



Bibich Elementary

FEBRUARY 21, 2020

Random Acts of Kindness

This week's Random Acts of Kindness winners are: Brie Grady, Kolin James, Morgan Mahoney, Rowan Nelson, and Savannah Sealey. Great job everyone!!!!



Book Talk

The following students presented books this week: Emma Dennert, Audrey Johnson, Alaudria Miller, Charlotte O'Leary, Emily Porter, Eva Ruf, Chloe Rybicki, Isabella Saxsma, Sam Wilocki, and Sloane Wojno.

Grandparents' / Special Persons' Night

On Thursday, March 5 Bibich students and their grandparents are invited to an evening with Famous Hoosiers "Wax" Museum, treats in the cafeteria, artwork in the hallways, and a photographer. It will conclude in the gym with a special performance by Tim Hanning and the Pro Kids Show which will begin at 6:30 pm. If a grandparent cannot attend, a special person (aunt, uncle, etc.) may attend. (Sorry parents, this one is NOT for you.) The event is from 5:30 - 7:30 pm. Doors will open at 5:15 pm.

Kids Heart Challenge

Kids Heart Challenge is a nationwide event through the American Heart Association that helps students learn about the benefits of regular physical activity and heart health while they raise funds to support vital research and education programs. The money raised will help people in our community learn how to avoid heart disease and strokes and live longer, healthier lives.



We held our event Tuesday, February 11th. With staff and parent support, the day was a great success! They demonstrated how healthy they wanted their hearts to stay! Everyone did an amazing job raising **over \$10,500** for this great cause!!

Kids Heart Challenge is a fun event that helps our children understand the importance of community service and physical activity. Our efforts truly make a difference! Thank you to all our volunteers and all who sponsored our students!

Read to Succeed

The Six Flags Read to Succeed program is underway. The program requires that a minimum of 8 students in a class must complete the challenge in order for those registered in that class to get a ticket. Currently we only have ONE class who has at least 8 students registered. It's not too late to sign up, but don't wait much longer if you plan to complete the six hours of reading. The deadline to complete the reading hours is Friday, April 17. If you have questions, please contact your child's teacher.



Kindergarten Enrollment

Enrollment takes place on Wednesday and Thursday, March 11 and 12 from 9 AM—11 AM and Noon—2 PM. To be eligible for kindergarten, a child **must be 5 years old on or before August 1, 2020**, and legally reside within the Lake Central School Corporation boundaries. Parents must provide their child's original legal birth certificate (no hospital copy), two proofs of residency (*i.e., home ownership papers or rental agreement, and one current utility bill verifying address*), valid Indiana driver's license or state ID with the current address, and in the case of divorce or separation, custody papers. Bring your child with you to enroll, as they will be given a general kindergarten screening.

Feb. 22	Robotics Competition in Hobart
Feb. 24-28	Penny Wars Fundraiser
Mar. 5	1st Grade - Soil & Water
Mar. 5	Grandparents'/Special Persons' Night
Mar. 11	End of 3rd grading period
Mar. 11-12	Kindergarten Enrollment
Mar.16-Apr.3	IREAD-3 testing window
Mar. 23-27	Spring Break—No School
Apr. 1	Kindergarten Field Trip
Apr. 8	Student Spotlight Night
Apr. 10	Easter Break—No School
Apr. 13-17	Riley Hospital Fundraiser Week
Apr. 15	PTO Variety Show
Apr. 16	Spring Pictures
Apr20-May15	ILEARN testing window for 3rd & 4th Grade
Apr. 30	1st Grade - Soil & Water
May 11	Volunteer Appreciation Gathering @ 3pm
May 11	PTO Meeting @ 3:30pm
May 13	Kindergarten Program
May 15	Field Day
May 22	Last student day (if no school cancellation)
May 22	End of 2nd Semester (if no school cancellation)
May 26	Last teacher day (if no school cancellation)



Early Childhood

Lake Central Special Education provides screening throughout the school year for children ages 2 years 10 months to 5 years. 2019/2020 screening dates are: March 17, April 17, and May 11. If you are interested in making an appointment contact Robin Mestrich at (219) 365-8507. Screening will be held at Lake Central High School.

Bibich Yearbook

Yearbook order forms went out last week. Orders are due **TODAY Friday, Feb. 21**. Cost is \$15. You may order online at inter-state.com/yearbook and enter code 46426D.



Lake Central Field House

Lake Central School Corporation is permitting access to the field house for walking on Monday and Wednesday evenings from 7pm - 9pm **now through March 20, 2020**. Visitors should park in the front of the school near the pool and enter through Door C. The field house will be on your right.

PTO NEWS

Penny Wars



Penny Wars supporting Lake Central Dollars for Scholars is next week, Feb. 24 - 28! Each class is competing to see who can donate the most to help fund scholarships for former Bibich students. All coins, bills, and tax-deductible checks are welcome, and there are fun prizes for the winning class!

Thanks to everyone who supported our Dairy Queen 'Dine Out Day' and those who donated games/puzzles.



Please continue to CLIP paper Box Tops for our next submission in the fall. And don't forget to keep scanning your receipts as well!

Important Dates to Remember:

Monday, March 2 - Deadline to turn in Strack's receipts

Friday, April 17 - Last day to submit Read to Succeed hours