Corunna Middle School Announcements

Monday, February 7, 2022

School Hours: 7:50 a.m. - 2:35 p.m. Office Hours: 7:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

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

<u>C</u>hoose Kindness <u>A</u>ccept Responsibility Value Safety

<u>V</u>alue Safety <u>S</u>how Respect

Please stand and join me for the Pledge of Allegiance.

<u>District-Wide Spirit Days (February 7-11)</u>

At the high school, students will be participating in Snowcoming Spirit Days in preparation of a special dance they will have in February. We would like everyone to join in the fun. Therefore, we will be participating in the same dress-up days throughout the whole district.

Monday, February 7 Pajama Day

Tuesday, February 8 Tourist Day (wear a shirt from a place you have visited)

Wednesday, February 9 White Out (wear as much white as possible)

Thursday, February 10 Twin Day (dress like another person)

Friday, February 11 Black and Gold Day

Please email any pictures to Mrs. Sanburn so she can post them on social media.

Spring Count Day

Spring count day is Wednesday, February 9. It is very important that your student attends school on that day. We have special attendance reports that need to be completed. If your child is absent due to illness or an appointment, it would be very helpful if a note from the doctor could be sent to the school so the absence can be documented. Thank you in advance for your help.

Mother Son Dance

Corunna Public Schools will be hosting a Mother-Son Dance on March 1, 2022, from 6-7:30 p.m. The theme will be "Date Knight with a Queen". Tickets will be on sale now until February 24th. **This is a pre-registration only event**. No late registrations will be accepted. The cost is \$15.00 per couple and \$5.00 for each additional son. Flyers are available in the office.

Vision Screening (5th and 7th grades)

With the snow days, we were unable to complete all of our vision screening with our 5th and 7th graders. The Shiawassee County Health Department will be back to finish this week, hopefully on Monday and Wednesday.

Bowling for Student with All A's

The bowling trip for the 5th, 6th, and 7th graders who earned A's (A and A-) during the 2nd marking period has been rescheduled for Tuesday, February 8.

Patriot's Pen Pizza Party

The pizza party for all of our 6th and 7th grade students who wrote an essay for the Patriot's Pen essay contest has been rescheduled for Wednesday, February 9 during WIN time (2:01-2:35 p.m.).

Activity Night - 4th/5th Graders

The originally scheduled activity night for Friday, February 4 will be rescheduled for Friday, February 18. 4th graders will do activities in the gym and cafeteria and receive a free piece of pizza. The Spirit Store will be open if students would like to bring extra money for an extra piece of pizza, candy, or pop. 5th graders will go

swimming in the pool - no food will be allowed during this event and they will not need any extra money for any Spirit Store items. **Activity Nights are from 2:45-4:15 p.m.** All students who participate will need someone to pick them up at the school at 4:15 p.m.

Save a Heart Campaign

Nearly 1 in 110 babies are born with congenital heart disease, making it the No. 1 birth defect in the country. Its diagnosis requires lifelong care. We have students affected by this disease here in our own Cavalier family. To show our support to these Heart Warriors, we will be wearing red on Monday, February 14 and will be accepting donations that will be given to the Congenital Heart Center at the University of Michigan Health C.S. Mott Children's Hospital to help fund important research, drive development of new technologies and therapies, and provide social work and support programs for families. If you would like to learn more, please click on the link to view the <u>Save a Heart Campaign Flyer</u>.

Snacks

We will not be giving out snacks from the office anymore. If you would like to have a snack, you will need to bring one from home. We will have a few snacks available if you bring something in with peanuts and need to exchange for something that doesn't contain peanuts.

Perception Surveys

Each year, we ask for input from staff, parents, and students about how things are going here at CMS and ask for suggestions on things we might try to improve. Between now and February 11, a teacher (most likely WIN time) will give you time to take the survey that is posted in Mrs. Dettman's Google Classroom.

Curwood Saga Writing Contest

The Curwood Saga Writing Contest is an annual event open to 4th-12th grade students. Stories should be written in the style of James Oliver Curwood who wrote about nature and man's connection to the wilderness. There are three divisions with different rules about the length requirement of the writing piece. The deadline to submit entries is March 1, 2022. Please click on the link to find more information about the contest.

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Shiawassee County Farm Bureau Essay Contest (2nd-5th Grade)

In recognition of National Agriculture Week (March 20-26), Shiawassee County Farm Bureau Promotion and Education Committee is sponsoring their annual essay contest for students in 2nd-5th grade. Entries should be 350 words or less and must be submitted by March 3. This year's theme is *Where Does Your Food Come From*? Please click on the link to find more information about the contest.

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Popcorn Money - We will be collecting popcorn money on Thursday this week.

Candy Cart

4th and 5th grade students will be able to purchase one candy or drink item from the Spirit Store this Friday. You can only get something for \$1.00 or less.

"NO PEANUTS PLEASE"

Our amazing student population includes more than one student with a <u>life-threatening</u> peanut allergy. **We are asking you to make sure you are only bringing snacks and lunch items that do not include peanuts.** Thank you for helping keep everyone safe.

Birthdays

Lunch Choices

<u>Daily Closing:</u> Those are all of the announcements. Make it a great day, or not, as always the choice is yours!