

Woodbridge Early Childhood Education Center

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National Blue Ribbon School

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October, 2018

- 3rd Boy Scouts Interest Meeting 6 – 8pm
in Cafeteria
- 4th Curriculum Camp Out 5:30 to 7
Light refreshments
- 7-13 Fire Prevention Week
- 8th MP 1 Progress Reports Home (1st & 2nd gr),
KN Narratives
- 8th KN field trip to Bridgeville Firehouse,
12:15 – 2:30 Ricker, Miles, Medford
- 9th KN field trip to Bridgeville Firehouse,
12:15 – 2:30 Visger, Ramey, Bennett, K.
Smith
- 9th 2nd gr field trip to Greenwood Firehouse
1:15—3:30 Truitt, Benson, Mitchell, Moore
Kvilhaug/Szymanski
- 10th KN field trip to Bridgeville Firehouse,
12:15 – 2:30 Wilson, L. Smith, Thomas
- 10th 2nd gr field trip to Greenwood Firehouse
1:15—3:30 Judy, Brown, Kouts, Whaley
- 12th Professional Dev – no students
- 16th First Grade to Fifer's Orchard, 10:00-3:15,
Marquez, Noel, Curl/Robinson, White
- 18th Board Meeting, PWES 6pm
- 19th Picture Day
- 20th Uniform Closet, St. Mary's Church,
Bridgeville 10am-2pm
- 22nd First Grade to Fifer's Orchard, 10:00-3:15,
Bradley, Kerrick, Hovanec/Thornton, Redner
- 23rd Delaware Smile Program screening
- 24th Delaware Smile Program screening
- 24th KN field trip to Loblolly Acres, 9:10 – 2:40
- 26th ½ day for grades 9-12
- 26th Fall Literacy Parade at 2pm
- 31st End of MP1

FROM THE PRINCIPAL ...



Dear Woodbridge ECEC Parents and Friends ,

Last week at our Fall Reading Assembly, we kicked off our school-wide "Book Bling" initiative for this school year! Our goal is to encourage students to read and be proud of their achievements! Each grade level varies, but overall, when students are caught being good readers, they earn a sticker on their "Book Bling" ticket. Ask your child specifically how they can earn a sticker. When your child earns 10 stickers and fills up his/her ticket, they will trade the ticket in for a special reading charm each Monday morning in the library! If the home reading log is filled out completely each month, each student will also earn 2 charms to add to their necklace and a kids meal from Texas Roadhouse, courtesy of the Woodbridge PTO. Students will also earn entries into the prize drawings at our Winter and Spring Reading Rewards Assemblies for each of the charms they have earned for the year. Finally, every Monday (or Tuesday if we don't have school on Monday) your child will wear their "Book Bling" necklace during the school day to show their reading pride!

These necklaces will stay at school, but please be sure to ask your child how many charms they have as well as how many more stickers they need to fill their ticket.

Thank you for your support! Don't forget to Read, Read, Read!

Kim Mitchell and Dane Sears



Things to know

from the PTO ...



Fundraiser
Due Date



October 15, 2018

St. Mary's Uniform Closet ...



Order Pick Up—Week of November 12th

Details to follow!



Support WECEC by collecting and sending in
Box Tops for Education!

Picture day is scheduled for Friday, October 19, 2018.

Please plan ahead. Order forms will be sent home, and additional forms will be available on picture day.

A couple of things to remember:



Students MUST be in uniform!

Money MUST be sent in with order!

**Please have exact amount, the
photographers can not give change!**

Please read and complete the entire order form. If a background color is not selected, you will be given a standard background!

SCHOOL CLOSINGS & DELAYS

Woodbridge School District utilizes an automated dialer to inform you of any school delays and/or closings. Please be sure we have your correct primary contact phone number. However, like all technology, it may not always work as we would like. Therefore, please also check the local television and radio stations for any delays/closings. Another option is to sign up for text alerts through WBOC. WBOC School Alerts come from an automated system. These text alerts are only sent when a school administrator notifies WBOC of a closing or delay.



Distrito Escolar Woodbridge utiliza un marcador automatizado para informarle de los retrasos y / o cierre de las escuelas. Por favor asegúrese de que tengamos su número de teléfono de contacto principal correcta. Sin embargo, como toda tecnología, puede que no siempre funciona como nos gustaría. Por lo tanto, recomendamos consultar también las estaciones de televisión y radio locales de los retrasos / cierres. Otra opción es inscribirse para recibir alertas de texto a través de WBOC. WBOC Alertas escuela vienen de un sistema automatizado. Estas alertas de texto sólo se envían cuando un administrador de la escuela notifica WBOC de un cierre o retraso.

Kindergarten Parents/Guardians

Please practice this with your child (knowing how to spell their entire first and last names along with their lunch numbers). They will be trying to log in by themselves within the next few weeks. Thank you for your help! Mrs. Cathcart



Por favor practique esta habilidad con su hijo(a) (necesita saber cómo escribir su nombre y apellidos enteros así como su número de identificación que usa para comprar el almuerzo). En unas semanas, los estudiantes empezarán a iniciar session por sí mismos ¡Gracias por su ayuda!

La Sra. Cathcart



Nurse's Notes

Mrs. Dawn Lord, R.N.

Vision and Hearing Screening will take place for Preschool (4 year olds), Kindergarten and 2nd graders during the month of October.

If the student fails the **hearing** screening, parents will receive a referral letter to have their child further evaluated by a medical doctor.

If the student fails the **vision** screening, parents will receive a referral letter to have their child evaluated by an eye doctor and information regarding Vision to Learn which is a program to assist with eye glasses.

All WECEC students who have signed consent will participate in the Delaware Smile Program to screen children for cavities and good dental hygiene.

If parents have any questions, please call our school nurse, Mrs. Lord.

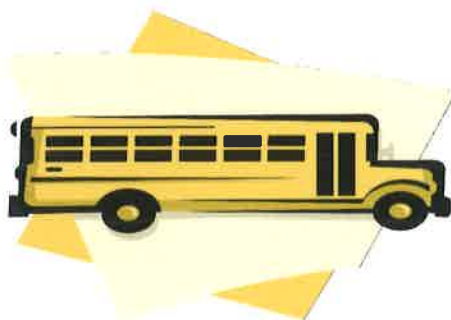


Dressing for Winter

Also, with the upcoming winter months, please be sure to send your child to school appropriately dressed with a sweater and/or jacket. Remind your child not to share clothes or hats with other students as lice may easily spread from student to student.



- * Encourage your child to play with other children. This helps him/her to learn the value of sharing and friendship.
- * Be clear and consistent when disciplining your child. Explain and show the behavior that you expect from them.
- * Whenever you say no, follow up with what they should be doing instead.



During the month of October, we will have our Fall Bus Evacuation Drill. We are required to schedule these safety practice drills in the fall and again in the spring in order to comply with Delaware School Bus Safety Regulations. Most of your children will have taken part in these drills in previous years, but especially for Kindergarten students, please discuss how this drill is only for their safety in case of emergency and is not a cause for fear or alarm. There will be an adult assisting at the back of each bus, along with the administrators monitoring the process to ensure the safety of all of our students. Thanks for your help with this process!