

Edgerton Christian Elementary School November 8, 2019 Newsletter



With thanks to God for our many blessings, there will be an
ECES Thanksgiving Food Drive for
Atlas for Life and the *Edgerton Food Shelf*.

Please stop by school with your donations next week, on Nov 13 & 14, or send them to school with your child on those two days.

A Food Drive table will be set up in the main entry for your convenience.

Grades K-5th students are asked to bring food items to school for the **Food Shelf**. They would especially appreciate vegetable soup/crackers, ketchup, pancake mix/syrup, cereal, pork & beans, brown beans, mashed potatoes (box), canned potatoes, canned fruit/vegetables and tuna.

* **Jr. High** students are asked to bring requested items to school for **Atlas For Life**. Their wish list includes napkins, toilet paper, paper plates, Kleenex, paper towels, bottled water and Diet Coke.

We ask that donations arrive at ECES on Nov 13th & 14th.

All donations are greatly appreciated – thank you!

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The ECES BASKETBALL SEASON is here! Practices start Tuesday, November 12th. Check out the practice and game dates on the ECES calendar at www.edgertonchristianschool.org. Choose Basketball as the category. The schedule is subject to change and we will try to update it timely.

Watch for updated **SCRIP information in next week's Newsletter!
Good things are going on in the ECES **SCRIP** program!
Stop by the office for Cash & Carry **SCRIP** and to sign up!**



November is Screen-Free Family-Fun Month!!

Now that it's November, it's time to start trading in your digital entertainment (eg. phones, tvs, ipads, etc.) for some screen-free family fun during Screen-Free Family-Fun Month here at ECES and SWC! Note and track your progress on your family's flyer/calendar that was sent home last week. Need some motivation and ideas to do this? Watch the Ted Talk on savethekids.us and visit screenfree.org. You'll be glad

you did! **Tally your family's points and turn the sheet in to the ECES office by Friday, December 6.** The more points you earn the more chances you have to win prizes!

FROM THE PARENTS' CLUB: Thank you to all who participated in the Great Plains Cookie Dough Fundraiser! Your efforts helped raise **\$12,356.60 for the Parents' Club**. Recently, the Parents' Club helped teachers and staff purchase requested materials to meet various classroom and work-related needs. Other recent Parents' Club purchases for the school include uniforms for girls volleyball & basketball teams, rewards for the reading program, ball cages for outside recess, class and staff t-shirts, and new staff shirts. These are examples of how the Parents' Club funds contribute to ECES! **Your support is a blessing to teachers, staff, and students!**

Hot Lunch Menu Nov 11-15:

- Monday – Beef fajita, refried beans, corn, applesauce
- Tuesday – Pancakes, sausage, spinach salad, blueberry sauce, juice, oranges
- Wednesday – Chili, rolls, fresh veggies, fruit cups
- Thursday – Subs, baked beans, fresh veggies, peaches
- Friday – Chicken patty, mashed potatoes, steamed broccoli, fresh fruit

NOVEMBER

- 11 Safety Patrol: Nilson VH, Cash D
Veteran's Day program at SWC, 5th-8th grade
First day of Cheer Practice for 7th/8th girls at SWC music room 3:30-5:30
- 12 Basketball practices begin – see school website calendar
- 15 Jazz Band (7:30) Breakfast: Olivia Muyskens, Hallie Bork, Jocelyn Barron
- 18 Safety Patrol: Hannah C, Kaitlyn S
- 22 Jazz Band (7:30) Breakfast: Megan Rylaarsdam, Victoria Prins,
Austyn Pap
SWC Carry The Light Celebration (Donation Sale)
Meal: 4:45-6:30pm Auction: 6:45pm
- 25 Safety Patrol: Savannah S, Coco S
- 27 3rd Grade Chapel/Hope Haven Christmas Giving Kick-Off 8:30am
EARLY DISMISSAL 12:00
- 28/29 NO SCHOOL

DECEMBER

- 2 Safety Patrol: Jayden B, Addison VH
K-8 Christmas Program 7:00
- 3 7/8 Girls @ HBC (Away) 4:15
7/8 Boys vs. HBC (Home) 4:15
- 5 7/8 Girls vs. Pipestone (Home) 4:00 (No boys practice)
- 6 Jazz Band (7:30) Breakfast: Tyson & Logan Bleyenbergh, Caden Sas
- 9 Safety Patrol: Haylie T, Carson R
- 10 7/8 Boys vs. Pipestone (Home) 4:00 (No girls practice)
- 13 Jazz Band (7:30) Breakfast: Gavin Rieck, Grant & Ava Busker
- 14 Adrian Basketball Tournament
- 16 Safety Patrol: Megan R, Hannah M
- 17 7/8 Girls @ Fulda (Away) Time & Location TBD
7/8 Boys vs. Fulda (Home) Time & Location TBD
Snow Date for Christmas Program
- 19 7/8 Girls @ Luverne (Away) 4:30
7/8 Boys vs. Luverne (Home) 4:30
- 20 Jazz Band (7:30) Breakfast: Lizzy Eisma, Kaia Jasper, Selah Kuipers
Early Dismissal 12:00
- 23-31 NO SCHOOL

JANUARY

- 1-3 NO SCHOOL
- 6 School Resumes
- 7 7/8 Girls @ Edgerton (Away) 3:45
7/8 Boys vs. Edgerton (Home) 3:45
- 10 Jazz Band (7:30) Breakfast: Haylie Tripp, Silas Van Essen, Taylor & Jack Post
End of 2nd quarter
- 11 7/8 Girls & Boys @ Pipestone (Away) 9:00 7th grade first, followed by 8th grade
- 13 Safety Patrol: Selah K, Ava B
- 16 7/8 Girls vs. Fulda (Home) Time & Location TBD
7/8 Boys @ Fulda (Away) Time & Location TBD
- 17 Jazz Band (7:30) Breakfast: Myah Vander Maten, Hannah Caspersen,
Kade Fey
EARLY DISMISSAL 12:00
- 20 Safety Patrol: Savannah S, Coco S
4th/5th Band Concert 7:00
- 21 7/8 Girls vs. HBC (Home) 4:15
7/8 Boys @ HBC (Away) 4:15
- 23 7/8 Girls vs. Luverne (Home) 4:30
7/8 Boys @ Luverne (Away) 4:30
- 24 Jazz Band (7:30) Breakfast: Jovienne Dilly, Abby Moosey, Kylie VanderLugt
- 27 Safety Patrol: Madyson F, Avery F
- 30 7/8 Girls vs. Edgerton (Home) 3:45
7/8 Boys @ Edgerton (Away) 3:45
- 31 Jazz Band (7:30) Breakfast: Madyson Fey, Avery Fey, Reagan Walhof

FEBRUARY

- 3 Safety Patrol: Cameron F, Nilson VH
- 4 RRC Basketball Tournament 8th only
- 6 Jazz Band (7:30) Breakfast: Joshua Van Dam, Aiden Schaap,