Corunna Middle School Announcements

Thursday, April 25, 2024

School Hours: 7:45 a.m. - 2:35 p.m. Office Hours: 7:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Daily Introduction: Good morning, staff and students. Here at CMS we are true **CAVS** because we....

Choose KindnessAccept ResponsibilityValue SafetyShow Respect

Please stand and join me for the Pledge of Allegiance.

This Week

Tuesday, April 23 5th Grade Social Studies M-STEP Test

Tuesday, April 23 6th-8th Grade Spring Band Concert - 7:00 p.m. (CHS Gym)

Wednesday, April 24 5th Grade Science M-STEP Test Thursday, April 25 5th Grade Science M-STEP Test

Thursday, April 25 Non-Subscription Popcorn Money Collected (\$0.25 per bag)

Friday, April 26 5th Grade Science/Social Studies M-STEP Make-up

Saturday, April 27 OM Can Drive (124 N. Shiawassee Street from Noon until 6 p.m.)

Saturday, April 27 Student Council Arts, Crafts, and Vendor Show from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at CHS

Multiplication Madness

The Weenie Dogs won the competition yesterday The teams competing during lunch today will be the Mathletes vs the Cool Tigers .

Reminder on Student Behaviors

As a part of our CAVS expectations, we always encourage students to Choose Kindness! Mean and hurtful words too often are spoken by young children who might not know how best to express their feelings or navigate social situations. Please continue to remind your child of our high standards of kindness toward others and know that name-calling, racial slurs, and inappropriate teasing will not be tolerated. Such repeated behaviors will lead to appropriate discipline. Please call the school should you have any questions.

Spring M-STEP Testing

Each spring, all students in grades 4th-7th participate in the State Assessment known as M-STEP. All grade levels at the middle school complete the English Language Arts and Math assessments. 5th graders also take the Science and Social Studies assessments.

5th grade will be testing this week on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. Please make sure your child arrives at school on time and gets plenty of rest. All students will be taking the ELA assessment on April 30, May 1 and 2. Math testing will take place the following week on May 7, 8, and 9. Make-ups will be offered the week of May 13 for any student who is absent or needs additional days to finish.

Student Council Arts, Crafts, and Vendor Show

After a short hiatus, the CHS Student Council will again host the Annual Arts, Crafts, and Vendor Show on **Saturday, April 27** from 10am-3pm. Please mark your calendar to attend this <u>free community event</u>. The group is also seeking local vendors to participate in the event. See the <u>vendor application</u> for details.

Odyssey of the Mind Fundraisers

On **Saturday**, **April 27**, the Corunna Odyssey of the Mind teams will host a Pop Can Drive at Corunna Public School Central Office building at 124 N. Shiawassee Street from noon until 6 pm. Please support these teams as they work to become WORLD CHAMPIONS in Iowa at the May competition!

5th Grade Instrument Rental Information

On Monday, April 29, parents will have an opportunity to meet with Herter Music representatives to obtain an instrument for their child through a rent-to-own program. This meeting will take place at 6:00 p.m. in the CMS cafeteria. More information about renting an instrument is included in this attached letter.

Middle School Sports and Clubs for Students

Free Softball/Baseball Clinic

One of the high school softball coaches will be offering a free softball/baseball clinic for students in grades 4, 5, 6, and 7. The clinic will run May 14, 16, 21, and 23 from 2:40-4:00 p.m. at the practice area by CMS. To register, please email Coach Amy (amygolombisky@gmail.com). Please see the flier for more information.

Community Event Information

YMCA Glow Night

On Friday, April 26 from 7:00-9:00 p.m. the YMCA will be hosting a Glow Night for students in grades 6-8. The cost is \$10.00 per person. The evening will include Karaoke with a live DJ, games and more. Please see the flyer for more information. YMCA Glow Night

Corunna Youth Football

Football Fall is just around the corner, and it is registration time for interested K-8th grade students! See the flier for more details.

Corunna Summer Swim Lessons

Corunna Community Education will once again be offering summer swim lessons. There are three sessions:

Session 1: June 17-June 28 Session 2: July 8-July 19 Session 3: July 22-August 2

Please see the flier for more specific information and call 989-743-6338 to reserve your spot. Swim Lessons

Corunna Summer Open Swim

The Corunna Public Schools' pool will be made available for open swim again this summer. Open swim is available from June 17 - August 2 (pool is closed for maintenance from July 1-5) during the following times: Tuesdays and Thursdays - 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays - 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon

The cost is \$3.00 per person per visit or you can purchase a swim pass for 10 visits for \$25.00. Open Swim

Important Recurring Reminders

"NO PEANUTS PLEASE"

Our amazing student population will include more than one student with a <u>life threatening</u> peanut allergy. We are asking you to start thinking now about snacks and lunch items that you can send to school that do not include peanuts. Attached you will find a PDF with ideas. Our breakfast and lunch menu will be peanut free. Each room in the building will have specific protocols to follow and they may be different. **One way to help is to have your child brush their teeth and wash their hands AFTER they eat breakfast before coming to school.** No Peanuts Please

Peanut Free Snack Suggestion