Tuesday, October 22nd

HALLOWEEN DANCE

Calling all ghosts, goblins, vampires, walking dead, and Taylor Swifties: The Halloween Dance Party is crawling back to Clark! It's time for the "Were-yotes" (that's Coyote werewolves) to HOWL at the annual Howl-o-Ween Dance/Party. The party is TODAY!! 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. Of course, all costumes must be "middle school appropriate." Tickets are \$5 at the door.

CHESS CLUB

Chess Club will be meeting tomorrow morning before school in room 607 from 8:00 until 8:30 am.

CLARK BASKETBALL

Reminder to those students who are trying out for boys basketball or starting wrestling Monday, Oct. 28th, you need to have Final Forms complete and an IHSAA physical turned into Mrs. Smith in order to try out or practice.

PROJECT LIT

Anyone planning to attend the Halloween party next Wednesday, October 30th, please have your money and permission slip turned into Mrs. Mesko or Ms. Schilling no later than this Wednesday! Don't forget your costume!

CLARK BAND BOOSTERS

Dairy Queen in St. John (9461 Wicker Ave. St. John) is donating a portion of profits to Clark Middle School Band Boosters this afternoon from 4:00-8:00 pm. Please mention "I'm with the Band" when you check out!

RED RIBBON WEEK

Red Ribbon Week kicks off Monday, October 28th!

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"Your Future is Brighter without Drugs!" Wear neon colors and sunglasses...

Tuesday, October 29th

"Give Drugs the Boot!" Wear any kind of boots--fashion, winter, western, etc.)

Wednesday, October 30th Wear Red to support Red Ribbon Week!

Thursday, October 31st

"Wake Up Drug-Free Everyday!" Wear your favorite, school-appropriate pajamas.

Friday, November 1st

"Don't Get Mixed Up with Drugs!" Wear mismatched clothes!

WASHINGTON, D.C. TRIP

Attention 7th graders...are you interested in seeing the White House? How about the Capitol Building? Maybe you wanted to check out Arlington and the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier or the Pentagon...OR perhaps you want to see where Mr. Gustas saw George Washington propose to Mrs. Washington? Well, the 2025 Washington DC trip is the time to see all of these places. There will be an information meeting on **Thursday November 7th at 6:00 pm in the LGI for students and parents**. Hope to see you there! - Any questions, please see Mr. Brandner in Room 802.

LAKE CENTRAL WINTER GUARD

It is about that time of year again! The LC Winter Guard "Try-It Night" will be held Thursday, November 7th, from 5:00-7:00 pm, with a Parent Information meeting at 7:00 pm. Any student grade 6-8 is eligible to join. For more information, please stop by the main office for a flyer.

PARENT INFORMATION TUTORING--BEFORE SCHOOL TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS, 8:00-8:30 AM.

Picture Retake day is Monday, October 28th.

2024 YEARBOOK ON SALE NOW!

YEARBOOKS MUST BE ORDERED ONLINE. NO ORDERS WILL BE ACCEPTED IN SCHOOL.

How to order a yearbook:

Visit <u>https://www.yearbookordercenter.com/index.cfm/</u> job/12888

YEARBOOK SALE DATES:

09/11-10/31 FALL SALE \$30 11/01-12/31 SEMESTER | SALE \$35

11/01-12/31 SEMESTER 1 SALE \$35

01/01-04/01 SEMESTER 2 SALE \$40

If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Sulek at <u>ksulek@lcscmail.com</u> or Mrs. Brink at <u>ebrink@lcscmail.com</u>.

CLARK SPIRITWEAR

Clark Spiritwear is on sale YEAR ROUND at <u>https://1stplace.sale/107077</u>. You can also access the information through Clark's website. Don't miss out on some great looking spiritwear!

APPLES FOR THE STUDENTS

Educational technology and its funding change daily. To keep up with these changes and their accompanying expenses, our school is participating in our local Strack & Van Til's Apples for the Students Program. The program enables our school to earn computers and Ipads, sporting goods, audio visual equipment, and science supplies, with choices from hundreds of other awards, too! And, they're all free!

To earn these FREE awards, we simply have to collect as many register receipts as possible from September 1, 2024 through March 31, 2025. Ask your friends and relatives to shop at Strack & Van Til Food Market and save every receipt. Send the receipts to school with your students as often as possible. The school will count the value of the register tapes collected and redeem them for great educational awards that benefit your child. Thank you in advance for your participation!

PLANNING AHEAD

The next early release date is Tuesday, November 12th. Student dismissal is at 1:10 p.m.

Fall Break is Thursday and Friday, October 24-25, 2024.

STUDENT EARLY DISMISSAL

Please make sure to send your child in with a note if you need to take them out of school early. Have your child bring the note to the office first thing in the morning, and we will write a pass for them to leave class. Thank you for your continued support.