

Thursday, November 11th

VETERANS DAY - NOVEMBER 11, 2021

TODAY, WE HONOR AND SAY THANK YOU TO ALL THE BRAVE MEN AND WOMEN WHO HAVE SERVED, AND CONTINUE TO SERVE OUR COUNTRY.



Our virtual Veteran's Day Celebration can be found at

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vBB2b0jcsA>.

PAWS FOR A CAUSE

Congratulations to the winners of this year's pet costume contest. In first place, Aaron Carlson; second place, Ella Mazur; and in third place, Mrs. Garcia. Photos of this year's winners are hanging outside the office if you would like to see the winning photos. Congratulations to all!

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. **TOMORROW IS THE LAST DAY!** Be the Lucky Charms for local families that need our help. The grade level with the most donations will win a special treat.

SCIENCE OLYMPIAD

Science Olympiad practice is tomorrow after school from 3:40-4:45 p.m. in Ms. KP's room (610). Please bring chromebooks, notebook, and your questions, written down.

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 if you are interested. Check out the flyers in the hallway to fill out an interest form! Hope to see you there!

PARENT INFORMATION:

INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL OPPORTUNITY

International Summer Travel 2023 to Dublin, Belfast, Edinburgh, London and Paris

Middle School families!

Your student is invited to join us on a once-in-a-lifetime 12 day international travel experience with their peers to "The Capitals of the British Isles" in Summer 2023! *(This includes Dublin, Belfast, Edinburgh, London and Paris!)*

There is incredible growth that comes with seeing the world, exploring new places and experiencing new cultures - and I'm excited to bring this opportunity to your family and our community.

The trip will fill up fast, so please join my informational meeting to learn:

- How this opportunity will benefit your child
- Why now is the right time to start planning
- How your investment will be protected
- What we'll see and experience on our trip
- How your child can earn academic credit
- How we're keeping this safe and affordable

Our meeting will be held on **Wednesday, December 1st at 6:30 PM in the Kahler Middle School LGI Room**- there are limited spots available so don't miss your opportunity to reserve your seat. One parent must be in attendance.

In order to travel students must meet the following criteria:

- Turn 12 years old by June 2023
- No serious discipline notices from their school
- Be physically able to walk 8-10 miles per day for the duration of the trip (10-12 days)
- Be physically able to handle their own luggage
- Mentally and emotionally ready to travel internationally
- Willing to have the required vaccinations to travel internationally
- Willing to learn about the different countries and cities we are visiting

Please register for the meeting using this link. If you can't make the meeting, select Register and select "no, but send info".

<https://bit.ly/301WoGP>

Can't wait to see you there!

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:

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.