
CORYDON INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

November 6, 2015

NOTES FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Congratulations to both our 5th and 6th grade girls basketball teams. The fifth grade ended up winning the Harrison County Basketball Tournament that was held at North Harrison Schools on Saturday, October 24th. The sixth grade came in second place. I am so proud of the girls for playing so hard. Thanks to both Meghan Bussabarger and Laura Shireman for doing such a great job. The girls are truly lucky to have you as their coaches. The girls finish up their season with a game at Hazelwood next week.

SPIRIT WEAR

Order forms are being sent home today, November 6th. The orders are due by Friday, November 20th, as stated on the form. They are expected to be in before Christmas. Colored copies will be posted in the classrooms as well as the office for viewing. Sizes are listed under each individual item. If you would like this to be a Christmas gift please attach a note to the order form and we will contact you to come and pick them up so that your child does not see what you ordered.

GOBBLE, GOBBLE

I am excited to announce that we will again have our turkey dinner which we will serve the students on Wednesday, November 18th. Normal lunch prices will be in effect. Turkey and all the trimmings will be the only meal offered that day. The students will have a choice of apple or pumpkin pie. We will take orders for that day so please discuss this with your child. We take a count so that we are sure that we have enough food for all.

NEWS FROM THE LIBRARY

WHAT: Giving drive.....We will collect gently used children's books, canned goods, personal hygiene items (toothpaste, deodorant, shampoo, etc). We will take picture books, chapter books, and magazines. Please do not bring in books that are torn, dirty, or marked in.

WHEN: Monday, November 9-Friday, November 20, 2015.

WHERE: We will collect items in CIS lobby outside the library, 7:50-8:20 am.

WHY: Books will be given to Kosair Childrens Hospital and other items will be given to Harrison County Community Services to help those in need during the holidays.

CIS students may send friendship grams to CIS students or staff members:

Bring in 1-4 items and you can send 1 friendship gram,

Bring in 5-10 items and you can send 2 friendship grams,

Bring in 11+ items and you can send 3 friendship grams.

These totals are per day. Students may bring in items each day.

THANK YOU FOR HELPING OTHERS DURING THE HOLIDAY SEASON!

PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES WENT WELL. THANKS TO ALL THE PARENTS WHO ATTENDED. WE STRIVE FOR 100% PARTICIPATION

MORE NEWS FROM THE LIBRARY

CIS will hold a book exchange in the library on Wednesday, November 18, 2015. Students may each bring in up to 10 books to exchange. Please bring “old” books from home to CIS library in the morning before 8:20 a.m. on Wednesday, November 18, 2015 and you will receive a ticket to come back in the afternoon to pick out “new” books.

This is a fantastic way to get “new” books to read for free and put your “old” books to great use!! *Any books used for the book exchange will not count towards classroom donation totals for the giving drive* PLEASE CONTACT MRS. AGE AT (812) 738-6548, X5035 WITH ANY QUESTIONS.

NEWS FROM OUR COUNSELOR

Thank you to all of our local community members who came out to our career fair for our fifth and sixth grade students. The students were able to attend three sessions and learn about the different careers that were of interest to them. They seemed to have a great time and learn a lot of interesting information. It was a complete success. Last week we celebrated Red Ribbon Week. We celebrated by having a different dress up theme each day, making “Say No To Drugs” posters, and giving out pencils, bracelets, and stickers. A special thank you to The Harrison County Substance Abuse and Prevention Coalition for the t-shirts, gift cards, and other items that were donated and put in a drawing for our students. They were greatly appreciated!

NEWS FROM THE NURSE’S OFFICE

We know that many of you would appreciate the phone call home when your child is seen in the nurse’s office. We will try to honor those requests when they occur, however, there are going to be times when that is forgotten or not feasible. On the average we have over 40 visits a day and over 4,500 visits in a year. When you see the numbers I hope you realize that it is a busy office at times. We only have a nurse on call here for half of the day. It is then left up to the secretaries to fill in the gaps. So at times there may only be one person that is answering phones, letting people into the building, attending to students who need something other than the nurse. I wish that all of you could spend a day in the office area to realize how busy we truly are. So if the phone call is not made we apologize in advance and we appreciate your understanding.

THANK YOU

Recently some 5th grade students gathered at recess time in Mrs. Ehler’s classroom and sorted out all of our Box Tops that have been turned in. There were hundreds to bag and count. In the end we made a total of \$830.00. Thanks to the students who counted, Laura Hamman for sending them to the company and Mrs. Ehlers for taking the time to work with the students. What a great group effort.