Delta Center Dateliner

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Friday, Oct. 4 2019

Calendar of Events

Oct 8 POPCORN DAY

Oct 13 at 4:00 pm (3:45 warmup)
6th Grade UKES
Grand Ledge COLOR CRUISE

Oct 16 PTO Meeting @ 7 pm
Delta Center Library

Nov 1 **Half Day** for students
Release time is 12:05 pm

Nov 5 Conferences
5:00 - 8:00 pm

Nov 7 Conferences
5:00 - 8:00 pm

Nov 8 **Half Day** for Students
Release time is 12:05 pm
Conferences 1:00 - 4:00 pm

Nov 11 **No students**

Nov 13 PTO Meeting @ 7 pm
Delta Center Library

Nov 21 3rd Grade-LATIN music
6:00 Koets/Martin &
7:00 Cornman/Shepard

Nov 25 - 29 **No students**
Thanksgiving Break

Dec 2 Classes Resume

Dec 23 - Jan 3 **No Students**
Winter Break

Jan 6 Classes Resume

Jan 17 Half Day for Students

Notes From Mrs. Dyer

Tardies & Lunch Counts: If your student will be late, please be sure to call before 9:10 am. We need to call in our lunch count first thing in the morning. If you call after 9:10 and your student needs a hot lunch, there is a chance they will not get their choice. We have had many tardies recently which does affect a student's attendance. When a student is late, they have to be signed in by an adult in our office.

Popcorn Day: Tuesday, October 8th is our next popcorn day! 25 cents a bag. One bag per student. YUM!

Box Tops Challenge: We have a new challenge starting now and going through October 18th. The class with the most Box Tops will win passes to Zap Zone for each student! Each pass is good for one attraction.

Paper Gator: For the month of the October, paper Gator will pay us double for the amount of our recycled paper! Lets try to fill the Paper Gator Dumpster! Starting October 1st, please bring in your newspapers, catalogs, magazines, junk mail, phone books, office/school paper, and hard or soft cover books and put them in the green Paper Gator dumpster on the south side of our building . Thank you in advance!

PTO Meeting: Our next PTO Meeting will be Wednesday, October 16th @ 7:00 p.m. in our Media Center. Free childcare will be provided. We would love to see you there!!

As always, please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns.

Teresa Dyer

A note will be sent home with your child regarding signing up & auditioning for the State Elementary Honors Choir. It will be held in Grand Ledge this year! Check out next weeks Friday folder for more info!

Color Cruise in Grand Ledge

6th grade perform on ukuleles from
Delta Center, Beagle, Wacousta & Willow Ridge
When: Sunday, October 13, 2019
Arrive: 3:45 PM to tune your uke
Concert Time: 4:00 PM
What to wear:
Grand Ledge Colors-blue/gold/white
Band students: Bring your music stand
Color cruise info:
https://www.grandledgechamber.com/color_cruise_and_island_festiv.php
We will meet ON THE ISLAND at the GAZEBO-you will see the gazebo as you enter

Color Cruise Admission is $4 for adults, $1 for kids not performing in our groups.
Performers are FREE!

Permission Slip

Yes--I will perform at the Color Cruise Show.

Student name:_____

Classroom teacher name:_____

Parent Signature:_____

Phone #:_____(PRINT CLEARLY-in case of severe weather cancellation)

Thanks for supporting our school!
Mrs. Wilkinson DC music teacher--Ms. Fox Wacousta music teacher— Mrs. Mossner Beagle music teacher—Mrs. Burm Willow Ridge music teacher

The Grand Ledge Emergency Assistance Program (GLEAP) is currently looking for additional donors to assist in providing a Christmas Food Basket for someone in our Grand Ledge School District community. If you, your family, or organization/group are interested in providing a basket to someone in need, please contact Mary at 626-2280 for information.

DONORS NEEDED

for GLEAP Christmas Food Baskets

MDL
MULLIKEN DISTRICT LIBRARY

Upcoming Events:

Escape Room: September 30th, October 1st, 7th & 8th

The Witches National Convention was held in our room last night! We found out that they made plans to turn everyone who isn't a witch into a black cat or a bat. They locked the spell they need in the Breakout EDU box. The Spell was written in magic ink, and if it stays in the box for more than 45 minutes, it will be cast! If we can open the box before the 45 minutes are up, contact with air will break the spell. Work together to unlock the boxes and undo the magic of the Witches of Breakout! **MUST** sign up online, or at the library. Visit or call us for more information.

October Reading Boo-HaHA

All month long you can earn fun prizes just by reading. Based on your age group and reading level, you will get a chance to pull a sucker out of the pumpkin to see what prize you have won. Choose wisely, as some are zonks!

Trunk-or-Treat: October 24th from 6pm to 7:30pm

Grab your favorite candy bucket and pull out those scary costumes, because Trunk or Treat is coming soon! On October 24th from 6 pm – 7:30 pm, we will be hosting another "candyrific" trunk or treat. The Mulliken District Library is pleased to team up with other local and independent businesses to put on a frightfully batty event for the community.

NEW Trunk Decorating Contest

If you plan on setting up a trunk and wish to participate in the contest, please register online, or call the library. If you wish to only open your trunk as an independent business or community member we ask that you please contact the Mulliken District Library as well.

Contact Information:
135 Main St. Mulliken MI 48861
Director: Dawn Hufnagel | Assistant Director: Bryonna Barton
Phone: (517)649-8611 | Website: www.mullikendistrictlibrary.org | Email: mulldistlib@gmail.com

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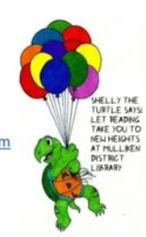

GRAND LEDGE POMPON PRESENTS

Poms, Princesses, & Pancakes

PRE K - 4TH GRADE
NOVEMBER 16, 8 AM - 12 PM
GRAND LEDGE HIGH SCHOOL

Your princess will have a magical morning spent with Cinderella, Belle, Snow White, and their pompon helpers! The morning's activities include a pancake breakfast, pictures with the princesses, learning a pompon routine, crafts, nail painting, and a performance for the royal families.

Register by October 22nd to be guaranteed an event shirt, poms, and a special hair bow. Cost is $45 for the first child, $40 for each additional child, and $50 for walk-ins.

Hard copy registration forms and payment can be dropped off at Grand Ledge Elementary School offices or mailed. Online registration and payment is available at: ***glstuff.com/pom*** or find Grand ledge Pompon on facebook. Contact us at glpompon@gmail.com or 517-927-4925.

ARCHAEOLOGY DAY 2019

SATURDAY
OCTOBER 19, 2019
10 A.M. – 4 P.M.

MICHIGAN HISTORY CENTER
702 W. KALAMAZOO ST.
LANSING, MI 48915

HAVE YOU EVER

WONDERED WHAT IT'S LIKE TO BE AN ARCHAEOLOGIST?

Here's your chance to talk with archaeologists and discover surprising facts spanning 14,000 years of Michigan history!

FUN FOR ALL AGES. **ADMISSION IS FREE.**

>> KIDS' ACTIVITIES >> DEMONSTRATIONS
>> SCAVENGER HUNT >> ARTIFACT DISPLAYS >> FAMILY FUN
>> BRING AN ARTIFACT TO SHOW OUR EXPERTS!

MICHIGAN SHPO STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE
Michigan History Center
MEDC MICHIGAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DNR MICHIGAN

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT
MICHIGAN.GOV/MUSEUM

Homework Help

Tuesdays, September 24 – December 3 4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Grades K-12. Need some help with your homework or practicing your reading skills? A volunteer from MSU will be in the McLean Room on Tuesdays after school to provide basic homework help.

No registration necessary, drop in any time from 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Domino Club

Mon, Oct 7 6 – 7 p.m.

Ages 8-18. Whether you are new to dominoes or an expert, join fellow builders to create and play with dominoes. Parents are encouraged to stay and join in the domino fun.

Mario Kart Tournament*

Sat, Oct 12 10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Ages 8-18. Compete for prizes in our Nintendo Switch tournament. All skill levels are welcome! Register by October 10.

Tween Book Club*

Wed, Oct 16 4:15 – 5:15 p.m.

Ages 9-12. October's book is Marcus Vega Doesn't Speak Spanish by Pablo Cartaya. Register for this program at the Youth Desk and receive a copy of the month's book, while supplies last.

Tween Books & Bites*

Fri, Oct 18 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Ages 9-12. Join us for fun with food and sample some great books! Learn to make a few simple recipes, challenge your taste-testing skills with Pop-Tart tasting, and learn about the newest titles for kids. Register by October 16.

Library Hours

Monday – Thursday
10 a.m. – 8 p.m.

Friday
10 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Saturday
10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Sunday
12 p.m. – 4 p.m.

517-321-4014
dtdl.org
@deltatwplibrary

Weekly Programs

Stories & Crafts		
Tue	10:30 a.m.	Ages 3-5
Baby Time		
Wed	10:30 a.m.	Birth-24 mo.
Toddler Storytime		
Thu	10:30 a.m.	18-36 mo.
Music & Movement Storytime		
Fri	10:30 a.m.	All ages

***Registration required.**

Call 517-321-4014 (x3 youth or x4 adult) or dtdl.org/events

Grand Ledge Area District Library

Library News and Events

HARRY POTTER QUIDDITCH PARTY (REG. REQUIRED)

Sept. 28 2pm - 4pm
Meet the members of the MSU Varsity Quidditch Team and learn to play! Relax with delicious treats from Hogsmeade afterward for more Harry Potter fun. Quidditch from 2pm - 3pm, treats and indoor fun starts at 3pm. Be sure to wear your favorite house colors!

KIDSCREATE - CLAY PLAY (REG. REQUIRED)

Oct. 7 6pm - 7pm
Kids imaginations can run wild as they create with PlayDoh, polymer and plastic clay! Build colorful creatures, make marble mazes, create mini seasonal decorations, and create to your heart's content!

THE GREAT COSTUME SWAP!

Drop Off: Sept. 21 - Oct. 10th
Swap: Oct. 12 1pm - 3pm
Shop: Oct. 12 3pm - 4pm
Donate your gently used costume for "tickets" to redeem for a "like new" costume at our Great Costume Swap! Complete guidelines on our website.

KIDSCREATE - PUMPKIN DECORATING PARTY (REG. REQUIRED)

Oct. 24 6pm - 8pm (2 One Hour Sessions)
Celebrate Fall -- Come decorate a pumpkin! We'll have carving tools, paint, markers, glue, glitter and trims. When you're done we'll take magically spooky pictures! 2 one hour sessions, limit 20 children per session.

1/2 DAY GAME PLAY

Oct. 4 1pm - 4pm
School is out and it's time to play for ½ the day! We'll have laptops out for RoBlox, bring your Switch, and we'll have table top gaming & snacks!

Early Literacy Programs Fall 2019

Sing, Dance, and Move Saturday Storytime
9/14, 10/12, & 11/9
3:30pm - 4pm

Create, Play, and Learn Saturday Wacousta Storytime
9/7, 10/5, & 11/2
11am - 12pm

Preschool Storytime
Tuesdays 9/10 - 11/26
11am - 12pm

PJ Storytime
10/3 & 17
11/7 & 21
6:30pm - 7pm

Additional details are available online or by calling the library!

To register for programming 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

Delta Center is in need of sports equipment to be used outside during recess times. We are NOT looking for new items! We ARE looking for those things in your garage that your kids don't use anymore. We would love it if our Delta Center families could donate used items such as: basketballs, jump ropes, soccer balls, velcro toss games (with ball), hula hoops, frisbees, footballs, and skipping toys.

All donations can be dropped can off in the office. We thank you for your support!

RAISE THEM UP

Wednesdays - 5:30-7:30pm

October 9 October 16
October 23 October 30

Location:

Grand Ledge Library
131 E Jefferson St
Grand Ledge, MI 48837

Parents will learn:

- Developing appropriate expectations
- Effective positive discipline techniques
- Parenting with empathy
- Family roles
- Personal power/ Autonomy

Dinner and childcare will be provided!

Register online:
www.eatonresa.org/prodevelopment

Questions?
Contact our RAISE Facilitators
raiselansing@gmail.com - (517) 541-8912

Presented by RAISE

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REGIONAL EDUCATION SERVICE AGENCY

EDUStaff

OUR DISTRICT NEEDS YOU!

EDUStaff is an educational staffing company who specializes in providing guest teachers and other employment classes to our partnering school districts. Founded in 2010, EDUStaff has quickly become known in the educational community as providing outstanding customer service to both our partnering districts and our external employees; the guest teacher.

BENEFITS OF BEING A GUEST TEACHER

Becoming a guest teacher provides a number of benefits for those who are interested including:

- ✓ Flexible schedule to accept assignments when you want.
- ✓ Work in your child or grandchild's school.
- ✓ Make a positive difference in your community.

GUEST TEACHER REQUIREMENTS

Per State of Michigan law, the below requirements outline how to become a guest teacher:

- ✓ Current Michigan Teaching Certificate
- ✓ Expired Michigan Teaching Certificate
- ✓ 90-credit hours from a college, university or accredited community college

HOW TO APPLY

Log on to www.EDUStaff.org

For more information contact our customer service department.

www.EDUStaff.org | 877.974.6338

Report to PARENTS

Make Every Day Count: Boost School Attendance

To stay on track in school, students need to be present every day. Missing 18 or more days of school in a year puts a child's high school graduation at risk, according to BoostUp.org, a national dropout prevention campaign. Being absent for just two days every month of the school year can put a child behind academically.

Students with regular attendance are more likely to read well by third grade and score higher on tests. They also tend to be more engaged in school and feel better about themselves.

Put your child on the path to success with these attendance strategies.

Make school a priority. Every absence (excused or not), can impact a child's academic achievement. Talk to your child about how important their education is. Make daily routines for homework and waking up on time for school.

Maintain communication with teachers and keep an eye on your child's academic progress. If your child seems disconnected from school or is prone to skipping class, try signing him or her up for an after-school activity. A report by the University of Minnesota found that students in an after-school program attended 18 more days of school and missed nine fewer than their peers.

Make a plan. If your schedule or transportation situation makes getting your child to school a challenge, ask for assistance. Make a carpool or transportation plan with other parents or family members, or ask your school principal for community programs or school initiatives that may help.

Report In. Know your school's attendance policies. If an absence or early dismissal is unavoidable, contact your school. If your family's religious observances fall on school days, let teachers know early in the year which days your child will miss.

Carefully weigh sick days. If your child is sick, talk with your health care provider to determine whether they should stay home from school. If the doctor or nurse recommends that your child stay home, find out exactly how long and on what conditions he or she can return to class (for example, after 24 hours of antibiotics).

Before keeping your children home, make sure they aren't faking symptoms. Regularly feigning sickness may be a sign that your child is anxious about facing a challenge at school, such as bullying.

Schedule wisely. Know your school's calendar, and arrange doctor and dentist appointments after school, on weekends, or during holiday breaks, if possible. Resist the urge to schedule vacations when students will miss school. This gives students the impression that school is not a priority.

Help students complete assignments. When your child has to miss school, make arrangements with teachers to pick up a packet of make-up work. Ensure that your child follows through, and be available to explain concepts or monitor their work. If your child's absence will be lengthy (for surgery, for instance), alert teachers as soon as you know and pick up assignments as the days go on.

Web Resources

Get Schooled has a number of attendance-related games and tools, including the Attendance Counts calculator and celebrity wake-up calls for students.
https://getschooled.com/

The Children's Hospital of Colorado's **How Sick is Too Sick? guide** can help families decide which symptoms should keep students at home.
http://bit.ly/1860RIA

Attendance Works offers research, webinars, and handouts designed with elementary and middle-level parents in mind.
http://www.attendanceworks.org/tools/

Ken Clark's Coat Closet

501 S. Clinton St. · Grand Ledge, MI 48837

Ken's Coat Closet has been serving many years as a clothing bank for the Grand Ledge community. Our mission has been twofold: 1. Providing free clothing, personal care items, and other items to the Grand Ledge Community. 2. Provide a work-based learning environment for special education students in our Giving Eaton County Kids Opportunities (GECKO) program.

Ken's Coat Closet is open to all members of the community for picking up things or dropping off donations:

Monday:	10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Tuesday:	10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Wednesday:	10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Thursday:	10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Friday:	10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

If these times are not convenient please email us to schedule a time that will work: kenscoatcloset@gmail.com.

updated 9/4/19

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

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!