

Informagram

October, 2015

Message from the Superintendent

As our school year is now underway, I want to take this opportunity to remind both parents and students of the guidelines for bus transportation. Most of our Crestview buses are operating at, or near capacity. Therefore we cannot accommodate temporary changes to routes without assuming the possibility that we would be overloading our buses and we would be in violation of Ohio law. In addition, we are asking the cooperation of parents to assure that bus stops are consistent and not changed frequently. Parents/Guardians and childcare providers must be aware that the safety of students can be compromised when bus routes and stops are constantly changed. Be assured that each stop on each route has been checked by the transportation department and the bus drivers to assure that students are picked up and dropped off in a safety zone. Therefore, the Crestview Transportation Department will assume that students who are eligible to receive transportation will be picked up and dropped off at **their place of residence or their current designated pick-up/drop-off location.**



Parents/Guardians may request an alternate bus stop on a **permanent basis**, provided the following conditions are met:

- The alternate location is requested for five days per week for the entire school year.
- The request does not involve making significant alterations to or the re-routing of existing bus routes.
- The request is received in writing on the appropriate form (Bus Request Form) at least one week prior to the effective date of the location change.
- All of the necessary information on the form is completed. Forms may be obtained from the school office, from the bus garage, or on the Crestview Local Website (Forms Section).

Parents/Guardians may request an alternate pick-up or drop-off on a **temporary basis (one day)** if the following conditions are met:

- The request is for one day only and is made as a result of an emergency or urgent extenuating circumstance when the parent/guardian or childcare provider is absent and alternative arrangements must be made for the safety and welfare of the child. ***Transporting students to recreational activities such as parties and friends houses does not constitute an emergency or an urgent situation.***
- There is space available for the child to ride the bus.
- The request is received within 24 hours of the effective date.
- All of the information is provided in writing to the school office.

Parents wishing to transport their child by private **vehicle on a temporary basis** may still make arrangements to do so by providing a note in writing with all of the appropriate information to the building principal. Phone calls to the school with transportation changes will not be accepted.

These policies and guidelines are necessary to provide for the safety and welfare of all of our students who are transported by bus. Thank you for your cooperation!

John Dilling, Superintendent

High School News



VETERANS DAY BREAKFAST & ASSEMBLY

Crestview High School and Middle School will be honoring local veterans with a continental style breakfast and assembly on Wednesday November 11, 2015. Breakfast will be served at 8:00 a.m. in the high school cafeteria followed by an assembly in the Performing Arts Center to honor those who have served in the armed services. Any veteran who would like to attend can make reservations by calling the high school or middle school offices at (330) 482-4744 or (330) 482-4648 by November 6, 2015. Crestview High School and Middle School students are encouraged to invite a veteran and attend breakfast with their guest.

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OHIO GRADUATION TEST

Ohio Graduation Tests will be administered to Juniors and Seniors still needing to pass a test section. **October 26-October 30, 2015** will be the test dates. Please offer encouragement to your student (eating breakfast and getting plenty of rest) as they prepare for the test.

ACT

Test Date	Registration Postmark Deadline
December 12, 2015	November 6, 2015

Students-Register early for this test.

Reminder: Students check Mr. Miller's Guidance web site often for updates regarding scholarship opportunities and college visits.

CHRISTMAS AT CRESTVIEW CRAFT SHOW

Come and join the fun at Crestview High School and Middle School for our Christmas at Crestview.

November 14, 2015 from 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.



The highlight of the day will be a craft show in the Middle School gym, food in the Middle School cafeteria, and entertainment by Crestview student musicians. If you would like to participate in the craft show spaces are available for \$25.00 - provide your own table, up to 8 ft. or \$30.00 with table provided at the school. Please contact Sarah Valingo at (330) 482-4744. Activities will happen throughout the day. Please mark your calendar and join in the fun!!

REPORT CARDS

The first nine weeks grading period will end Friday, October 23, 2015 with report cards distributed Friday, October 30, 2015. It is important that all student fees have been paid to the office, emergency medical forms returned to the office and lunch charges paid to the cafeteria in order for students to receive their report cards.

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

Tuesday, November 24, 2015 from 3:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Please plan to attend.
(Staff will be at dinner from 5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.)

FALL SPORTS AWARDS/MEET THE TEAMS

The Fall Sports Awards for **volleyball, soccer, golf and cheerleading** will be held **Thursday November 12, 2015 at 6:30 p.m.** in the Performing Arts Center.

All athletes, statisticians, managers and their families are invited to attend.

Football awards will be held during their banquet at a date to be announced.

Winter Sports Meet the Teams will be held **November 17, 2015** at 6:00 p.m. in the HS gym.

FALL HOMECOMING COURT 2015



2015 QUEEN

Freshman Attendant:
Sophomore Attendant:
Junior Attendant:
Senior Court Attendants:

Taylor Coblentz

Skyler Mattern
Abigail Whaley
Kaitlin Dewell
Morgan Cox
Sierra Rance

Congratulations STUDENTS OF THE MONTH !!

Morgan Cox– Morgan has a positive attitude that is reflected in her hard work in challenging academic classes and her cooperation with fellow students.

Andy Gorby– Andy exhibits a work ethic that sets him apart as a role model for others. He is conscientious with his academics and is willing to assist others.

EVENTS

- NHS Blood Drive– October 21, 2015
8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.– CHS gymnasium
- ASVAB test for juniors November 9, 2015 during school hours

Middle School News

WE ARE CRESTVIEW MIDDLE SCHOOL!

Dedicated to educating and motivating all students to become life-long learners and responsible citizens.



FUNDRAISER THANKS

We would like to thank all of the community members who supported CMS fall fundraiser and the PTO Yankee Candle fundraiser. The funds raised will continue to help support the many positive programs we have at our school. Items from the CMS Fundraiser will be delivered on November 16 from 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM.

END OF THE FIRST NINE WEEKS REPORT CARDS

PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES

The first grading period ends on Friday, October 23, 2015. Report cards will be given to the students on October 30th. Please make sure that all fees have been paid to the office and any lunch charges have also been paid to the cafeteria.



Parent - Teacher Conferences are scheduled for November 24th from 3:00 PM – 9:00 PM. We will once again follow the open-forum format where specific times are not scheduled and

parents can come in to meet with the teachers.

PICTURE RE-TAKE DAY

We have scheduled picture re-takes for Friday, October 21st at 7:45 AM for any student whose pictures were not acceptable or forgot to bring in their money. Simply bring back your complete set of original pictures on the day of re-takes and we will take your new pictures. Order forms will be available in the office for any students interested in purchasing their photos.



MIDDLE SCHOOL WEBSITE

This is a reminder that the following information is updated on the CMS website:

Morning Announcements, Schedule of Events, School Newsletters, Student Handbook, Eligibility Requirements, Student Supply Lists, and the Education Connection. Remember to click on the middle school from the district link: www.crestviewrebels.org.

LIFE SKILLS

The Family Recovery Center was awarded a grant to implement the Life Skills Program to 5th and 6th grade students. The curriculum includes learning objectives for bully prevention skills, personal self-management skills, drug resistance skills, and general social skills. This program will be taught on Friday in library class by Family Recovery Center staff members.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed to work with students on homework completion and study skills. Please contact Mr. Richardson if you are able to volunteer one hour per week.

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Congratulations to the following students for being selected as the September Students of the Month at Crestview Middle School!

Grade 5: Joanie Wood - Citizenship

Grade 6: Addyson Bettura - Caring

Grade 7: Bryce Halverstadt - Responsibility

Grade 8: Morgan Cresanto - Caring

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

October 21 Picture Retakes

October 23 End of First Nine Weeks

October 26 Begin Second Nine Weeks

October 30 Report Cards

Elementary School News

New Playground Magic Carpet

Thanks to the PTO Playground Committee for their help with the purchase and installation of our new playground surface from Forever Lawn.



Thanks also to Yarian Brothers Construction who donated site preparation equipment, manpower and materials. The cushioned surface now makes it safer for our students as they play and climb on the playground structures.



School Mall Fundraiser Winner



Congratulations to Logan Neff, 1st grade, who is the proud winner of Joe Bot, the electronic inflatable robot from the School Mall Fundraiser. Thanks too, to the parents who helped with the fundraiser by completing booklets with names and addresses of friends and family members. Crestview Elementary earned money for each completed booklet returned to the school.

Reading is #1

Parents — we need your help encouraging your child to read at home every day. Reading skills are the #1 indicator for school success in all content areas. You can help by giving your child some time to read, by reading with your child and by asking them to tell you about what they are reading.



Red Ribbon Week



Crestview Elementary will celebrate Red Ribbon Week October 26-30. The purpose of the week is to remind students to stay away from drugs and alcohol and to make good decisions. Each student will receive a red ribbon pencil and there will be daily activities scheduled that remind students to stay healthy and drug free. More information will be sent home to parents.

Halloween Parties & Parade

Classroom Halloween parties will be on Friday, October 30. The annual Halloween parade will begin at 1:30 with the Band leading the festivities. Students are asked to wear their everyday clothing to school, and they will change into their costumes in the afternoon.



Cookie Dough Sale in Progress

The annual cookie dough fundraiser is now in progress at Crestview Elementary. It is an annual fundraiser that helps raise funds for additional activities that we do with our students, like assemblies, field trips and classroom supplies. Please help support our school by purchasing some cookie dough from one of our students.



Sign Up to Get Crestview Texts

Parents can sign up to get text messages in the event of a school delay, school closing or a school emergency. Simply go to www.crestviewrebels.org (the district website) and click on e-communications on the left hand side of the page. Then complete the online form to put in your cell phone number.



Bully Prevention News



“We’re All About Our Friends!” is the bully prevention slogan this year at Crestview Elementary. Orders for t-shirts have been taken and they will be delivered to our students soon. Once the shirts are in and distributed, students are asked to wear them on Tuesdays to show that we are united against bullying. As always, we want to help our students practice being good friends to prevent bullying situations.

Parent Teacher Conferences

Parent Teacher conferences will be on Tuesday, November 24, 2015 from 3:15-9:15 p.m. Please contact your child’s teacher to schedule a conference if you have not already done so.

District News

“Turf The Field”

Rebel fans: Coming soon to Rebel Stadium! The most ambitious and exciting project ever undertaken here in Rebel country; installation of premium artificial turf at the stadium.

2015 Rebel Run 5K Race/Walk

The students and staff of Crestview invite you to participate in the 8th Annual REBEL RUN 5K Run/Walk. The purpose of the Rebel Run is to encourage our community to come together and raise funds for the 4C's and the Rebel Track Team and Girls Soccer Teams. If you would like to sponsor the Rebel Run, please contact Janet Leipheimer or Tanja Simone.

Saturday, November 21, 2015

Start Time: Registration/check-in starts at 8:00 a.m.

Race Time: 8:30 a.m.

Location: Crestview High School Track/Auditorium

The 5K Race/Walk registration form is included in this issue of the Informagram.

Community Weight Room

The weight room is open to the public on Monday and Wednesday evenings from 6:00-8:00 p.m. Please contact weight room supervisor, Dominic Perry with questions at dperry@crestviewlocal.k12.oh.us.

STEM Class Presents at State Conference

Crestview High School's STEM class has been one of a few classes around the county selected to showcase student work at the Ohio School Board Association Capital Conference in Columbus on November 10th. Students representing our district are Zach Strohecker, Dawson Bennett, Corey Ensell and Paige Witt. These students will be showing attendees how the 3D software works, how the 3D printer works, that the "ink" is actually a spool of plastic, and how the completed product looks. Superintendents, principals and school board members from all over the state will be in attendance at this conference, and will be able to access our students and our presentation during Tuesday's portion of the conference. Pictures will be taken at the conference and posted later to the school's website.

This is a community project headed by the Rebel Touchdown Club. It will be funded totally by donations. No donation is too small! All donations are completely tax deductible. It will transform our stadium into a facility that can be used 365 days a year instead of just a few days in the fall. Multiple school groups will benefit from this project. Our cheerleaders will have a soft surface upon which to practice, the band will have a lined field for practice, gym classes can have activities on it, more football playoff games can be hosted, the soccer team can play night games, baseball and softball teams can practice outside in the early spring.

If you love the Rebels and would like to see them have the opportunity to take their skills to the next level we hope that you'll get behind this very worthwhile project monetarily. Information brochures are available and you can also go to the Crestview Rebels Touchdown Club Facebook page for much more information.

Let's make this a reality for our student-athletes and community members.

The Crestview Rebel Touchdown Club is a 501(c)3 organization and gifts to the club are tax deductible to the fullest extent provided by law. Project information and contribution information can be found on-line at:

www.facebook.com/crestviewrebelstouchdownclub

Thank you for your support and as always, Go Rebels!



Immunization Reminder

The Immunization Law of Ohio requires all students to be effectively immunized against specific diseases. Students entering the 7th grade will be required to receive one dose of the Tdap (Tetanus, diphtheria, and acellular pertussis) or Td (Tetanus and diphtheria) vaccine. This is a booster dose for students who have completed the initial series.

All children entering kindergarten are required to provide evidence of having been immunized against varicella (Chicken Pox) disease.

If you have questions regarding immunizations for your child, please contact Janet Leipheimer, School Nurse or your family physician.

OHSAA Student Leadership Conference

On Tuesday, October 6, 2015 - 8 students went to the OHSAA Foundation Student Leadership Conference. It is the largest one-day student leadership conference in the nation and returned to The Ohio Union at The Ohio State University. The students were actively engaged in various activities and heard from nationally-known speakers. Member schools were encouraged to send students in grades 9-11 who have demonstrated or have potential for leadership roles in their school. There were approximately 1500 student athletes in attendance.

There were several national keynote speakers discussing various leadership topics. Mrs. Sapp accompanied the students participating in this year's conference; Makenzie Daub, Mitchell Lindsay, Landon Talbert, Natasha Salmen, Jeffrey Roberts, Haley Eskra, Kassity Miller, Caleb Hill.

The speakers each gave a personal story of how they stepped up and took a leadership role.

- Clay Hall, Sports Director, spoke on making a personal connection, and how it can help you succeed, Be Bold!
- Bobby Carpenter, OSU All American Linebacker spoke on the four E's. Enthusiasm, Energy, Effort, Execution. Leadership is all about being yourself; be the best version of yourself, Everyday! You can't cheat the Grind, won't give you anything you haven't earned. Time is the only commodity that can't be bought, sold, or traded.

- Chris Hahn, WWE/WWF, overcame adversity in his life to achieve success by listening, following directions. Find your paradise.
- Larry Hoepfner, Columbus Blue Jackets talked about going beyond. Work on your everyday life skills. Your response control can change your life, do you react emotionally, blame someone else or take responsibility, or react in a calm manner?
- Shawn Harper, NFL, Rams, Colts, Titans, with humor spoke on having a dream and working towards that dream, never giving up on what your dream is. What you believe you will achieve (good or bad). Coal is a diamond that has had pressure; no pressure, no diamond. Don't play to be successful, play to win.
- Joel Penton OSU football shared how to serve the community even if you are the only one doing what is right. It may not always be popular, but when you make a commitment, follow through and stand your ground. ***Good, Better, Best, Lead the Rest!***
- Eddie Slowikowski a 3 time all American track, USA Gold medal winner of Pan Am games shared passion. Think about what you want to do, visualize it, then feel it in your heart. Always be ready.

The conference was summarized by the idea of put the work in. People always remember how you make them feel. When you make others look good, you look good yourself.

Parent Access

Parents can stay actively involved in their child's education by using the Parent Access module on the Crestview Local Webpage. Parent Access can be found under the "Forms & Links" page on the website. Parent Access will provide parents with information on their child's grades, homework and attendance. In order to access the Parent Access module, parents must have all fees paid. The Crestview Schools encourage all parents to stay active in their child's education by using the Parent Access Module!



Crestview Local School District
Rebel Run
5K Race and 2 Mile Fun Walk
Saturday, November 21, 2015

Organized and managed by the Crestview Rebels Embracing Wellness Health Team and the Crestview Track Team.
 The proceeds from this year's Rebel Run will benefit 3 organizations:
 The 4Cs (Crestview Community Churches Concern), The Crestview Track Team & CHS Girls Soccer.

Location/Course: Start & Finish—Crestview High School, 44100 Crestview Rd., Columbiana, OH 44408
 Run and Walk are conducted on separate courses.

Time: 7:30AM Registration

8:30AM 5K Race (Runners only) and 2 Mile Fun Walk

Registration: Pre-Race Day- \$15.00, includes a long-sleeved shirt if received by November 11, 2015
 Race Day- \$20.00 at Crestview Performing Arts Center
 Crestview Students-\$10.00

Shirts are available to the first 200 registrants. Fees are non-refundable.

Registrations received after November 11, 2015 will not be guaranteed a t-shirt.

Awards: Top 3 Male/Female Overall; Top 3 Male/Female Masters; Top 3 Male/Female Age Group Finishers
 Males: 14 & under, 15-19; 20-24, 25-29, 30-34, 35-39, 40-44, 45-49, 50-54, 55-59, 60-64, 65-69, 70-79, 80 and older.
 Females: 14 & under, 15-19; 20-24, 25-29, 30-34, 35-39, 40-44, 45-49, 50-54, 55-59, 60-64, 65-69

No Duplication of Awards

Door Prize Drawings for all participants will be held after the race and before the awards.

Online registration available through *PayForIt*: www.crestviewrebels.org

(Please detach and mail with check to address below)

Official Rebel Run Entry Form & Waiver

Participant Waiver: In consideration of being permitted to participate in the "Rebel Run", I hereby for myself, my heirs, and personal representatives assume any and all risks which might be associated with this event. I further waive, released, discharge and covenant not to sue the Crestview Local School District, its officers, members, sponsors, organizers and other representatives, or successors and assigns, for any injuries or damages of any kind whatsoever as a result of taking part in this event and related activities. I also agree to the use of film, photo, audio or videotape of my participation in the event for any purpose.

Please check one: Runner _____ Walker _____ T-shirt size: YS _____ YM _____ YL _____ S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ XXL _____

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Age on race day _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Participant Waiver Signature _____

Parent Signature (if under 18) _____

Please make checks payable to: Crestview Local Schools Wellness Team
 And mail with your registration to:
 Rebel Run
 Crestview Local School District
 44100 Crestview Rd., Columbiana, OH 44408

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Questions may be directed to:
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Crestview Local Board of Education

Dr. Edward Miller, Brayden Tucker, David Vollnogle
Student Liaison, Bradley McGovern
John Garwood, James Weikart.
School Board Meetings are held in the
Performing Arts Center at 7:00 PM on the second
Wednesday of each month.

Mission Statement

We are Crestview Local Schools, *the heart of our community*, dedicated to educating and empowering every student with the knowledge and skills for success in an ever changing world.



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