## Friday, October 19th

Calling all ghosts, goblins, vampires & walking dead: It's time for the "Were-yotes" (that's Coyote werewolves) to HOWL at the annual Howl-o-Ween Dance/Party. The party is Tuesday, October 30th. The 5th Grade party is from 3:45-5:00. 5th Graders: bring your costume to school and change at the end of the day. The 6th-8th dance is 5:30-7:00. 6th, 7th, and 8th graders need to go home after school and return for the dance. Tickets will be sold during lunch period Monday through Wednesday next week. They are \$3 in advance or \$5 at the door, so get 'em early. So, don't be a zombie---use your BRAAAAINS and be ready to do your best Thriller dance!

Students going on the Washington, D.C. trip will meet in Ms. Craig's room **NEXT TUESDAY**, October 23rd, after school to get name tags and luggage tags and go over final details. Have rides here to pick you up at 4:20.

High school and middle school tennis coach, Mr. S., is hosting a 4-day tennis camp. Players can sign up for individual days or the entire camp. Flyers are available in the front office.

## <u>Attention Chess Club Members:</u> The next <u>Chess Club meeting</u> will take place next Wednesday morning October 24<sup>th</sup> in room 607 from 8:00 until 8:30.

RED RIBBON week will be the week of Oct 23-31st. The theme this year is **LIFE IS YOUR JOURNEY- TRAVEL DRUG FREE--** Homerooms will have the opportunity to use this theme to decorate the outside of the classroom door or exterior wall space if door is already decorated with the college theme. Please be creative as possible!

We will judge the doors November 2nd, and winning classes will earn a class pizza party during lunch. Last year we had some great designs and many of the doors stayed decorated the rest of the school year!

For all teachers that are new this year, this is something we have done the last few years, and the kids enjoy putting forth the effort to come up with a winning door. The activities for RED ribbon week will be sent out prior to OCT 23rd. These are short educational activities to create a continued awareness regarding drug, alcohol and tobacco use.

Thanks for your help getting ready for RED RIBBON WEEK!

Ecoteens will be meeting again after school on Tuesday, October 23rd, until 4:45 pm. Please mark your calendars and meet in room 709 after school!

## RESERVE YOUR COPY OF DIARY OF A WIMPY KID: THE MELTDOWN.

Jeff Kinney's newest book goes on on sale October 30th. Our Scholastic Book Fair is offering a specially priced paperback edition for \$9.00. Pick up you order form in the library or from your language arts teacher. Forms are due in the office by the end October 19th.