



Soaring to New Heights of Excellence
SUNNY HEIGHTS



MSD WARREN TOWNSHIP

The Future Begins Here

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THANK YOU PARENTS! I would again like to thank parents for their help in making the start of this year fantastic here at Sunny Heights!! Everyone is getting used to the routines, expectations, and procedures for arrival and dismissal. These guidelines are all in place to help maintain order and above all safety for everyone at Sunny Heights. Thank you!! There is another very important way that parents can help contribute to the greatness of our school...the PTA! We are asking for any and all parents interested in helping (even a little) to join the Sunny Heights PTA. Membership is \$6 and the form is attached to the bottom of this newsletter. If you can only contribute a little bit of time, that is all right. Do not feel as if you have to give 100%. Please consider becoming a part of this great organization built to better our school!!

Your Proud Principal,
Barton Lewis

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

- September 5th Labor Day, No school
- September 6th PTA meeting, 6:00-7:00 p.m.
- September 14th Late start for students; elementary – 9:50 a.m.
- September 12th - 16th Literacy Week
- September 16th Family Literature Night; 6:00-7:00 p.m.
- September 16th Picture Day
- September 19th - 22nd Vision screening for Gr. 1, 3 & 4
- September 22nd - 23rd Healthy Smiles
- September 28th Last day of 1st grading period

KIWANIS CLUB OF WARREN TOWNSHIP

Fall 2016 – Mum’s the Word Flower Sale
\$9.00 each

Big and beautiful (9” pots) available in yellow, white, red, orange and purple.

Payment is collected at time of order.

Cash or check payable to “Kiwanis Club of Warren Township”.



Orders due (2 weeks) on August 23rd.
Flower pickup after September 9th at
Roller Cave (8734 E. 21st Street) and pickup
coordinator is Luke Boston at 371-4447.

Dear Parents,
CHEER IS HERE

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REGISTER ONLINE NOW | \$85 REGISTRATION + APPAREL FEE

www.wearewarren.club

2016 PESTICIDE NOTIFICATION REGISTRY

The Indiana Pesticide Review Board has regulations that impact how school corporations may use pesticides on school grounds. MSD Warren Township follows these guidelines and we are inviting parents and guardians to join our Pesticide Notification Registry. By signing up for this registry, you will be notified via email at least 48 hours prior to a pesticide application at your child's school, subject to certain exceptions. You will be invited to sign up for this notification each school year. **If you would like to participate, please complete the required form found at www.warren.k12.in.us.**

Cumberland Arts Goes to Market

This will be the 8th year for the Cumberland Arts Goes to Market festival. It will be held on Saturday, August 20th from 9:00-4:00. This is a free event. The festival is held on Saturn Street behind the Town Hall in Cumberland. As part of the festival, there will be a Historical salute for the Bicentennial of our state. This is made possible because we are one of fourteen locations to receive a heritage Grant from the State of Indiana. There will be seven stations chronicling Indiana and Cumberland history. Visitors are encouraged to visit each station to collect a sticker which they will then present at the visitor tent to be awarded a Bicentennial collectible. This will be a fun way to introduce your students to Indiana history. All entertainment and children's activities are free. There will be approximately 100 vendors in the area of arts and crafts. The Cumberland Farmers Market vendors will be open, and in addition food can be purchased at various food trucks.

ABSENCES

Absences should be reported by calling the school at 532-2900, leaving the child's name, room number, reason for absence, your name, your relationship to the child, and a phone number where you can be reached. Please send a note with the reason for the absence when your child returns.



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The Students Rights and Responsibilities book is located on the district website for your viewing at: <http://www.warren.k12.in.us/student-rightsresp>

GUEST TEACHERS WANTED!!

Warren Township schools are looking for classroom guest teachers for the 2016-17 school year. Classroom guest teachers also referred to as substitute teachers, work a 7 1/2 hour day with a 30 minute lunch. Classroom guest teachers are paid \$72 a day and are eligible for a \$100 bonus after completing twenty classroom assignments. With 18 schools, and over 600 classrooms in the district, there are ample opportunities for being assigned to a classroom on a daily basis. Requirements for the position can be found on our district website (<http://www.warren.k12.in.us/employment-opportunities>) or by contacting one of our 18 Warren Township schools. Interested applicants can apply at <https://aptrack.warren.k12.in.us/applicant/login.php>.

TIME FOR A STORY

Want to spend time with your youngster, build her reading skills, and help her learn to love books? You can do all three when you read aloud to her. Here are some suggestions.

Read regularly

Try to read to your child every day. You might aim for 10-15 minutes of bedtime reading for a peaceful end to the day. Bring along a book, and read to her during a sibling's sport practice. Or curl up together with a book when you get home from work.

Take turns choosing books

Your youngster may want to hear old favorites again and again. Use your turn for new titles and variety (nonfiction, poetry).

Let her participate

Ask your child to turn the pages while you read. Also, she can finish sentences that rhyme or fill in words she knows. Go slowly so she has time to understand the story and look at the illustrations. She'll enjoy read-aloud time more if she plays an active role.

Be playful

You can use different voices for different characters (a high, squeaky voice for a mouse or a deep, booming voice for a horse). Or substitute your youngster's name for the main character's name, and use family members' names for other characters. **Note:** You don't have to be an expert reader – your child will love it when you read aloud because it's *you!*

The Sunny Heights PTA has continually made outstanding contributions to our school. Please plan to sign up as a member and watch for opportunities to get involved in events throughout the year. Upon joining PTA, your child will have the chance to wear blue jeans on designated days this school year! Thanks for joining.



Individual Member Form

Thank you for your interest in joining PTA! Please fill out the form below and return it to the appropriate person at your local PTA (president, membership chair, etc.) along with your dues payment. When PTA gets involved, children benefit. When you get involved with PTA, the child who benefits most is your own.

Prefix (Dr, Miss, Mr, Mrs, Ms)		First name*										Last name*										Suffix (Jr, Sr, III)			
Address 1*																				Apartment			City*		
State*		ZIP/PC*		Country		This is a		Primary phone number				Ext.		this phone number is for											
						<input type="checkbox"/> Home address <input type="checkbox"/> Business address								<input type="checkbox"/> My home <input type="checkbox"/> My workplace <input type="checkbox"/> Mobile											
E-mail address																									

*Required Field