

Heir Force Community School

8th Grade Newsletter

May 17, 2010

Upcoming Events

May 17-20th 5-8th grade Biography
Fair Presentations
May 20th-8th Grade Graduation
May 21st-Spirit Day
May 21st-Student/Staff Olympics
May 21st- LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

Classroom Dates:

Science & Social Studies
Bridge Breaking Contest –
Tues. 5/18 at 1:21-3:00
Math Aloha Party –Wed. 5/19
Bio-Fair Presentations – Thurs.
5/20 at 1:45-2:45 pm

Important Reminders:

If you would like to help out with the Student/Staff Olympics on the last day of school, May 21st. Please contact the school office.

Contact Us:

School Phone:
419-228-9241



Registration for the 2010-2011 School year is open. All returning families receive 50% off registration fees if you are enrolled by this Friday, May 21st! Stop by the office for your registration materials.

Your Student's Classes at a Glance:

Reading/Language Arts: What? Can this really be the last week of school?! Seems like we were just listening to the radio to hear if school would be delayed or canceled because of bad weather!! This has been a busy, but rewarding, last quarter for the eighth grade class. There will be NO spelling test or homework this week. However, students will write a business (thank you) letter to The Lima News and WLIO for allowing us to tour their workplaces last week. This letter and other writing pieces will be included in the published magazine for each student. Eighth grade will also read their last Scholastic Scope magazine for the year, and Thursday they will answer discussion questions and watch the video "The Lion, The Witch, and The Wardrobe". Students will also practice presentations this week for the Bio-Fair which will be held on Thursday, May 20th.

Math: The 8th graders officially had their last math class on Friday, May 14th. This week during their math class on Monday, they will be working on their bridge building, and attending the 5th grade Bio-Fair. On Tuesday, they will be continuing the Bridge building, and attending the 6th grade Bio-Fair. Wednesday will be the last day for students to turn in any missing assignments. On Wednesday, I will be providing pizza and drinks for the 8th graders, and we will be having an Aloha party since it is our last day of math class. If your student would like to bring a snack or dessert, that would be appreciated. On Thursday during math is the 8th grade Bio-Fair.

Science: Students had to design a bridge that is light weight, but can withhold pressure when weight is added. Last week they assembled their bridge. We will be holding the bridge breaking contest on Tuesday 18th between 1:21 and 3:00. You are invited stop by and watch the bridge breaking contest. We hope to see you there!

Social Studies: On Monday and Tuesday students will be using this time for the bridge building/breaking contest. On Wednesday and Thursday we will be reviewing map skills and geography.

Music: What an awesome year - Enjoy your summer vacation.

Spanish: Students are watching a mini-saga "El Secreto" on DVD, which contains vocabulary on the family and other vocabulary that will also enhance their speaking and listening skills. They will also answer questions with a practice listening skills quiz game after each saga of the DVD. Have a great summer!

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