

Wallace Warrior Tuesday Letter

Wallace Grade School
District 195

November 24, 2015

Visit—www.wallacegs.org

Tuesday Letters will go home on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month.

'Freezin for a Reezin':

Join us as we help WCMY at Handy Foods as we collect non-perishable food items for the Ottawa Community Food Basket. All donated goods go to the Ottawa Food Pantry, serving over 2,000 families in the area. We will collect food items through Thursday, December 10th and deliver it on Friday, December 11th



If there are any families that you could use assistance this holiday season, please contact Kathi Hermann at 815-433-2986. There are several people that are looking to donate clothing, toys, and books.

School Cancellations:

For school closings, be sure to listen to WCMY 1430.

Announcements are normally made between 6:45 a.m. and 7:45 a.m. or check www.mywebtimes.com (*The Times* website).

We will also be utilizing our AlertNow phone notification system. Our service will call phone numbers that we have listed for you. It is important that you contact the office for any changes in phone contacts.

Band/Choir:

On Tuesday, December 15th at 1:30, our Band and Choir will be performing in the North Gym. Please join us as we support those students.

Christmas Program:

Our Annual Christmas Program will be held on Thursday, December 17th at 2:00 and 7:00 in the North Gym.

We look forward to our students showcasing their talents!



<u>PLEASE NOTE:</u> For the 7:00 Christmas performance, we will have all perimeter doors unlocked and available to enter and exit.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday, November 24 2nd Qtr Mid-term Tech Assembly 6th-8th @1:15 Board Meeting @7:00

Wednesday, November 25 NO SCHOOL

Thursday, November 26 Happy Thanksgiving

Monday, November 30 School Resumes

Wednesday, December 9 Mobile Dentist

Thursday, December 10 5th-8th Band to Heritage Woods

Friday, December 11 Freezin for a Reezin

Sunday, December 13 Lego-Robotic Competition

Tuesday, December 15Band/Choir Concert @1:30

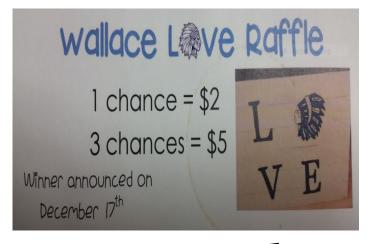
Thursday, December 17 Christmas Program @2:00 Board Meeting @5:30 Christmas Program @7:00

Friday, December 18 1:30 Dismissal—Holiday Break

Monday, January 4 School Resumes

Tuesday, January 5Science Fair Assembly







Just a reminder that Wallace Grade School is a recycle location for ink cartridges and cell phones. You can place them in a bag and drop off at the office. Thank you!



Jump Rope for Heart/Red-Out Event:

Parents and Students - This year Wallace Grade School will be helping save lives by participating in the American Heart Association's Jump Rope for Heart program! Students can participate in a fundraising effort to continue to provide funding and research

to help treat different heart problems people face. The fundraiser will start on 11/23 and conclude on 12/7.

Envelopes will be sent home on 11/23. On 12/11, students in grades K-4 will participate in a jump rope event in their P.E. classes. Students in grades 5-8 will participate in a "red-out" event. To participate in this, a



red t-shirt will be given to each student that donates \$10.00.

Mobile Dentist Dental Program:

A dental program will be offered on Wednesday, December 9 for Wallace students. Cleanings, dental screenings, fluoride treatments, and sealants will be available. Services will be offered for free for Medicaid or All Kids eligible families. Forms have been sent home.

Wallace Warrior Extra-Curricular Info:

• GIRLS' BASKETBALL

-Upcoming 7th/8th games:

11/23 & 11/24—7th Grade Regionals @Wallace

11/30 & 12/3—8th Grade Regionals @Wallace

12/2/15—7th Grade Sectionals @Wallace

12/9/15—8th Grade Sectionals @Wallace

State Tournament information can be found at www.iesa.org

• BOYS' BASKETBALL

Upcoming 5th/6th games:

12/1/15—5:00—LaSalle Lincoln (H) - south gym

12/3/15—5:00—@Oglesby (4:00)

12/4 & 12/5—Millie McDonnell Tournament [6th Grade]

12/8/15—5:00—Marquette (H)

12/10/15—4:30—Ottawa Central (H) [South Gym]

12/14/15—5:00—@Milton Pope (4:00 drop off only)

12/15/15—5:30—@Oglesby Holy Family (4:30)

Upcoming 7th/8th games:

12/1/15—5:00—Milton Pope (H)

12/3/15—5:00—Waltham (H) [South Gym]

12/4 & 12/5—Millie McDonnell Tournament [8th Grade]

12/8/15—5:00 @Tonica (4:00)

12/10/15—5:00—Marquette (H)

12/14/15—4:30—@Spring Valley (3:30)

12/15/15—5:00—Oglesby (H) [South Gym]

• ACADEMIC TEAM

It's not too late to join.

Stop and see Mr. Coates if you are interested in being a part of one of Wallace's most successful teams!

• GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL

Sign-ups are in the office. Girls interested in participating need current physicals on file in the office.

Tryouts will be December 7th, 8th and 9th with a parent meeting on December 16 at 5:00.

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.