

Wallace Warrior Tuesday Letter

Wallace Grade School District 195

March 14, 2017

Family Reading Night: The Magical World of Reading

Family Reading Night for Preschool through 8th grade students at Wallace Grade School on Thursday, March 16th from 6:00—7:30 p.m.

*Doors will open at 5:45

*Sessions begin promptly at 6:00

Bring your camera, there will be plenty of photo opportunities.

All Students must be accompanied by a parent at all times.

2017-2018 Kindergarten Registration:

We will again be offering a phone in registration for your Kindergarten student. Please call Wallace Grade School at 433-2986.

Kindergarten Requirements:

- 1. Child must be 5 years of age on or before Sept.1
- 2. Must have a birth certificate
- 3. Physical exam, including all immunizations are required by the 1st day of school
- 4. Must have a lead screening test and an eye exam
- 5. Dental exam is required by May 15th

There are immunization clinics in the area. If you have any question regarding immunizations, call the LaSalle County Health Department at 433-3366.





PARCC testing will begin in April. The tests are designed to measure students' key skills such as ability to think critically, solve problems, and use information from their reading material to write well-developed essays. Please encourage your student to try their best on these assessments.

Wallace will test on the following dates:

Monday, April 3 Monday, April 10

Tuesday, April 4 Wednesday, April 12

Wednesday, April 5 Thursday, April 13

Thursday, April 6

For more information, please visit:

http://www.parcconline.org/resources/parent-resources

The Wallace School family learns and grows together!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday, March 15 Culver's Night 5:00-8:00

Thursday, March 16 3rd & 4th to the Field Museum 8:40-4:30 Students will need a ride home from school. Family Reading Night 6:00-7:30

Friday, March 17 Report Cards go home 1:30 dismissal for Spring Break



Monday, March 27 School resumes

Wednesday, March 29 Board meeting 7:00

Thursday, March 30 8th to IVCC 8:30-3:00

Wallace Preschool registration is open to all families.

Please contact the school at 815-433-2986 to register your child!



Good Luck to Adilyn Walker and Drew Hood as they compete at the Regional Science Fair over spring break.



Adilyn Walker in 7th grade and Drew Hood in 8th will head to NIU on Saturday, March 25 for regional competition.

Wallace Grade School would like to help area students that were affected by the tornado on February 28th. Below you will find a few ways that you and your child(ren) can help Wallace provide some relief to area students.

The Wallace Student Council will be sponsoring a dress up week. Each day next week they will have a theme that you can choose to participate with. Student Council is collecting donations throughout the week. Students can donate a \$1 for each day they participate or make a one-time donation for the week. With or without a donation, all students are welcome to participate as we think about and help those close to us that were affected. The themes are:

Monday, March 13 - Pajama Day Tuesday, March 14 - Black and White Day Wednesday, March 15 - Sports Day Thursday, March 16 - Disney/Movie Character Day Friday, March 17 - Green Day (Saint Patrick's Day)

All money raised from student dress up week will be used to help students that had homes or property damaged by the tornado. Remember, all school rules apply when planning what to wear each day. No hair dye or face painting will be allowed. Thank you for your donations and participation. ~Wallace Student Council

The Wallace Staff will be donating items for raffle baskets to the Tornado Victims Benefit hosted by Ottawa Naplate Tornado Relief at the Knights of Columbus on Sunday, March 19th. If you would like to make a donation towards the raffle baskets, you can send in a monetary donation to your child's classroom teacher by Friday March 17th. We'd like to thank Parent's Club for organizing the baskets that will be donated to the event on the 19th.

We appreciate everyone's support as we offer assistance to local students.

Wallace Warrior Extra-Curricular Info:

• ACADEMIC TEAM

3/14—4:15—Ransom (H)

3/28-4:00-Flanagan (H)

3/29-4:00-Marseilles (H)

4/1—tba—LaSalle County Tournament (H)

4/3—4:15—Saunemin (H)

4/4—4:00—@Tonica (3:00)

4//8—tba—Conference Tournament @Tonica

4/11—3:30—@Milton Pope (3:10 bus)

4/24—4:00—@Peru Parkside (3:20 bus)

4/26—REGIONALS

5/1—SECTIONALS

5/5—STATE

• GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL

Congratulations to our 7th & 8th grade teams on a fine season! Thank you Coach Caputo and Chapman.

• TRACK

3/27—4:30—@Mendota (old track) (3:15 bus)

4/4—4:30—@Woodland (3:00 bus)

4/12—4:30—@Seneca (3:15 bus)

4/13—4:30—@Morris Shabbona (3:15 bus)

4/20—4:30—@Seneca (3:15 bus)

4/22—9:00—@OHS—no bus

SPORT FEES

-\$25 Transportation fee.

(One time fee, per year for extra-curricular transportation.)

-\$50 Sports fee.

-Both fees are due prior to receiving a uniform.

A note from Mr. Allen:

Wallace Grade School is once again participating in Raging Waves "Plunge into Fitness" program. Students in K-8 have been given a fitness log. Each space along the path accounts for 30 minutes of physical activity. When your student completes 30 minutes of physical activity, color in a space. Feel free to join your student during that 30 minutes of exercise and make it a family activity! Once the whole path is filled in, return the log to Mr. Allen and your student will receive a free pass to the water park! Logs are due by April 10th.