calendar (wrong date given) the Grand Ledge H.S. performance is WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29, 2017 at 6:30 pm

Another Choir Opportunity at Michigan State University

(Community Music School) Pleas see the attached info. This is not the STATE HONORS CHOIR-this is a different choir that MSU is offering. No audition is needed. Paperwork and money need to be in by Feb. 10th Please see flyer below and send in to MSU for this one day event. See info below!

Community Music School

MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

Dear Lansing Area Families,

The MSU Community Music School Children and Youth Choir Program is offering an Elementary School Honor Choir on Saturday, March 4, 2017 in the Fairchild Theatre at Michigan State University. This opportunity is open to any student in the greater Lansing area schools currently in grades 3-6. The honor choir will meet in the morning, receive music, sing, learn, and have fun. After lunch, the students will perform the songs they have learned for family and friends. This concert will highlight the CMS choir, Cantabile and CMS Singers, and of course, the Elementary School Honor Choir. This is a wonderful opportunity for students to sing some wonderful music and meet other students that like to sing too!

Here is a tentative schedule for Saturday March 4:

8:30-9:00 am	Registration (Fairchild Theater)
9:00-11:30 am	Singing, Learning, Fun
11:30 am-12:30 pm	Lunch
12:45-1:45 pm	Dress Rehearsal
2:00 pm	Concert for Family and Friends- Free Admission

The cost to participate in the MSU Community Music School Elementary Honor Choir is $35.00 (checks can be made payable to "MSU"), which includes music, a t-shirt, and lunch. The deadline to sign-up is Friday February 10. Please share this information with any singers that might be interested in this fun opportunity.

If you have any questions, please e-mail Kyle Zeuch at zeuchkyl@msu.edu. I look forward to making music with your talented young people.

Sincerely,

Kyle Zeuch
Director of Children and Youth Choirs
Community Music School
Michigan State University

PJ Story Time & Teddy Bear Sleepover at the Grand Ledge Area District Library

Friday, January 27th
6:30 pm

A relaxing evening story time for preschool to elementary school aged children and their accompanying parent or caregiver. Children attend in their PJs with a blanket and bring a stuffed friend or a special toy. Stuffed friends or special toys have the option of a sleepover with the library bears, Theodore and Winston. Families can view the sleepover activities through photos posted on the library's social media and return to pick up their friend or toy on Saturday morning when the library opens at 10:00 am.

Registration is encouraged to ensure sufficient supplies; however drop-ins will be accommodated based on available space and materials. Registration can be completed by phoning the library at 517-627-7014

MSU is hosting an educational, informative, fun event on Saturday, February 25 called Introduce a Girl to Engineering. This event is for 4th-8th graders, is filled with hands-on activities, and is FREE. Registration is required and chaperones may bring up to 5 students. Registration deadline is Feb 1st or until max capacity is reached. Register at http://www.egr.msu.edu/wie/k-12/programs-outreach

GRAND LEDGE AREA DISTRICT LIBRARY
PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

Build a Cardboard Sled
Saturday, February 11th from 3-5 pm
Create a cardboard sled for the Fun on the Rocks Downhill Adventure Sled Races or your own fun! Please bring cardboard and your ingenuity. The library will supply the duct tape, and paint for decorations.

Paws for Reading
Wednesday, February 15 from 6:00 – 7:00 pm
Dogs love stories too! Practice reading aloud in a no-pressure environment with a certified therapy dog. This program is open to preschool to high school ages. Please phone the library at 517.627.7014 to register for a reading time.

PJ Story Time and Teddy Bear Sleepover
Friday, February 24 from 6:30 – 7:00 pm
A relaxing evening storytime for preschool to elementary school aged children and their accompanying parent or caregiver. Children attend in their PJs with a blanket and bring a stuffed friend or a special toy. Stuffed friends or special toys have the option of a sleepover with the library bears, Theodore and Winston. Families can view the sleepover activities through photos posted on the library's social media and return to pick up their friends, or toy on Saturday morning when the library opens at 10:00 am.

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