



November 1-5

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Note from the Principal

Dear Families,
Fall is certainly in full swing. At home many of you are no doubt turning on the furnace one day and then shedding coats the next! With the weather being so unpredictable but also getting colder, it is important for children to wear coats or jackets and hats to be dressed for outside recess. Getting on or off the bus is different than playing outside for 15-20 minutes, and we want your children to be warm and stay healthy. If your child is in need of a winter coat, please contact the office directly so we can help! Finally, please label your child's belongings with their first and last name. It is amazing how many lost items would be immediately "found" if they had names on them. Thank you for helping us beat the cold!

With Pride,

Mrs. Cook



More Walk-A-Thon Results

Our total amount raised in the Walk-A-Thon **\$8030.49!** Although every dollar counts, students who collected at least \$100 will earn a Walk-A-Thon T-shirt. Shirts have been ordered and should be in soon. Kudos to the following students and their families who collected at least \$100:

Ayden Tusing, Gavin Anderson, Alexis Kaufman, Liam Gonzalez, Caleb Lisek, Camden Large, Natalie Crooks, Jada Bules, Isabelle Rettinger, Adylyn Stichter, Serenitee Baker, William Price, Veronica Baumgartner, Matthew Alexander, Jett Swanson, Jaxon Berger, Layla Johnson, Jacob Crooks, Elias Stichter, Eviana Bontrager, Elijah Hensley, Bradlee Galloway, Ava Harman, Nolan Breeden, Isaiah Slabaugh, Gabriel Phenix, Bentlyn Blackford, Lillian Phenix, Macy Olesen, Luella Norman, Aden Bontrager, Lilliana Poff, Gavin Bontrager, Sabrya Hawley, Korbyn Potter, Dianna Eicher, Tessa Bontrager, Savannah Hawley, Jamison Swanson, Brady Heckaman, Sophie Howell.

Trunk or Treat is BACK!

Bourbon First United Methodist Church is happy to announce that Trunk or Treat is back! We welcome all children and families from around the area to come to Bourbon FUMC on Saturday, October 30th, from 4:00-6:00pm for this safe and fun alternative to Trick or Treat. We'll have lots of cars and trunks decorated to their Halloween best, games, and plenty of treats to hand out. Best of all, it's a great time to celebrate community and to meet your neighbors, friends and family. Please plan to join us at Bourbon FUMC, 204 N. Washington St. Bourbon, IN 46504. 574-342-5765.



COVID Update

As a school, we are eager for the day when we can return to normal operating procedures especially regarding public events and larger gatherings. In the meantime we will do our best to keep students and staff **healthy** and **in school**. That includes frequent hand washing and sanitizing, sending home students who are ill, identifying and quarantining close contacts to COVID-positive individuals, and communicating regularly with our county health departments. Since the vast majority of the positive cases are still adults, we continue to limit visitors to our building and opportunities for large gatherings such as music programs, and in-school assemblies where distancing or outdoor options are not possible. We are aware that many people are attending social gatherings outside of school, but our responsibility is for our students and families while at school or school-sponsored functions. Thank you for your understanding and for communicating with our office if someone in your home tests positive. We will update you as circumstances change. Please reach out anytime with questions at 574-342-2355.

Next Week's Menus

Breakfast

Monday, November 1

Pop Tarts, Fruit, Apple Juice and Milk

Tuesday, November 2

Mini Cinnis, Fruit, Grape Juice and Milk

Wednesday, November 3

Variety Cereal, Fruit, Apple Juice and Milk

Thursday, November 4

Breakfast Pizza Egg & Bacon, Applesauce, Orange Juice and Milk

Friday, November 5

Muffin, String Cheese, Fruit, Grape Juice and Milk

Lunch

Monday, November 1

Chicken Tender W/Dip, Mashed Potatoes W/Gravy/Golden Corn, Mixed Fruit and Milk

Tuesday, November 2

Bosco Stick W/Marinara Sauce, Seasoned Green Beans/Baked Beans, Applesauce and Milk

Wednesday, November 3

Mac & Cheese W/Bread Stick, Steamed Broccoli/Peas, Pears and Milk

Thursday, November 4

Yogurt Bar, Strawberries/Sweet Cherries, Fresh Cauliflower W/Dip, Scooby Graham Crackers and Milk

Friday, November 5

Cheeseburger Sliders W/Pickles, Romaine Lettuce W/Ranch Dressing, Baked French Fries, Fresh Grapes and Milk

All menus are subject to change.

Milk & condiments are offered with every meal. Salad dressing is served with lettuce and ranch dip with fresh vegetables. An Uncrustable and string cheese are offered daily as an alternate main dish.

This institution is an equal opportunity provider. *Preschool students* will always receive Choice A as the main dish and the first vegetable listed above.

Upcoming Events

October 31-Happy Halloween!

November 7-Daylight Saving Time Ends-Turn your clocks back one hour

November 8-PTO Meeting after school in the Elementary Library

November 11-Veterans Day (Virtual Program on Facebook)

November 23-Bodies in Progress for 5th Grade Students

November 24-26 Thanksgiving Break