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Redbird News

October 2023

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Important Dates - October

- 10/4 Kindergarten-Whitetail Farms trip
- 10/5 Grading Period 1 Ends
- 10/5 Parent Teacher Conferences 3pm-7pm
- 10/6 Parent Teacher Conferences 7:30am-11:00 am
NO SCHOOL
- 10/6 - 10/13 Fall Break-NO SCHOOL
- 10/18 5th gr. Flat Rock parent meeting-6:00pm Cafe
- 10/19 PTO Meeting
- 10/20 2nd gr. Westwind Farm trip
- 10/27 Hat Day
- 10/31 Classroom Fall Parties
- 11/2 Picture Retakes
- 12/18 **Note: RES Holiday program @ DHS gym-5:30**

From Mrs. Lewman's Desk

Thank you for a wonderful turnout for Grandparents Day. The halls were full of special people taking time out of their busy day to celebrate our Redbirds. Thank you teachers and IAs for volunteering your time after school to meet and greet our guests. An extra special "thank you" goes out to Mrs. Luke for all her hard work organizing the book fair and allowing classes to use their library specials time to shop. Finally, thank you to those who volunteered their time to help run the registers. Royerton is a great place to be because of the families and staff!!

I am looking forward to relaxing during Fall Break. I hope everyone has a safe and well deserved break. See you on October 16th!!

FALL BREAK



School will not be in session October 6th thru the 13th. Students and staff will report back on Monday, October 16th! We hope you have a restful and relaxing break and have an opportunity to create great memories with your family!

Replacement Chargers for Chromebooks:

If you have lost your charger, the office will have replacement chargers for \$48 each. Checks need to be made out to RES or exact cash. Call the office for additional information.

Background Checks

Any parent who wants to go on a field trip will need to have a background check completed two weeks before the trip. If you have turned one in, please contact us and let us know when you need it ran. You need to fill one out every school year.

Thank you!



Planning to have lunch with your child?

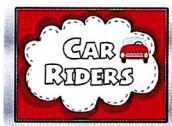
We are no longer requiring a lunch guest to call ahead to come and have lunch with a student. Please come to the office and sign in about 5 minutes before your child's lunch time. Thank you!



Mrs. Wirt is on a mission this year! Please put your student's name in/on their lunchbox, jacket and water bottle so it is easier to find who they belong to. We donate a ton of clothes and other items to the mission every year. **THANK YOU!**

TRANSPORTATION NOTES

We are having many of our notes come down to us with no name or only first name, no teacher and/or no parent signatures. Change in transportation notes must have a date, child's first and last name, teacher name and parent signature on them. If they are dropped it makes it much easier to locate who it belongs to. I have included a copy of the transportation forms that work wonderfully!



CAR PICK UP PROCEDURES

When picking up your child from car pick up, **you must enter by the fire station or off of State Rd. 3 to get in the line. Please do not enter at the main entrance and turn around or do a U turn to get in the line.** Car pick up starts as soon as the buses leave and is usually done in less than 15 minutes. **If you are here pass 3:00 p.m. we will send your child to Latchkey and you will be charged.**



Redbird Reading Connections

by Mrs. Blakely and Mrs. Hirons

Have fun learning words while reading with your child. See the following attachment for more information on ways to boost your child's language skills.



PTO News

The next PTO meeting will be October 19 at 6:00 in the library. Childcare will be provided.

Hat Day is October 27 - \$1 for students who did not pre-pay.



Delta Girls Basketball

Please see attached flyer for more information!

COUNSELOR'S CORNER

Ms. Conti continues facilitating classroom guidance lessons, based on the Indiana School Counseling Competencies for Students. The topics have centered around understanding the role of the school counselor, being a problem solver, and being a bucket filler. October is Bullying Awareness Month. Ms. Conti conducted lessons with grades K-2 and 3-5 in the gymnasium this week. Bullying is defined as any *intentional, unwanted, and repeated acts or gestures; including verbal or written communication, or physical acts that are committed by a student or group of students with intent to harass, ridicule, humiliate, intimidate, or harm a targeted student.* Royerton Elementary will not permit this behavior and will continue educating the students on how to prevent this behavior or make a report if it is occurring. As part of our school-wide positive behavior plan, we encourage our students to follow the *M.O.P. Rules, to Be a Buddy, and Be a Bucketfiller not a Bucketdipper (kind words and actions).* These are positive words and behaviors that you can reinforce and encourage at home with your child. Thanks to the students, families, and staff for helping to make Royerton Elementary a great place!



This week Royerton Elementary celebrated College Go Week, sponsored by the Indiana Department of Education. Schools across Indiana celebrate College Go Week and emphasize the importance of college and postsecondary options. College facts have also been highlighted on the announcements each morning, and college trivia questions were reviewed. Pictured below are a few students supporting this important message!



REDBIRD READING CONNECTIONS

Reading Around the House and Beyond (adapted from RRCNA by Mrs. Jessica Blakely & Mrs. Kendra Hirons)

Strong language skills can make your child a better reader, writer, and all around student. **You** can help to build those skills just by getting your child to read, write, and talk more.

While doing your everyday activities at home, take time to leave a short note for your children to find. These can be just for fun or to improve a behavior. A quick note to compliment them such as, “Thanks for helping with the dishes!” or one that serves to remind them – “Please hang me up. Signed, your towel” – can help them practice their reading. Look for unique places to put a note, such as on pillows, by toothbrushes, on the cereal box, on the computer, or in their lunch bag. Your child will enjoy finding the little notes and may even leave one for you!

When you’re on the go, keep your eyes open for opportunities to point out words that are on signs and labels being used around you. View the menu at a restaurant together or let them help with marking off the grocery list when shopping. Using environmental print (the words appearing in signs, labels, and logos all around us) is a great way to reinforce letters and letter sounds in a word they already familiar with and recognize. These are the same skills they will use when they encounter an unknown word while reading.





Transportation Plans

Date: _____

First and Last

Name: _____

Teacher: _____

What to do:

- Ride bus # _____
- Car pick up _____
- Latchkey _____
- Other: _____

Parent Signature: _____



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Elementary OCTOBER 2023 Lunch

Breakfast is served
daily 7:30-8:00AM
\$1.50/day \$0.30 reduced

Lunch Prices
\$2.60/day \$0.40 reduced
Extra Entrée \$1.50
All Sides \$0.75
Milk \$0.50

Menu is subject to change
without notice.



Online Payments:



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Pizza Crunchers Chix Tenders w/ Goldfish Baked Beans Potato Wedges Peaches	3 Nachos Chix Tenders w/ Goldfish Corn Carrots Pears Cookie	4 Salisbury Steak w/ Roll Chix Tenders w/ Goldfish Steamed Broccoli Mashed Potatoes Fruit Cocktail	5 Stuffed Breadsticks Chix Tenders w/ Goldfish Tossed Salad w/ Dressing Green Beans Grapes	6 No School
9 No School	10 No School	11 No School	12 No School	13 No School
16 Mozz Sticks w/ Mar. Yogurt/Cheese/Grahams Corn Mixed Veggies Applesauce	17 Cheese Quesadilla Yogurt/Cheese/Grahams Refried Beans Green Beans Pineapple Rice Krispie Treat	18 Chicken & Noodles w/ Roll Yogurt/Cheese/Grahams Broccoli Mashed Potatoes Strawberries	19 Chili & Cornbread Yogurt/Cheese/Grahams Sweet Potato Fries Tossed Salad w/ Dressing Fresh Fruit Apple Crisp	20 Pizza Yogurt/Cheese/Grahams Carrots Tator Tots Mandarin Oranges
23 Popcorn Chix w/ Brdstick Cheese Pizza Tomato Bisque Soup Potato Wedges Peaches	24 Nachos Cheese Pizza Mixed Veggies Corn Pears Jell-O	25 Lasagna Roll Up w/GarToast Cheese Pizza Tossed Salad w/ Dressing Green Beans Fruit Cocktail	26 Stuffed Breadsticks w/ Mar. Cheese Pizza Steamed Broccoli Baked Beans Grapes	27 Orange Chix w/ Fried Rice Cheese Pizza French Fries Celery/Carrots Sticks Applesauce
30 Chix Nuggets w/ BB Muffin Chicken Patty Sandwich Carrots Green Beans Applesauce	31 Soft Taco (Chix or Beef) Chicken Patty Sandwich Chips w/ Black Bean Salsa Corn Strawberries Frozen Fruit Cup		<p>We are hiring! Join our food service staff. No weekends or holidays \$13-\$15/hour Call 287-8567 to set up an interview</p>	



**Royerton PTO excitedly presents our next fundraiser.
Thank you for supporting our fundraising efforts!**

50% of the sales will go to our PTO which will help us continue to fund field trips, playground equipment, teacher appreciation, field day and SO much more.

\$ Money \$ – Order forms and payment are **DUE OCTOBER 20th**. We cannot accept late orders. Please collect the money as you go while having friends and family fill out the order form. When you return your order write **ONE CHECK** payable to **Royerton PTO** for all of the orders on your order form. Return your order form and check in an envelope labeled as below to your child's teacher. Thank you again for your continued support!

If you have any questions regarding the fundraiser please contact:
Via Smith - 765-215-4953
Or
Morgan Mann - 765-748-4441

<p>Merrywood Fundraiser</p> <p>Students name</p> <p>Teachers name</p>
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Royerton Elementary PTO Fundraiser

Thank you for supporting Royerton Elementary. Merrywood Candles is a local candle company and generously gives 50% of the sales back to our team. Please contact Morgan Mann at 765-748-4441 or boymomllc@gmail.com with questions. Checks should be made out to Royerton PTO

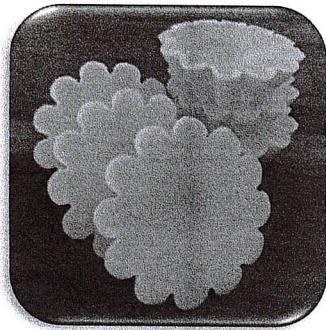
Orders & money due: October 20

Product pick up: November 3

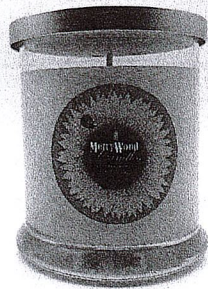


All our candle products are handmade one at a time in our workshop from 100% soy wax with cotton wicks. We add as much high-quality scent to each product as possible. Our products will truly enhance any room!

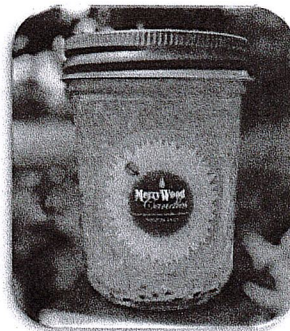
Three products available:



3 pack of tarts
\$3.00



12 oz. jar candle
\$16.00



8 oz. gel room freshener
\$10.00

*product colors vary by scent

Eight scents to choose from:

Caramel Apple

Ripe green apple with sweet caramel

Cinnabun

Cinnamon and vanilla with a hint of frosting

Harvest Moon

Fall aroma of nutmeg, cedar, musk, and allspice

Holiday Joy

A seasonal blend of citrus, spice, and sweet

Peppermint Swirl

Sugary peppermint scent

Pumpkin Brulée

Sweet pumpkin puree and warm spices

Salted Caramel

Buttery caramel with a hint of sea salt

Spiced Cranberry

Tart seasonal berry fragrance

Order forms go home with students 9/29 + 10/2 ☺

Delta Eagles Youth Girls Basketball



Delcom students; Grades 3-6

PROGRAM OFFERING:

1-2 Grade Girls

- Future intramural call out date- TBD

3-6 Grade Girls- Call out day October 21.

- Any girl interested in a local travel team league (all levels of experience welcome).

MUST REGISTER BY- October 20, 2023:

trainerty22@gmail.com