



## Walkerton Elementary School

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### Date:

- November 7, 2023

### Donations:

- |                 |       |                              |
|-----------------|-------|------------------------------|
| • WES PTA       | \$100 | Minds in Motion Supplies     |
| • WES PTA       | \$499 | Novel Study                  |
| • Laurie Seifer | N/A   | Used Coats, Hats, and Gloves |

### Fundraisers:

- N/A

### Recognitions:

- Title One Night Success- On **Thursday, October 26<sup>th</sup>**, WES had their annual Title One Night.
  - Kindergarten and 1<sup>st</sup> Grade families were invited for a fun night of games, activities, snacks, and outer space fun.
  - Thank you to our Title One Teacher Mrs. Amy Weiss, and to all of the staff volunteers.
  - Pictures below
- Red Ribbon Week Success- This past week was our themed Red Ribbon Week, and as a school we raised **nearly \$1,000** for the children at Riley Children's Hospital!
  - **Thank You to our community for their support!**
- Halloween Party Success- Our Halloween Parties were a huge success this past Friday, closing out the last day of Red Ribbon Week.
  - Not only did students get to have fun and dress up, but Grades KG-4<sup>th</sup> visited the wonderful individuals at Miller's Merry Manor.
  - Students walked across the street, where many of our students got to see their grandparents and receive candy.
  - Thank you to our wonderful partners at Miller's!
  - Pictures below
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Stuff the Bus is Back- Starting next week, WES will be holding our 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual 'Stuff the Bus' competition. All next week, students will be collecting canned goods for the Walkerton Food Pantry, with the winning classroom actually stuffing a John Glenn School Bus!



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- In the two years of Stuff the Bus at WES, we have donated 12,368 food items, for an approximate total of \$28,000 in food donations: That is a testament to our WES Community!
- Science of Reading Professional Development- Teachers from both Walkerton and North Liberty were able to attend the Science of Reading Seminar at Valparaiso University this past Thursday.
  - The Indiana Department of Education has begun the push on the Science of Reading, and this workshop allowed our teachers to unpack the research on word recognition, teaching us to apply research-based reading strategies for single and multisyllabic words. These strategies are able to be incorporated into any literacy curriculum and are relevant for K-5 educators.
  - Thank you to our School Board and Mr. Winchell for allowing our teachers the time to learn and collaborate!

Sincerely,

Dr. Patrick R. Fuller

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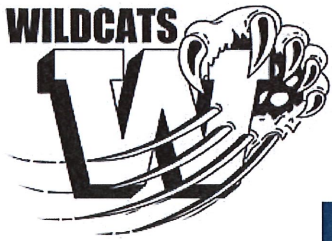
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### **Title One Family Night**



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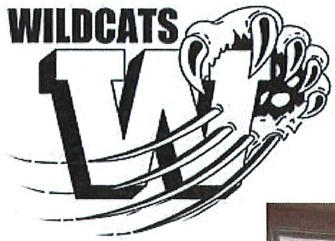
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**Miller's Merry Maor Visit and Halloween**





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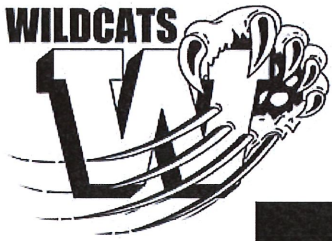
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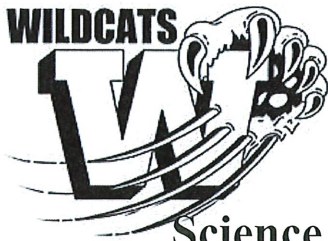
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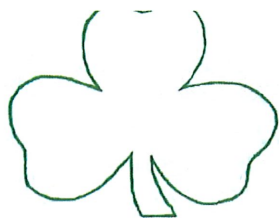
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### Science of Reading- Teacher Professional Development







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## North Liberty Elementary Board Recognitions for November 7, 2023

### Recognitions:

2<sup>nd</sup> gr. held their storybook character dress-up day. Their stories came alive as they summarized the story to their classmates while portraying their favorite character.



Both classes from the JGSC Applied Skills program experienced several sensory based activities that were fall themed for the students. The students enjoyed every bit of this event that connected to their development skills and abilities. Well done Applied Skills Staff!



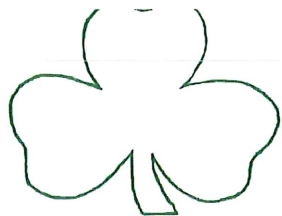
I took 4 students to the Potato Creek State Park groundbreaking ceremony for the 120-room lodge and conference center on Oct. 19. Ruby and Rose deGroot (Father works at the park) Lincoln Filer (mom works at the park) and Elyza Batton were able to experience a once in a lifetime memory with this event. They received a commemorate silver spoon and the memory of hearing from Governor Holcomb share his thoughts on this historical day in Indiana.



10 elementary teachers from Walkerton and North Liberty Elementary attended a workshop on the Science of Reading. This conference allowed the teachers to enhance the use of evidence-based tools and methods to improve their reading instruction.



First Grading Period Awards Ceremony was held to recognized several students for their achievements. Each award holds importance in the area of math, reading, character, Honor Roll, Specials, attendance, and making positive changes. Congratulations to all of the listed recipients (on the next page).



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**Perfect Attendance-** Kindergarten- 24, First- 21, Second- 24, Third- 27, Fourth- 28, Fifth- 23, Sixth- 28th

**Near Perfect Attendance-** Kindergarten- 13, First- 13, Second- 16, Third- 16, Fourth- 22. Fifth- 15, Sixth- 15

**On A Roll- K-** Colin Adkins, Hudson Lawler, Gildardo Coria **1-** Ezra Stevens, Easton Mechling, Lorelai Robbins  
**2-** Lynnox Lathion, Ellie Hayes, Otis Spaich **3-** Jace Stambaugh, Khloe Higginson, Zy'aire lathion **4-** Owen Davis, Lucy Kaser, Camden Beatty **5-** Gabe Knoll, Jaxson Garcia, Dayana Coria **6-** Angel Garcia, Ella Anderson, Jayden Hostetler

**Math- K-** Olivia Keiper, Landen Morris, Kate Holderread **1-** Henri Stewart, Hylan Hostetler, Eli Shelton  
**2-** Coralee Morris, Charlie Buysse, Teighler Riddle **3-** Elliott Racine, Griff Humphrey, Evelyn Ciesielski  
**4-** Olivia Knepp, Robert Racine, Brantley Bowers **5-** Jayden Karling, Willow Roberts, Olivia Ennis **6-** Clairra Mappes, Maddison Dosmann, Raiden Smith

**Reading- K-** Phoenix Sheetz, Bailey Knox, Brooklyn Smith **1-** Addison karling, Emma Ziegler, Lincoln Weaver **2-** William Pickens, Via Roberts, Logan Klitchman **3-** Evan McMahan, Isaiah Kramer, Lily Kaser  
**4-** Zane Egger, Cameron lakes, Stacie Oliver **5-** Willow Roberts, Kendall Egger, Decklan Sandefur **6-** Jeremiah Wiggins, Brooklyn Scamehorn, Rowyn Landry

**Reflex- 1-** Cameron Banicki, Joshua Becker, Gwen Ciesielski **2-** Kyson Dodd, Lilith Black, Addison Harman  
**3-** Aubrey Benchaar, Emma Karling, Bradley Vincent **4-** Forrest Filley, Hunter Dunbar, Paxtyn Stout **5-** Nayomi Riddle, Trayten Messick, Kendall Egger **6-** Soeren Nuner, Mason Floyd, Eben Martin

**Shamrock Pride- K-** Owen Mappes, Charlotte Wilson, Madeline Martinczak, Xavier Yates, Timothy Hesick Jr, Ella Vories **1-** Bennett Stout, Audrey Batton, Gavin Stoll, Jordanne Kaiser, Bristol Schelske,  
**2-** Charlie Dixon, Lincoln Davis, Owen Borsodi, Adalina Gallardo, Paislee Nichols, Sawyer Amor **3-** Wade Giese, Penelope Keiper, Sawyer Stevens, Elsie Jaynes, Easton Singleton, Quinn Amor **4-** Zachary Wolff, Baylee Bogard, Brennen Whitmer, Evie Marshman, Sosie Nuner, Dylan Holmes **5-** Claire Menefee, Jase Eaton, Lilyan Gallardo, Grady Spychalski, Dennissa Stull, Brentley Pearson **6-** Kenny Urgonski, Bree Hochstedler, Gage Peterson, Aliyah Lakes,

**AMP Award- K-** Sawyer Davis, Emersyn Blume **1-** Garrett Fouts, Aria O'Conner **2-** Lincoln Davis, Helen Holderread **3-** Wade Giese, Zoe Kaser, Makennah Moore **4-** Cameron Lakes, Willa Blosser  
**5-** Colton Gill, Carli Worm **6-** Colton Singleton, Bree Hochstedler

**Regular Honor Roll- Third-** 30, **Fourth-** 31, **Fifth-** 18, **Sixth-** 31

**High Honor Roll- Third-** 16, **Fourth-** 3, **Fifth-** 13, **Sixth -** 9



# Urey Middle School

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November 7, 2023

Please accept the following donations received by Urey Middle School:

Indiana PGA Growth of the Game Grant: \$788.00 – Athletics – Golf  
Falcon 500: \$208.10 – STEM Drone Program

## 1<sup>st</sup> 9 Weeks Honor Roll Stats:

7th Grade Distinguished Honor Roll: 52/155 students = 33%

7th Grade Regular Honor Roll: 53/155 students = 34%

8th Grade Distinguished Honor Roll: 35/146 students = 24%

8th Grade Regular Honor Roll: 50/146 students = 34%

Congratulations to our October Students of the Month, 8<sup>th</sup> graders Jessa Duval and Levi Litteral, and 7<sup>th</sup> graders Khloe Ramey and Colton Leitch.

Students paid \$1.00 to wear their Halloween costumes to school on Oct. 31<sup>st</sup>. All proceeds went to Student Council.

The Athletic Department will be holding a “Chuck a Duck” fundraiser during the half time of each home basketball game during the upcoming boys and girls basketball seasons. Rubber ducks will be sold for \$1.00 each. Participates will toss the ducks onto a target with the duck closest to the center winning a \$5.00 certificate good for snacks at the concession stand.

FACS 2 students recently competed in Cupcake Wars Fall 2023. Each kitchen group worked together and made their own cupcakes. Once the cupcakes were baked, each student frosted their portion of cupcakes and entered one of their cupcakes into the competition. pictured are the top three in each class. Pictures were sent out to the staff for a vote along with voting from students in FACS 2 classes.



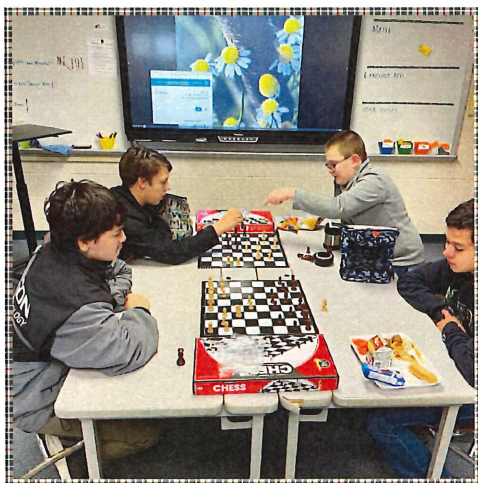
Learners Today, Leaders Tomorrow





Students in FACS 2 classes also participated in a PBL lesson in which they designed a mini cookie cutter using CAD. Mrs. Bethany Smith printed the designs using food safe materials and finally, students used them in their Cut Out Cookie Lab to make their cookies.

Ten JG Corporation students traveled to Purdue University on Oct. 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> to attend the Purdue Space Day 2023 Event. The students learned all about space through engineering challenges, listening to two astronauts speak, and taking a campus tour to learn about all aspects of flight that Purdue offers.



Some of our Urey students have started a Chess Club during lunch.



Urey's Spell Bowl Team  
Competed in the Area Spell  
Bowl Competition on Nov.  
1<sup>st</sup>. Great job spellers!



Family, staff, and friends enjoyed the Urey Drama Club production of “The Waiting Room” and “Complaint Department and Lemonade” on Friday, Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup>. Congratulations on a great show to Lyric Rivera, Josiah Philson, Zander Johnson, Casey Hulse and Coach Dyan Phillips.





## Fall Sports Recap

### **Football:**

**8th Grade** finished their season 8 - 1, only losing to Tippecanoe Valley in a close game (a TD and a kick - we missed 3 kicks). Throughout the season, they outscored their opponents 331 - 97. They set their eyes on the Indy Crossroads Tournament where they will compete against 3 schools from across IN on Nov 4 and 5.

**7th Grade** finished their season 3 - 6, beating Culver, New Prairie and Tippecanoe Valley.

Archer Rust was named Offensive Player of the Year

Ayden White was named Defensive Player of the Year

Aaron Turnage was named Offensive Impact Player of the Year

Tommy Alexander was named Defensive Impact Player of the Year

### **Volleyball**

**8th Grade** finished the season with a record of 8-2. During the course of the season, the team participated in the Dunes Invitational. After a long day of battling, the girls were able to win the tournament against teams that were not played during the regular season.

**7th Grade** had a successful first season together, as a team. With a record of 5-4 and winning the Silver bracket at the Dunes Tournament, each game we saw more and more improvement. Watching these girls grow as a team and continue to improve individually was awesome to see.

**Boys Soccer** won 2 games but grew as a team throughout the season. There were a few games that were tightly contested and could have gone either way. This team was composed of 6th - 8th graders, which will help next fall. This team will lose some great talent to the high school next season, but will have much more success next year with the returning players.

**Girls Soccer** ended the season with a 5-3 overall record. We are exceptionally proud of the 15 girls from grades 6-8 that came together to create a genuine camaraderie on the field. The 6th and 7th graders are very excited to get back at it next season and to continue to grow.

**Cheerleading** ended the season with 16 cheerleaders. We cheered at 4 home games. Girls learned sideline chants and cheers, stunting, and tumbling. Girls worked well as a team and our first

Fall Season Captain = Lydia Bowers, did amazing and was a great leader!

Mentionable Cheer Awards: Urey Cheer Award (plaque outside cafeteria) - Lydia Bowers

Coaches Award - Leti Urbina; GRIT Award - Kara Walls; Most Improved - Karlie Beeney

Winter Captain: Bella Vickers

**Cross Country** had a great year with a dedicated group of 23 runners, 16 runners from Urey and 7 runners from WES and NLES. Our team ran in 9 meets.

#### Big Accomplishments

-We had some runners that shaved 2 minutes off their time from the beginning to the end of the season.

-Every runner earned at least two Personal Records (PR's) during their season.

-Runners competed at the Manchester Invite against 80 other runners in each race with our team earning:

-Boys Varsity: Grant Romer-21st  
Julian Kellems-25th  
Carter Hudgen-29th  
OVERALL BOYS TEAM-6TH Place

-Girls Varsity: Hayley Chapman-10th  
-Boys JV: Carson Hoppe-11th  
-Girls JV: Ameila Jackson-8th  
Lexi Rodriguez-11th

MS State Championships - **We had 5 qualify for State where our student ran against 500+ in each race.**



**FALCON PROUD !**



# John Glenn High School

Chris Manering – Principal  
Ronald Brown Jr. – Assistant Principal  
Eric Stephens – Athletic / Activities Director

Angie Foresman – Counselor (A-G)  
Donia Hudgen – Counselor (H-O)  
Sarah Rippy – Counselor (P-Z)

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## **November 7, 2023**

### **DONATIONS:**

1st Source Bank	\$1,000.00	Falloween
American Legion Post 365	\$100.00	Falloween
Edward J. White, Inc.	\$250.00	Falloween
Ellis Hardwoods	\$150.00	Cross Country
Gibson Lewis, LLC	\$1,000.00	Falloween
Roger and Shirley Hamilton	\$260.00	Drama
Lincoln Township Trustee, St. Joseph Co.	\$1984.14	Falloween
Majority Builders	\$250.00	Drama
Richard and Linda Parker	\$500.00	Drama
TriKappa North Liberty	\$100.00	Drama

### **FUNDRAISERS:**

National Honor Society	10/31/23	Costume Day
Wrestling	10/1/23 - 10/27/23	Pin-a-Thon Donation Drive

### **RECOGNITIONS:**

#### Girls Basketball Buzzer Beater

The girls basketball team has started 2-0. On Saturday evening they were victorious with a last second buzzer beater by Sophia Romer.

#### Dual Credit Enrollments

This school year we made a big push with Ivy Tech and Trine University to increase the amount of students enrolled in dual credit, which means students are earning both high school and college credit, for the 2023-2024 school year. 570 credits are currently enrolled for students at JGHS. This is up from 356 from last school year. I am very proud of our guidance team and our dual credit teachers for their hard work and dedication to the students of JGHS.

#### Agriculture Overnight Trip

The FFA attended an overnight event last week for the National Convention in Indianapolis. The Dairy Judging team also competed at the convention and earned a silver with distinction. Mr. Spencer and Mr. McLochlin for their leadership.



## Girls Soccer Team

The girls soccer team capped off a great season winning their 6 straight NIC divisional title. The seniors won the conference each year they were in high school! In your packet is a picture of the team.



## Football Team

The football season came to an end this past Friday in the sectional final. This was our first appearance in the sectional championship in 10 years. Coach Barron and Mrs. McLochlin did a couple of activities last week to encourage school spirit. Many of the football players selected instrumental staff members at the high school to wear their jersey. It was a great event and really shows the impact of staff members on the youth of today.





The National Art Honor Society finished a mural for the North Liberty Youth Leagues. The mural features a thank you to Veterans; it is displayed on the dugouts in North Liberty. Pacience Stock, Maggie Nowak, Adrianna Laridino, Ali Cruz, and Chloe Robbertze painted the mural. These ladies are very professional in their work, and the mural was completed in record time. The painters were honored October 8 at 2pm at the baseball fields.



#### FFA Horse Judging

Here tonight with us this evening are Nora Guesellia, Brody Chapman, and Leoana Tibbs from our Horse Judging Teacher. These outstanding individuals competed in the All American Quarter Horse Congress in Columbus Ohio and were Reserve Champions. Congratulations to Mr. McLochlin and the team for their outstanding representation of John Glenn High School.

## Spell Bowl

The John Glenn High School Spell Bowl team competed on Monday 10/30/2023 at JGHS. The team scored a total of 75/90 words correctly. Near perfect spellers were Emma Knowlton, Delilah Phelan, and Oliva Kalicki. Perfect spellers were Livie Foresman, Nina Foresman, and Olivia Limerick. They were able to move on to the state competition at Purdue this weekend. We are Class 2 champions!! The last word of the event was:

Adrenocorticosteroid

Best of luck to the team this weekend.



### *Vision Statement:*

*The John Glenn High School Community provides a positive learning environment, where students are actively engaged and motivated to learn, where mutual respect is shared by students and staff, and where students gain the skills needed to become productive members of society.*