### Thursday, October 21st

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### FRIDAY DRESS THEME

Just a reminder, tomorrow is "Flannel Friday." Wear your favorite fall flannel to school!

### **PAWS FOR A CAUSE**

There is a Paws for a Cause meeting today at 4:00 in the cafeteria.

### **PICTURE RETAKES**

Just a reminder, picture retakes are tomorrow. please bring your original packet back if you have one and/or want retakes. Order Code is: 60116Q Your link to order is: <a href="https://inter-state.com/">https://inter-state.com/</a>

### **CLARK WRESTLING**

Wrestling practice starts today after school from 4:00-5:15 p.m. Please make sure FamilyID is completed, and you have your physical packet turned into Mrs. Smith.

#### **BOYS BASKETBALL TRYOUTS**

Boys basketball tryouts are today and tomorrow. 7th grade tryouts are after school from 4-5:30p.m., and 8th grade is from 5:30-7p.m. Please make sure to have FamilyID completed and a physical on file with Mrs. Smith.

### <u>LIBRARY NEWS: THE BOOK FAIR IS BACK!</u>

The Scholastic Book Fair is headed our way! It will be held in Clark's Library, beginning Monday, October 25 through Thursday, October 28. All students will attend with their ELA classes during that week. Students can bring money, checks (payable to Clark Middle School) or parents can set-up an eWallet through the Book Fair website for students to shop and add to their at home library! Parents, please click the link below to set up your eWallet account and learn all about the in-house Book Fair. https://www.scholastic.com/bf/clarkbookfair

For more information, contact Tina Genovese at tgenoves@lcscmail.com.

## PARENT INFORMATION:

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-PTO Qpon sale beginning October 18th-November 2nd

- -Band Booster Fundraiser (mattress sale) at LCHS 9-3 on Oct. 24th
- -PTO LaQuesadilla Fundraiser is TODAY! Take your family out to dinner tonight!

Fall Break--October 29th-November 1st-Students return on November 2nd

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Red Ribbon Week kicks off on Monday, October 25<sup>th</sup>. Red Ribbon Week began in 1985 to bring awareness that illegal drugs are dangerous and destructive.

Each day next week, we'll have a Red Ribbon Awareness theme and dress-up day. We hope you will all participate!

Monday, October 25th: "Give Drugs the Boot!" Wear any kind of boots/western wear.

<u>Tuesday, October 26<sup>th</sup></u>: "Friends Don't Let Friends Do Drugs" Twin Day—find a friend and dress alike.

Wednesday, October 27th: "Stay Strong Against Drugs" Wear Camouflage.

Thursday, October 28th: "Don't Get Mixed Up In Drugs" Wear mismatched clothes.

Friday, October 29th---First day of Fall Break!!!

# TUTORING IS HELD TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS FROM 8:00-8:30 A.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.

## LC MIDDLE SCHOOL BANDS-MATTRESS FUNDRAISER

On October 24th, the Lake Central Middle School Bands will be holding a mattress fundraiser at Lake Central High School from 10:00 am-5:00 pm. This one-day event

fundraiser is an awesome opportunity to purchase a mattress, boxspring, or pillow and support school music in the process. Many of the beds will be offered at discount prices with financing options available as well. You can find more information on the Facebook event page

(<u>https://www.facebook.com/events/386010646250419/?ref=newsfeed</u>) For more information, text "LCMS" to 474747, email Mr. Walton, or talk to one of our many band students.

### 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.