

Grant Elementary School

Improve Student Achievement!

Message from Mrs. Hoynes & Mr. Samber

It's hard to believe next week is May already! Where has this year gone?! This week we enjoyed watching the talents of many of our students. They all did a great job at the Talent Show! We are nearing the end of assessment season. We appreciate your support with ensuring your children are in school and well-rested. We have some fun upcoming events to look forward to including: field trips in grades 2, 3, and 5, Captain's Reading Night, field day, school picnic and 5th grade day. We will also be recognizing our teachers throughout the week of May 7th. Teacher Appreciation Day is Tuesday, May 8th. Please be sure to view the attachments on this blast as they have some information about the school picnic and makerspace donations for next year. This is the time of year that we begin planning for the 2018-19 school year. Please use this link to share feedback that will help in the planning process. https://goo.gl/forms/JZizuaVpajIbv65J3. Also, don't forget to check out this week's edition of the Bulldog Broadcast. Have a warm and sunny weekend! https://youtu.be/3Y8MPRv8vds

April 27, 2018

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION **





ISSUE 2 - LEVY RENEWAL PLEASE VOTE

Issue 2 is the renewal of an emergency operating levy that was originally passed in 2003. Passage of Issue 2 will NOT increase taxes.

In order for the district to continue to receive approximately 8% of its budget, this levy must be renewed every 5 years. The funds from this levy are used for instructional purposes and its failure would impact classroom instruction, course offerings and daily operations of the district. If the levy were to pass, the revenue received by the district will remain constant, educational programming will continue at its current level and taxpayers will NOT see an increase in their taxes.

Issue 2 funds are used only for daily operations and are not used for construction of our new school buildings.

Levies are for learning; bonds are for buildings. Please remember to vote on May 8th.

NEW ADDRESS!

Grant Elementary's address has officially changed! Our new address is:

2838 Lost Nation Road Willoughby, OH 44094

Nothing else has changed - just our address! So that we may be good stewards of our resources, you may continue to see some preprinted materials with the Hurricane Drive address until these supplies are depleted.

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MAKERSPACE UPDATE

Thanks to many generous contributions, it has been a successful year with the Grant Makerspace. Please review the Makerspace update attached to this email blast for complete information about our success and ways to keep the Makerspace in operation for the 2018-19 school year.

Thank you Grant Families for your continued support!

MAY EVENTS

May 4 - Captains Game for Reading Program

May 6 - Nurses Day

May 7 - WMS Presentation to 5th Grade Class, 2:15

May 7–11 - Teacher Appreciation Week

May 8 - Election Day **Please Remember to Vote**

May 10 - PTO Meeting, 6PM, Library

May 11 - Final Box Tops Collection

May 14 - Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon, 11:30-1:30

May 15 - 5th Grade to Rock Hall

May 16 - Field Day (Rain Date is May 17)

May 18 - School Picnic

May 21 - 5th Grade Day

May 22 - Merit Roll All Year Awards, 8AM

May 23 - Last Day of School

Honor Roll All Year Awards, 8AM Awards Assemblies 5th Grade Graduation, 1:15 Clap Out, 2:15



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GRANT ELEMENTARY PTO

We regret to inform our Grant Families that Parents Night Out has been cancelled due to a scheduling conflict. Parents that have already paid will receive a full refund.

If there are any questions or concerns, please contact Julie Werner, at jdhwerner95@gmail.com

Thank you to all of the families and volunteers for the Spring Carnival.

It was a HUGE success!

For more information on events and volunteer opportunities, visit us at grantpto121@wixsite.com/grantpto

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PTO BOARD MEMBERS

Julie Werner, President
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TOP DOGS



Peyton Bizjak
Carter Blood
Caitlin Boruszkowski
Abby Bowers
Amariana Burks
Brody Chrosniak
Delilah Delgado
Jalin Dix

Lexy Fox
Kassidy Fridley
Dylan Fuerst
Al'Leciah George
Karleigh Harala
Josh Jensen
Hailey Joy

Tyler Kurzinger Audrey LaGrew Ethan Lewis Cale Malek Ke'Saun McCreary Riley Pettit Mckenzi Preda Rowan Ruland Ayden Tackett Christian Taylor Troy Thornton Scarlett Troglin Owen Willis Becca Wooke Mateo Zerbian



PBIS "RESPECT" PIZZA PARTY WINNERS



Coletta Baeslach-Arian
Za'Riyah Bates
Brandon Berganza
Jill Chesnes
Shayla Clark
Railee Deskins
Braedon Dickenson
Crystal Fenton

Josip Grgincic Mason Gumto Adelyne Hilliard Chloe Hollar Cameron Knapp Tyler Kurzinger Emmalee LaCroix

Mason Lane
Lillian Lombardo
Cale Malek
Nicholas Massey
Addison McKito
Claire Nemergut
Michaela Nocera
Maria Osagie-Erese

Olivia Pranjeta Noah Scanlon Mikaela Sturghill Ayden Tackett Jason Tripp Scarlett Troglin Dominick VanGorder

REMAINING SPRING AIR ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE

3rd Grade	April 30 Math Part 1	May 1 Math Part 2
5th Grade	May 2 Science Part 1	May 3 Science Part 2

Please avoid scheduling vacation and appointments during your child's testing dates.

Want to Help Our School Earn Rewards for Our Students?

Please participate in the programs listed below to help earn points and rewards for our school!



Apples for the Students Program

- 1. Go to https://www.gianteagle.com/AFTS to sign up!
- 2. Sign in or create an account.
- 3. Visit the My School Programs page and enter school code: 2307.
- 4. Every time you shop at Giant Eagle with your rewards card, you earn points and rewards for our school!



Heinen's Teaming up for Education

- 1. Go to https://www.heinens.com/home/tasteful-rewards/teaming-up-for-education/to-sign-up-for-education/
- 2. Select our school during the on-line registration process.
- 3. Every time you shop at Heinen's with your rewards card, you earn points and rewards for our school!

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- 1. Amazon donates 0.5% of the price of your eligible purchases to Grant Elementary Parent Teacher Organization when you shop at https://smile.amazon.com
- 2. Sign in to your Amazon account.
- 3. Type Grant Elementary Parent Organization into the charitable organization box.
- 4. Select our school.
- 5. Shop at AmazonSmile to earn donations for our school!

SchoolStore.com

- 1. SchoolStore.com is an online shopping mall where over 400 nationally-known merchants have agreed to give a percentage of sales to K-12 schools. Companies like Walmart, Sears, Target, Disney Store, Family Book Store and Barnes & Noble participate.
- 2. Go to https://www.schoolstore.com
- 3. Choose our school.
- 4. Shop at your favorite online stores through schoolstore.com
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