

# Thursday, November 4th

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## FRIDAY DRESS THEME

**November** is National Diabetes Month, a time when communities across the country team up to bring attention to diabetes. This year's focus is on prediabetes and preventing diabetes.

In honor of this month, our theme tomorrow is "Wear Blue." Wear all blue, some blue, any blue will do!!

## SNAP CRACKLE CLARK FOOD DRIVE

Ready to go "cuckoo for Clark"? NJHS and Student Council are sponsoring a G-G-G-R-R-EAT Cereal Drive to benefit local food pantries. Purchase boxes of cereal and turn them into your Advisory class between now and next Friday, November 12th. Be the Lucky Charms for local families that need our help. The grade level with the most donations will win a special treat.

## LIBRARY NEWS

The Scholastic Book Fair has reached new heights here at Clark Middle School -- setting a new record for sales! CMS Library will receive a percentage of sales from Scholastic to purchase new books for the Library. Current CMS students, as well as future students, will benefit from this for years to come. Thank you for your support of the CMS Library! Also, a huge thank you to the volunteer parents who took time out of their week to help at the Fair -- this could not have been possible with them! Also a thank you to Welch's Meat Market in St. John who supported our school by donating bags for the shoppers.

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## COMING UP . . .

### CHESS CLUB

Attention Chess Club Members: The next Chess Club meeting will take place next Wednesday, November 10<sup>th</sup> in room 607 from 8:00 until 8:30 a.m.

### PROJECT LIT

Cuck your email for a survey to fill out for our upcoming cooking class next Wednesday at 8:00 a.m.. Project Lit, please check your email.

### LC WINTERGUARD/COLORGUARD

Are you a current 7th or 8th grader who is interested in having fun, dancing, spinning equipment, and making new friends? If so, Winterguard might be for you! Come join us for our "try-it" night on Monday, November 22nd and Monday, November 29th in the

high school band room! Please email [guard@lcscmail.com](mailto:guard@lcscmail.com) if you are interested. Check out the flyers in the hallway to fill out an interest form! Hope to see you there!

# PARENT INFORMATION:

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**NEXT EARLY RELEASE DATE: TUESDAY, NOV. 9TH  
DISMISSAL AT 12:40 P.M.**

**PARENT VOLUNTEER REQUIREMENTS** If you would like to be a parent volunteer at Clark, please make sure you have a negative COVID test within 36 hours of your school visit and a background check must be completed. Background check forms are available in the office. Please check with the front office if you have any questions regarding the requirements. We truly appreciate your help and cooperation.

## APPLES FOR THE STUDENTS

Strack & Van Til will be helping local schools by providing Free Education Equipment during this school year. It's easy to participate. Collect your receipts from Strack's and submit them to Clark. Ask family and friends to save their receipts as well so that Clark can maximize the points that they earn. Every dollar spent earns a point towards earning educational equipment. Receipts need to be dated from September 1, 2021 through March 31, 2022. Receipts are due by April 12, 2022. There is a box on the counter in the front office.

## CLARK YEARBOOK 2022

The Clark Middle School Yearbook is on sale now! Don't miss the opportunity to give your child a keepsake for years to come. To order a yearbook, please visit <https://www.yearbookordercenter.com/index.cfm/job/12888>.

Yearbook sale dates:

Early Bird Sale 8/13/2021-10/31/2021	\$25
End of Semester Sale 11/01/2021-12/17/2021	\$30
Last Chance to Preorder 12/18 - Sold Out	\$35

A flyer is available on the Clark website and also in the front office.

**Parents, please do not send your children to school if they are exhibiting any COVID-19 symptoms. According to the CDC, COVID-19 symptoms are: fever or chills, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing,**

**fatigue, muscle or body aches, headache, new loss of taste or smell, and/or congestion.**