A WINDOW INTO WINTERSET

NOVEMBER 2022 NEWSLETTER

SAVE THE DATE

Nov 2 - SCHOOL PICTURES ***

Nov 3-4 - SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR PREVIEW - Library

Nov 7-11 - SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR - During School Hours &

3:45-7 pm on 11/10 ONLY

Nov 7 - STUDENT OF THE MONTH RECOGNITION - Lunchroom

Nov 8 - NO SCHOOL - Professional Development

Nov 10 - PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCE - 3:45-7 pm ***

Nov 10 - COOKIE DOUGH/FUNDRAISER ITEMS DELIVERED

- 1:45 -2:15 pm. Parent pick-up of items will begin at 3:45 pm

Nov 17 - PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCE - 3:45-7 pm ***

Nov 15 - CAMERA CLUB - after school

Nov 21-25 - NO SCHOOL - Thanksgiving/Wellness Week

Dec 5 - P.T.A. - 6:00 p.m.

Dec 12 - WINTER CONCERT - 6:30 p m - Whetstone High School ***

***MORE INFORMATION TO COME



HOW TO PREPARE FOR PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES:

Parent-Teacher Conferences

School conferences will be on Nov 10th and 17th from 3:45-

7:00pm. You only need to attend one of these days. You will

receive information from your child's teacher with details on scheduling a time. If you have not received this, please contact your child's teacher.

The goal of these conferences is to let you know how your child is doing at school, what they are learning and the plan for teaching them this year. It's also a time for you to give feedback and ask questions of the teacher.

How to Prepare Before Conference

- Look over schoolwork
- Talk with your child about any questions/concerns they may have
- · Make a list of questions

At the Conference

- · Be on time and prepared
- Ask the most important question first
- · Give teachers positive feedback- what is working
- · Give your child's teacher any change in your contact information

Possible Questions to Ask

(PICK THE TOP 3)

- How will my student be evaluated?
- What are my child's strongest and weakest subjects?
- What are some examples my child's strengths and weaknesses?
- Does my child turn homework in on time?
- What can I do at home to help support my child's academic progress?
- · What types of tests & evaluations will my child have to take this year?
- · How are my child's test-taking skills?
- Is my child participating in class discussions and activities?
- · How are my child's social skills at school?
- Does my child seem engaged?
- Have you noticed any unusual behaviors?
- · Has my child missed any classes other than excused absences?
- Do you think my child is reaching his or her potential?

After the Conference

- Update your child
- Make a plan with your child
- Follow up with teacher and/or other support staff
- Continue to stay in touch with the teacher/support staff



SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

PREVIEW - Nov 3-4 - During School Hours

SALE - Nov 7-11 - During School Hours

Nov 10th - You may purchase books during the Parent/Teacher

Conference (from 3:45-7pm)

STUDENT OF THE MONTH

October 2022

Mrs Darst - Rm 5 - EMMANUEL MARTIN

Mrs Hammer - Rm 14 - JOSEPHINE BEARD

Ms Eichman - Rm 6 - AAYUSHI NEUPANE

Mrs Gresock - Rm 7 - JULIA LANDSBERG & HAREA HASANI

Mrs Concitis - Rm 18 - SHA-JONA HENDERSON

Mrs Homan - Rm 15 - LOGAN WHERRY & MILO LANDSBERG

Mrs Kennedy - Rm 19 - FATIMA TITOUAH & HASHEM ZAID

ALKILANI

Mrs Lucas - Rm 17 - LAYNE HAEFELE & DAVID DEWITT

Me, Dietry - Rm 16 - JASSEN ANYIDOHO & LILIAN COUNCELLER

Mrs Amos - Rm 8 - IBRAHIIM ABDULLAHI & JOSEPH WINER

Mrs Rammel - Rm 9 - MADDOX CRUZE

Mrs Burke - Rm 3 - AMARI BROWN

Mr Abernathy - Rm 2 - RANAH SEFIANI & NOELLE MANKO

Mrs Hulteen - Rm 11 - AIDEN WORKMAN

Mr Mitchell - Rm 12 - KHALED ZAID ALKILANI & DIONA MEHMETI

Ms Lewis - Rm 10 - DIART MEHMETI & MARIAH LUSTER



MR FISHER'S P.E. CLASS OF THE MONTH

The Gym Classes this year are doing very well. We have had a high **FITTness** base so far. We have done 3 weeks of **FITT** testing and the scores this year have been the **highest** we have had. We are starting soccer and soccer skills this month.

Leading into basketball and basketball skills.

These are winners each month after the class scores are totaled each month.

(Effort, Directions, Enter and Exit and Attitude).

MRS HOMAN - Rm 15 - 1st Grade

MR MITCHELL - Rm 12 - 4th /5th Grade

MRS DARST'S M.D. CLASS GARDEN





Room 5 Outside Gardeners



Room 5 Outside Gardeners



Room 5 Inside Gardners

MAGIC SHOW



Magic Show



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VOCABULARY PARADE



Vocabulary Parade



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Rosie at our Vocabulary
Parade



Vocabulary Parade

TIPS, TOOLS AND STRATEGIES

ONE ON ONE COVERSATION

Talking with your child is an an important step in keeping the lines of communication open. Here is a fun and easy activity that can be used in your family.



- · Ask them how did their day go.
- Ask what was one or two things that they learned in school. "I don't know" is not acceptable.
- Ask what was their favorite time, apart from recess & lunch
- Ask what was their least favorite activity & how can it be made better

THEN

- Let them know how your day went
- Let them know what you learned.
- · Let them know what was your favorite time, apart from lunch & break time
- Let them know what was your least favorite activity & how can it be made better.



PARENT PORTAL

Please update your **contact information** via the parent portal. It is vital that we have the **MOST UP TO DATE phone**, text or email numbers should we need to contact you. If you need assistance, please contact your family ambassador, **Desma Bennett** at (614) 365-5510 or by email at dbennett1@columbus.k12.oh.us.

CHECK AND CONNECT CALLS

Starting Oct 14th, we will begin making Check & Connect phone calls to our families. This is a way for us to hear what you are experiencing in real-time and provide you with up-to-date information about social, health, and government services. It is also a way to remind you of upcoming district and building events.



Your family ambassador, **Desma Bennett**, will be contacting you, between **9:00am-3:30pm** from Winterset's number - **(614) 365-5510.** If you have questions, she can be contacted at the school or by email at **dbennett1@columbus.k12.oh.us**.

WINTERSET EXPECTATIONS - 3Rs
BE RESPONSIBLE - BE RESPECTFUL - BE READY TO LEARN



ABOUT WINTERSET ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

- Family Ambassador is Desma Bennett. You can contact her at dbennett1@columbus.k12.oh.us
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