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From the Principal....

It is hard to believe we only have one more week of school left until our holiday break. Next week is going to fun-filled! Student council is holding a spirit week next week to help get all of our students in the holiday spirit.



Monday-Crazy Christmas Outfit/mismatch day Tuesday-Crazy hair/Holiday hat day Wednesday-Holiday twin day Thursday-Ugly sweater day Friday-Holiday PJ Day

This time of year is always a good time to reflect. Tuesday night, I was given the opportunity to present the money our students raised at the Gilda's Club Holiday Dinner, held at the Franciscan Life Center. As I chatted with those that have utilized Gilda's services, I could only reflect .



Mrs. Burnett presents the MLE No Shave November check to Gilda's Club at their annual holiday party last Tuesday.

on how lucky we all are to be a part of this amazing community. Thanks to our efforts with No Shave November, our small school community raised over \$800! I was able to present the check to them on behalf of our staff and students. They were so grateful for our efforts and they wanted me to thank everyone for their support.

Our students started DIBELS testing this week. This is a reading fluency assessment that all students are given three times a year to determine how students are performing on important reading skills. DIBELS stands for Dynamic Indicators of Basic Early Literacy Skills. Teachers use this data to inform their instruction. If you are interested in learning more about this assessment go to the link below: https:// dibels.uoregon.edu/docs/dibelsparentguide.pdf.



Our second and third graders are preparing for their holiday music program. We hope to see many of you in attendance on Monday, December 16, 2:30 pm, in our gym. This event is a great kick-off to the holidays!

I continue to be quite pleased with the lessons I observe as I walk through our classrooms. We truly have some outstanding teachers and students here at MLE. I hope all of you have a wonderful weekend.

Molly Burnett Principal





Athletic 10-punch passes are available for purchase at \$30 - a \$20 savings for a family! Use the 10-punch pass for admission to home high school games (not MHSAA tourneys) to support the Red Arrows! Purchase at the high school office or home athletic events.

We value: Trustworthiness Respect Responsibility Fairness Caring Citizenship Working together to: Achieve Academic Excellence Build Self Esteem, and Care for Others

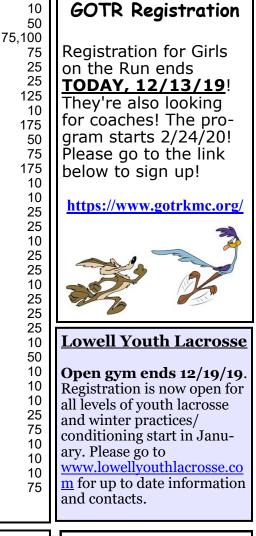


Accelerated Readers!

Student	Pts
Teagan Brouwer	5
Nora Doyle	10
Felix Uzarski	10
Ethan Brocker	50
Broc DeWitt	10
Tavis Gramza	25
Lucy Simon	10
Harper Walker	10
Dallas Eddy	10
Drake English	50
August Weston	25
Jacob Wills	25
Lucas Wittenbach	10
Tena Alger	10
Parker Banks	25
Remy Flynn	25
Alexander Nelson	25
Evan Hutchinson	50
Bryson Powell	75
Peyton Dragoo	25
Evan Dressander	100
Taylor Graham	75
Brooklyn Haywood	75
Maxwell Munger	125

Connor Stoica 10 Elijah VanGroningen 75,100 Sophia Bergsma 75 Jahlin Clemenshaw 225 Elise Golden 75 Benjamin Homolka 50 Olivia Lothian 100 Weston McFarland 50 Emma Nichols 25 Jacob Ort 75 EllaAnne Pike 50 Ashley Pohl 175 Carter Sible 225,250,275 Cade VanLaan 50 Layla Wilk 50 Karleigh DeWitt 10 Malena Dixon 100 Lillian Dyer 125 Liam Kondor 75 Liam Meikle 50 James Meyers 125 Anthony Richmond 50 Evander Avala 10 Brady Burgess 25 Jackson Dyer 25 Avi Elabed 25,50 Zoe Golinski 10 Taylor Hall 10 Jocelyn Pike 10 Ava Schulz 25 **Evangeline Trujillo** 10 Deidra Uzarski 25 Kara Bacon 50 Brody Boos 10 Abigail Butler 10

Robert Cooper Raymond Douglas Hunter Dykhuis Drew Gramza Korbin Hickman Trinity Johnson Oliver Nydam Zachary Rutan Casey TenHarmsel Evelyn Uzarski Caiden Zimmerman Liam Bolen Kayla Davidson Bentley Elsie James Forney Joseph Forney Chloe Kelley Rosalee Romano Damon Thomas Sierra Larsen Joey Prins Samuel Simon Haylee Winczewski Dylan Corner Ruby Cunningham Hailey Delgado **Riley Freel** Vaughn Gage Ciarra Krueger Emilia Maroto Charles Monaghan Logan O'Brien Adam Serne Vayda Woolston



ACTORS WANTED!



CALL FOR AUDITIONS – The Trial of Goldilocks

Directed by Teresa Goldner

Youth Theater Production - THE TRIAL OF GOLDILOCKS by Joseph Robinette One-Act Play / Comedy / Performances: March 19 – 21, 2020

Details:

- Performance dates are March 19 (school day shows), March 20 & 21 (public performances)
- Performance rehearsals to be held at LowellArts, 223 W. Main St., downtown Lowell, MI beginning in mid-January
- Performance location to be at Lowell Performing Arts Center, Lowell High School
- Auditions: (ages 8 18). Auditions are at LowellArts on Saturday, December 14 at 10am and Tuesday, December 17 at 6:30pm. Enter through the back door to LowellArts. Auditions are on the second floor of the building (stairs only, no elevator available). Scripts are available for review by contacting LowellArts, 616-897-8545.

Information regarding student activities and community events can be found under Extracurricular Activities on the Murray Lake Elementary website at: http://www.lowellschools.com/student-activities/

pcoming Events:

Monday, December 16 2nd/3rd gr Music Program, 2:30 Tuesday, December 17 Band/Orchestra Concert, 1:15 Friday, December 20 5th gr Holiday Breakfast, 9:00-10:15 1st gr to Fountain View, 9:45-11:15

Holiday Break: 12/21/19— 1/5/20