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GRASSY CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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3RD GRADE READ-IN AND IREAD3 PARENT INFORMATIONAL MEETING—THURSDAY, AUGUST 24, 2017

What: Grassy Creek 3rd grade students are invited to participate in a Read-In on Thursday, August 24th. Students will spend time reading their favorite books and participating in literacy activities. They will make their own pizza dinner and drink. Parents are invited to attend an informational meeting regarding the 3rd grade state reading test called IREAD3.

When: Thursday, August 24, 2017 Read-In—3:45-7:00 p.m.

Parent Meeting—6:30-7:00 p.m. Where: Grassy Creek Elementary School









ADVENTURE IS WAITNG! CATAPULT INTO **SCOUTING!**

Join Scouting at Grassy Creek Elementary On Thursday, August 17th at 6:30 PM Learn more at www.JoinScoutsIN.org



IMMUNIZATIONS

An exclusion has been set! If your child does not have up-to-date immunizations on file at school by September 18, 2017, they will not be able to attend school. Letters were sent home Thursday with students. Please contact your doctor or the health department as soon as possible. For any questions, call the clinic at 317-532-3105.

VISION & HEARING SCREENINGS

The Marion County Health Dept. will be at Grassy Creek to do the State mandated vision & hearing screenings on August 11-16. First and third grades will have their vision screened and the first and fourth grades will have their hearing screened

WARREN GIRLS YOUTH FALL TRAVEL TEAM TRYOUTS!

Warren Girls Youth Basketball: Fall Travel Team Tryouts Warren Girls Youth Basketball will hold tryouts for our fall travel basketball teams on Wednesday, August 16th and Thursday, August 17th from 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm at the Warren Central High School Fieldhouse (enter door #14). We will have 5 teams this fall, one for each grade, 4 th - 8 th. Third graders may try out for the 4 th grade team. All girls who attend MSD Warren Township schools or live in Warren Township are eligible to try out for the teams. Players are encouraged to try to attend both tryout dates. More information is available at our website, www.warrengirlsbasketball.com.

PRINCIPAL'S POINT:

Thank you for joining us for our Back to School Night this week! We had a fantastic turnout and are excited about partnering with you this year. Next week we'll start our NWEA testing in all grades. Students will "show what they know" in reading, language, and math. We are excited to set goals using our NWEA and grow our brains! Please look for more information about your child's scores in their progress report later this month. Also, don't forget to check us out on social media for all the latest updates. Have a good weekend!

Christy Merchant, Proud Principal



August 11, 2017 **Bulletin #2**

"PUTTING **CHILDREN** FIRST"



C. O. R. E.

- **Civility**
- Order
- Respect
- **Excellence**



Grassy Creek Mission Statement

Grassy Creek Elementary empowers children to be lifelong learners and productive citizens in our diverse community.





PTA CORNER



Thank you to families who have joined the PTA so far this year. Membership is \$7.00 per person. We encourage moms, dads, grandparents, aunts, uncles, etc. to become members. We do not ask you to donate time unless you wish to. PTA helps to pay for school parties, picnics, ice cream socials, the fall festival, 4th grade picnic and more. Mark your calendar for Donuts with Dads on Thursday, September 14th at 7:30 a.m. Watch for invites to come home! Our first skating party is Thursday, August 17th!



Haley Hilliard, PTA President

<u>DRESS FOR SUCCESS</u>: Just a reminder that Grassy Creek students should be dressed in appropriate school attire that promotes a positive school learning climate. Please refer to our Student Handbook, **Dress Code Guidelines**, <u>for a complete listing</u>. Please be sure the below listed guidelines are followed so that students will dress and groom themselves in a manner that is not disruptive to the educational process or dangerous to themselves or others.

• Students will wear acceptable tucked in shirts/tops in the school environment.

Shirts/tops that are unacceptable:

Shirts that don't cover a student's back when bending over

Shirts with tears or holes

Sleeveless tops, see through tops, spaghetti straps, halter tops, low cut shirts or sundresses

Shirts with tears or holes or graphics that "put down" school

Leggings and/or jeggings are allowed under skirts or dresses and not just worn with a shirt.

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♦ Students will wear acceptable closed toe & heel shoes. (Gym shoes are perfect!) For the safety of our students the flip-flop style shoe (rubber beach shoes and one strap thong shoes) are not to be worn. Other unacceptable shoes are:

Sandals Light-up shoes Opened-toe shoes Slippers or house shoes

Heelys High heels

Thank you so much for your assistance with these guidelines.





SKATING PARTY—THURSDAY, AUGUST 17TH!



Indy's Premier Family Fun & Skating Center—The Roller Cave 8734 E. 21st Street

Time: 6:00-8:00 p.m. Admission: \$6.00 (which includes skate rental) The skating party is for all students. Come have a great time and help raise some money for the school. There will be skating, dancing, bounce houses, hit music, games, great food and fun! You will receive 5 free game tokens and free skate lessons from 6:00 to 6:30 p.m.

IT'S MIDTERM TIME!

MIDTERMS GO HOME AUGUST 25TH

NUGGET EMAIL LIST	
In trying to communicate better with our	families, we are making a Nugget email dis-
tribution list. If you are interested in rece	eiving your Nugget by email instead of a pa-
per copy from your student, please fill out the form below and send it to the school	
office.	
Student Name(s)	
Student Grade: Te	eacher:
Name:	
Email Address:	