

Murray Lake Messenger

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From the Principal....



I want to thank you all for your support of *Mustangs on the Move*. We are still collecting donations for this and I am extremely pleased with how generous our families are. We will continue to collect the donations through next Thursday, as *Mustangs on the Move* will take place on Friday. I also want to thank all of our moms who have worked diligently to pull this event off. We could not do this without the MANY hours of planning they put into this event.

Next week is Health Week at Murray Lake! We have fun healthy activities planned for every day of the week. Students who participate in these activities will receive a ticket to put into a drawing for a prize during *Mustangs on the Move*. **Monday**-Drop Everything and Exercise. Sometime during the day, the kids will stop what they are doing and exercise. Every student will receive a ticket and a healthy snack. **Tuesday**-Mileage Club day. All students who participate will get a ticket. Students who run 4 laps will get a special charm. **Wednesday**-Healthy Lunch Day. Any student who brings a fruit and/or a vegetable in his/her lunch will receive a ticket. On **Thursday**, Mr. Steele will have a fun activity planned for students to participate in during second recess. Finally, **Friday** is our Walk-A-Thon day.

Next week is also Homecoming week for the high school! We are going to participate in the homecoming festivities as well. **Monday**-hat day. **Tuesday**-stuffed animal day. **Wednesday**-wear your favorite sport day. **Thursday**-crazy hair day. **Friday** will be Lowell Spirit Day-wear red, white, black, and/or pink. I'm looking forward to a fun-filled Health and Homecoming Week!

Our students have set a goal to earn 39,000 AR points this school year. Hitting this goal would set a new MLE record. Our students have currently earned over **2,240 AR points**. Please keep encouraging at home AR reading.

Our students continue to do a great job being Safe, Responsible, and Respectful. They earn *Mustang Moment* tickets when staff members see them putting these traits into action. They will be able to trade these tickets in for many different items and privileges throughout the school year.

We have had a wonderful week at MLE. It is truly a great place to be! I continue to see outstanding examples of teaching and learning in our classrooms.

Have a great weekend!

Molly Burnett , Principal



Mrs. Eldridge's class visits the Wittenbach Center.

We value: Trustworthiness
Respect Responsibility
Fairness Caring Citizenship

Working together to: Achieve Academic Excellence
Build Self Esteem, and
Care for Others

The Father-Daughter Dance is coming!

Who: 2nd/3rd gr girls only
When: December 14, 2016
Where: Grand Volute

More information to follow.



Fresh from the Oven...

To celebrate homecoming on Friday, October 7, the Food Service Department will be giving a cookie to every student who receives a hot lunch! We hope you are enjoying lunches this year and are always ready to hear suggestions!

GO RED ARROWS!!

Great Job to our Accelerated Readers!

Allyson Hollern, 10
Benjamin Homolka, 10
Olivia Lothian, 10
Emma Jenks, 10
Julia Meier, 10, 25
Owen Newland, 10
Alice Bredwell, 10, 25
Ari McFarland, 10
Jadyn Young, 10
Logan Acheson, 10

Jacob DeVries, 10
Elle Jenks, 10, 25, 50
Hope Kaminski, 10
Hope Kanouse, 10, 25, 50
Nathan Mohr, 10
Ella Todd, 10
Matilyn Vogel, 10
Nicholas Williams, 10, 25
Kaya Bender, 10
Claire Comeaux, 10
Jillian Fabis, 10
Ella Acheson, 10, 25
Gracyn Hamilton, 10, 25
Gabriel Selover, 10

J.D. Bacon, 10, 25, 50, 75
Maya Kemp, 10, 25
Zachary Kistler, 10, 25
Nathan Kramer, 10, 25
Kaitlyn Hofman, 10
Lily Richards, 10, 25, 50, 75, 100
Griffin Ponchaud, 10



Upcoming Events

Monday, October 3

Map Testing
Hat Day

Tuesday, October 4

Map Testing
Stuffed Animal Day
Picarazzi/Titche-Art Prize, 8:50-2:00
Durfee-WWC 9:15-12:45

Wednesday, October 5

Map Testing
Wear Your Fave Sport Day
Cub Scouts, 6:00-7:30

Thursday, October 8

Map Testing
Crazy Hair Day

Friday, October 9

Map Testing
Lowell Spirit Day
Cyrocki/Russell-WWC, 9:15-12:45
Walk-a-thon, 1:45
School store open during lunch



Box Tops Contest

One of the easiest ways to help our school without any extra out-of-pocket expense is to save Box Tops. The box tops we collect earn cash or equipment for our classrooms.

Family Links will hold two collection contests (one in the fall and one in the spring). The classroom that collects the most box tops will earn a pizza party. Prizes are also given to the 2nd place (ice cream treat) and 3rd place (candy treat) classrooms. Our fall box tops contest is being held through October 25.

Families are encouraged to save their box tops year-round to increase our earnings.

If possible, please cut the box tops neatly! Our volunteers spend countless hours trimming them until they can't see straight! So any help would be greatly appreciated!

HELP WANTED:

Please copy and paste the link the link below into your browser to sign up for helping with box tops!

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c084badaa2aa0f85-boxtops1>

Information regarding student activities and community events can be found under Extracurricular Activities on the Murray Lake Elementary website at:

<http://www.lowellschools.com/education/components/scrapbook/default.php?sectiondetailid=17461&>