

Needmore News

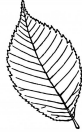
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(812-279-2192)

October 2019 Edition

Office Hours 7:30-4:00

Fall Break

Fall Break will begin at the 2:50 dismissal on Friday, October 11th. Classes will resume on Monday, October, 21st



Block Party

This year Needmore will be having a Block Party instead of our Carnival It is scheduled on October 26th.

Conferences

Reminder Conferences are being scheduled. Please make sure you contact your student's teacher if you have not already set a conference time.

Red Ribbon Week

The week of October 23rd - 31st is "Red Ribbon Week." The Red Ribbon symbolizes a commitment to stay "Drug-Free." The 2019 red ribbon theme: Send a message. Stay drug-free.

Book Rental

Book fees are now due. Call Lisa in the office to arrange payment or make your payment on the Parent Portal.

Book Rental charges are:

Kindergarten - \$132.91; Grade 1 - \$148.65;

Grade 2 - \$142.75; Grade 3 - \$151.72;

Grade 4 - \$147.78; Grade 5 - \$150.83.

Make checks for Book Rental fees only. Do not include any other fees on this check. Checks must include Social Security Number, Driver's License Number, or birthdate.

Transportation Changes

Please try to call the school before 2:00 p.m.

Please no calls between 11:00 & 12:00.

Attendance

The State of Indiana places education at the top of its priorities. A very high positive correlation exists between formal learning and school attendance. Accordingly, it is vital that this school system uses every reasonable measure to instill dutiful attendance habits in every student. A day lost in the classroom can never be completely retrieved; the dialogue between teachers and students in a classroom group environment can never be effectively duplicated.

Food Service Office

The Food Service Office would like to remind all households that breakfast is offered to students daily at all North Lawrence Community Schools. The full price for the student breakfast is \$1.25, and .30 cents if the student qualifies for reduced meals.

Morning Arrival---Afternoon Dismissal

7:30 Buses Unload

7:30 OMS & BNL Buses Depart

7:50 First Bell

8:00 Tardy Bell (Plan to arrive no later than 7:55)

Students should arrive as close to 7:50 as possible.

**Supervised drop off begins at 7:30 each day.

Mrs. Wright is our morning safety monitor.

2:50 Car riders dismissed

2:55 Bus riders dismissed

2:55 Aftercare dismissed



Basketball Try-Outs/Physicals

Try-outs begin Monday, September 30.

All students trying out for the 4th/5th basketball teams and dance team must have a physical on file. Forms have been passed out to students. The IHSA Pre-participation physical evaluation must be filled out by a physician.

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Basketball Games 2019-2020

Oct. 28(Monday) @ Needmore 3:45
Oct. 29 (Tuesday) @ Needmore 3:45
Nov. 4 (Monday) @ Stalker 3:45
Nov. 7(Thursday) @ Fayetteville 3:45
Nov. 14 (Thursday) @ Needmore 3:45
Nov. 19 (Tuesday) @ Dollens 3:45
Dec. 3 (Tuesday) @Shawswick 3:45
Dec. 5 (Thursday) @ Needmore 3:45
Dec. 10 (Tuesday) @ Parkview 3:45
January Tournament

Library Books

We have a great library here at Needmore. A book has to be paid for if it is lost or damaged beyond repair. If you pay for a book with cash and you find the book within one week, we will give your money back. If you pay by check, it will be deposited in the school account and cannot be refunded. We will use the money to buy a replacement or buy another new book.



Winter Coats

We have a small supply of winter coats at school. If your child needs a coat please send a request with your child to the school.

Make sure your children are dressed warmly, mittens, hats, etc. Children will have daily recess time as long as the temp. is above 32 degrees.

Tobacco-Free Facility

All North Lawrence Community School buildings and grounds are designated as Tobacco Free areas. We ask for your cooperation in observing this policy at all school-sponsored events. This is not only an NLCS policy but is also necessary to comply with the "No Child Left Behind" Federal Legislation. *This includes ballgames!

Title I Website

Parents are encouraged to visit the NLCS Title I website. The Website contains a calendar, information about Title I, a Title I calendar, NLCS Title I staff, and other helpful information. The website address is <http://www.nlcs.k12.in.us/title1/index.htm>.

School Reach Broadcasts

Since school closings and school delays are normally determined at times when the NLCS Administration Building and the NLCS schools are not open, anyone who receives a School Reach Broadcast message for NLCS, regardless of the time of day, can call the Message Retrieval Line number at 885-955-8500 from any phone that **received** the message to listen to the last broadcast message that was activated. This unique feature of the School Reach Broadcast is designed to be an added convenience for parents and staff.

Reminder October Dates

10/1 PTO meeting at 6:00 pm
10/4 End of 1st Grading Period
10/7- 10/11 Book Fair
10/14 -10/18 Fall Break - No School
10/26 Block Party
10/28 Vision Screening
10/28 Basketball Game @ Needmore

Vision Screening

*Lions Club Vision Screening will take place on October 28th. for 1st, 3rd, and 5th grade. If your student already has prescription lenses, please make sure that they are brought to school for the exam.