



Bibich Elementary

FEBRUARY 2, 2018

Random Acts of Kindness

This week's Random Acts of Kindness winners are: Gisselle Castro, Riley Jackson, Gracie Martus, Lilah Rieger, and Keira Williams. Great job everyone!!



Important Dates

We have some important testing dates coming up in the spring where it will be crucial to have all students in attendance. If possible, please avoid scheduling vacations, doctor/dentist appointments, etc. during the testing windows:

February 27—March 2 — ISTEP Part 1, Grades 3—4

March 12—14 — IREAD 3, Grade 3

April 17—25 — ISTEP Part 2, Grades 3—4

Read to Succeed

Don't forget to add up those minutes on your Read to Succeed form to earn a FREE ticket to Six Flags. Forms are due Thursday, March 1.



Read a Thon

The Lake County Public Library foundation is encouraging your child to read & collect pledges to benefit the Public Library & the Bibich Library. A form went home last week with your child. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Hansen at (219) 322-1185 or email her at khansen@lcscmail.com.

Jump Rope for Heart

Dear Parents,

Our Jump Rope for Heart event is approaching quickly. February 13th is our Jump Rope for Heart Event. Each grade level will be in the gym together and participating in activities to show that we want to keep our hearts healthy and help others do the same. In order for this event to be successful I am in need of volunteers to help with stations. Please let me know if you are available for either of these times listed:

8:30-11:20 a.m.: All Kindergarten, 3rd and 4th Grades

12:10-2:00 p.m.: 1st and 2nd Grades

If you are able to help please return the bottom portion to school with your child by **February 9th**. A note will go home confirming your volunteer time following this date.

Please remember you must have a criminal history report filed with our office to volunteer. Please see the front office to file one.

Thank you in advance,

Miss. G. Noel

Bibich Physical Education Teacher

I would like to volunteer my time for the Jump Rope for Heart event!!

Name: _____ Phone #: _____
Child's Name _____ Teacher: _____

Please check the time you are able to volunteer:

_____ 8:30-11:30 All Kindergarten; 3rd and 4th Grades

_____ 12:10-2:15 1st and 2nd Grades

(Please return to Miss Noel—P.E.)



Kindergarten Enrollment

Enrollment takes place on Wednesday and Thursday, March 7 and 8 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, 2018**, 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.

Parents of incoming kindergarten students are invited to attend a pre-enrollment informational meeting on Wednesday, February 21 at the Lake Central Freshmen Center LGI room at 6 p.m. Please enter at Door E. The purpose of this meeting is to highlight various aspects of the upcoming enrollment day and Kindergarten Programs.

Feb. 6	1st Grade—Soil & Water
Feb. 13	Jump Rope for Heart
Feb. 14	Valentine Parties @ 1:30pm
Feb. 19	No School—President's Day
Feb.27-Mar.2	Window for ISTEP Part 1
Mar. 7	2nd Grade Soil & Water
Mar.12-14	Grade 3 IREAD testing
Mar. 13	End of 3rd grading period
Mar. 19-23	Dollar for Scholars Penny Wars
Mar. 22	2nd Grade—Taltree
Mar. 23	2nd Grade—Taltree
Mar. 26-30	No School—Spring Break
Apr. 2	No School—Easter Break
Apr. 4	Student Spotlight Night
Apr. 9	4th Grade—Soil & Water
Apr. 10	1st Grade Field Trip—Theatre at the Center
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Apr. 11	Grandparents'/Special Persons' Night
Apr. 13	Spring Pictures
Apr. 17-25	Window for ISTEP Part 2
Apr. 25	1st Grade—Soil & Water
May 1	4th Grade—Soil & Water



Student Spotlight Night

Families are invited to visit Bibich Elementary School on April 4, 2018 from 5:45—7:00 pm for an evening spotlighting students' work. You will be able to check out some cool science projects in the gym, read a book or two authored by Bibich students in the cafeteria, and be amazed by our young artists' work throughout the hallways. The Scholastic Book Fair will also be available in the library if you wish to purchase a book. Detailed information will follow.

PTO News

Family Dance

We would like to thank everyone for coming out to our family dance. We hope you all enjoyed yourselves. Special thanks to Rebecca Smotrilla, Kelly Read, Jynx Steele, and all of the faculty and parent volunteers as well as the NJHS students.



Book Fair

Special thanks to Jynx Steele for running our Book Fair. We would also like to once again thank all of the faculty and parents for volunteering to help out with this event.

Texas Roadhouse Dinner Night

Thank you Bibich families for joining us for our dinner night at Texas Roadhouse this past Monday.

