

SHAMROCK SHOUT OUT March 2020



IMPORTANT EVENTS FOR MARCH

2nd – 6th...Read Across America Spirit Week 7th...State Robotics Tournament 10th...JGSC Board Mtg. 7 PM 11th...PTO Meeting 3:30 PM 13^{th...}End of 3rd Nine Weeks 13th – 15th JG Theatre Co. Joseph and the.... 14th ...5th Gr. A & B Bball Tourney @ NLES 16th-17th...IREAD-3 Testing Window (3rd Gr.) 17th...Shamrock Pride Day 23rd-27th...Spring Break

Shamrock Gram Sale FORMS DUE MARCH 6

Shamrock Grams are \$1- one REAL white carnation with a thoughtful note. You may send a completed form & money to the office (form attached). Student Council members will deliver the grams on Thursday, March 19 – Shamrock Pride Day! Shamrock Grams can be sent to anyone in any school or office building within JGSC.

SHAMROCK PRIDE DAY

March 17th celebrate being a Shamrock by wearing green, NLES Spirit Wear, or anything shamrock. We are celebrating what it means to be a shamrock and how we make North Liberty Elementary School a "great place to learn, teach, lead and succeed". We show Shamrock Pride in all three areas of our life by taking...

1. Pride in Yourself 2. Pride in Others 3. Pride in Our School



Kindergarten Roundup is March 11 @ 6 PM

Please spread the word and share with as many families, day care providers, and preschools in the area. Parents will be presented with KDG information to preregister while incoming KDG students interact with staff in the classroom, sit on a school bus and get to know their future classmates. Click <u>KDG</u> Link to preregister.

School Lunch Balances

JGSC Policy 6151 states that "Significant negative lunch account balances shall not be permitted. A significant negative lunch account balance is any balance owed in excess of \$7.00. If a student has a significant negative lunch account balance, s/he shall be provided an alternate meal, the cost of which shall continue to accrue to his/her negative lunch account balance, and his/her parent(s) shall be contacted to collect the outstanding charges." Notices of negative lunch balances are sent home with students on a daily basis. You may sign up and receive emails when balances are at a specific dollar amount. <u>MySchoolBucks</u>

CALLING ALL OUTSIDE - DISTRICT STUDENT REQUESTS

We ask that all families living outside of the John Glenn School Corporation fill out the 2020-2021 request to attend school for next year. Follow these steps: 1. Go to <u>JGSC</u> and scroll down to the tuition notice and click on link to complete form for 2020-2021 or <u>this form</u>.

NLES 2020 Fun Fair – Wizard of Oz! Message from the PTO Board

Its Go Time!!..... April 17, 2020 is our annual Fun Fair here at North Liberty Elementary!! Our Fun Fair is our schools' BIGGEST fundraiser of the year and the best way for businesses and charitable donors to make a positive impact in our school and community. We are actively searching for donations of all kinds. We have a Raffle and Silent Auction that we use from donations. All donations are greatly appreciated and accepted, please contact our Fun Fair team by email at nlspto@gmail.com or Melinda Frick 574-339-9178. Raffle Ticket information will be sent home with each child.

Blessings in a Backpack Rise 'n Roll Mother's Day Fundraiser

Blessings in a Backpack will be doing their 6th annual Mother's Day weekend fundraiser. Product catalogs will be sent home in backpacks after Spring Break. Donuts, cinnamon rolls, apple fritters, cookies, pies, sweet breads, crunches, granola bars, maple granola, heart smart granola, and cream cheese muffins are back. **NEW ITEMS** this year include: lemon crinkle cookies, brownies, and gourmet flavored popcorn.





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John Glenn School Corporation

Kindergarten Roundup[®] Wednesday March 11, 2020

at 6 PM

Walkerton Elementary and North Liberty Elementary

Please plan to attend this important meeting if you have a child who will be 5 on or before August 1st 2020

Parents will:

*Provide birth certificates *Immunization records *Learn about full day kindergarten

KDG students attend to meet staff, experience the classroom and enjoy some fun activities.



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Monday: Happy Birthday, Dr. Seuss! Wear a Hat Day

(and a black shirt if you have one!) Classes may make Cat in the Hat hats for today! *Recommended reading*: <u>Caps for Sale</u>, <u>Hats of Faith</u>, and <u>You Must Bring a Hat</u>!

Tuesday: Nothing Beats a Bedtime Story! Slippers Day

Recommended reading: <u>SLEEP Book, Llama Llama Red Pajama, Goodnight Moon</u>

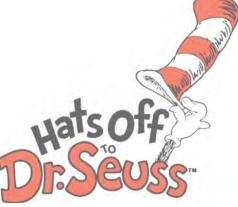




Wednesday:

It's Read Across America--Patriotic Day!

Recommended reading: <u>Scrambled States of America</u>, An <u>So You Want to be President?</u> <u>Who Was?</u> series



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Thursday: Dress Like a Book Character

Recommended reading: <u>Pinkalicious , Stripes, Olivia,</u> <u>Elephant and Piggie, How I Became a Pirate</u>

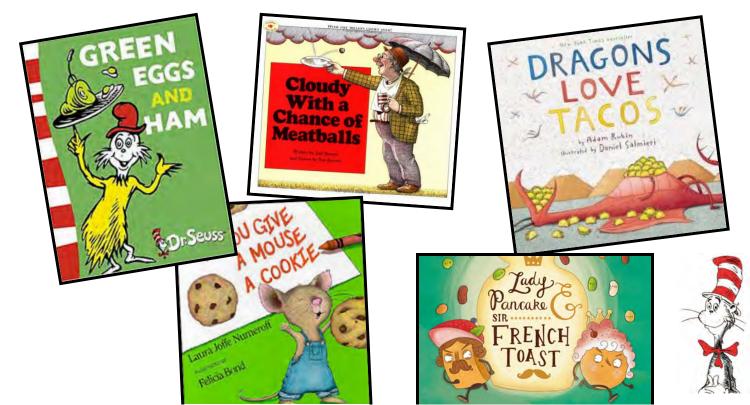
Friday: **Wild Hair Day**

Recommended Reading: <u>Hair Love</u>, <u>Wanda and the</u> <u>Wild Hair</u>, <u>Stephanie's Ponytail</u>



Families--join in the fun all week! Have fun celebrating books! Don't forget to read every day!

We even have reading recommendations for meal time!





2020 Summer Registration Form

North Liberty Youth League

northlibertyyouthleague@hotmail.com

BIRTH CERTIFICATE COPY REQUIRED. Child cannot play without it.

Registration Deadline: April 3rd, 2020 Completed forms accepted on March 7th and 14th at North Liberty VFW 9am-12pm, or mailed to the P.O. Box 427 North Liberty, Indiana 46554 Registration Cost: \$50 per child, \$40 per sibling Registration forms received after April 3rd will have a \$10.00 late charge added. Player Name _____ Date of birth: / / Age as of April 30^{th,} 2020 Male/Female Address ______ E-mail address Parent/Guardian #1 Name Phone Parent/Guardian #2 Name _____ Phone Emergency Contact name _____ Emergency Contact Phone **Registering for: (Check only one):** Softball age limitations: A player must be no older than, league max. age, on or before December 31st of the previous year. Baseball age limitations: A player no older than, league max. age, on or before April 30th is eligible to play. T-Ball (co-ed) 4-6 yrs. old: Transition (co-ed) 7-9 yrs. old: Softball 10U Girls 9-10 yrs. old: Minors Boys Baseball 10-12 yrs. old: _____ Softball 12U Girls 11-12 yrs. old: Majors Boys Baseball 13-14 yrs. old:

NLYL board of directors reserves the right to adjust what league a child plays in, as deemed necessary, based on ability and league size.

Player Shirt Size	(Circle one)
Youth Smal	l (6-8)

Youth Medium (10-12)

Youth Large (14-16)

- Adult Small
- Adult Medium

Adult Large

• Regulation GREY baseball/softball pants are required for each player in Minors and Majors Baseball & Softball. No shorts allowed.

• Metal spikes are not permitted in any league.

• Players must wear complete team uniform at all games, including team hat/visor.

Please list the league, team, coach, or park most recently played for:

Pertinent Medical Information (Circle Y or N, if Y is circled please fill in explanation)

Allergies Y/N Explain_____

Inhaler Y/N Explain_____

Seizures Y/N Additional Information_____

Other____

1. I/We, the parents/guardians of the above-named candidate for a position on a North Liberty Youth League (NLYL) team, hereby give my/our approval to participate in any and all NLYL activities, including transportation to and from the activities.

2. I/We know that participation in baseball or softball may result in serious injuries and protective equipment does not prevent all injuries to players, and do hereby waive, release, absolve, indemnify, and agree to hold harmless the NLYL, the NLYL board, sponsors, supervisors, participants, and persons transporting my/our child to and from activities from any claim arising out of any injury to my/our child whether the result of negligence or for any other cause.

3. I/We as a parent(s) or legal guardian, certify that the above named youth has been pronounced physically fit by a physician to participate in the NLYL. I release board members from all responsibility in respect to injury or accident.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Date____

2020 North Liberty Youth League Code of Conduct

Due to increasing violence and rising numbers of abuse incidents in our nation's youth programs during and after games, the NLYL Board of Directors have unanimously approved a "Code of Conduct" related to inappropriate behavior at practices, games and NLYL sponsored activities. The Board feels that league officials, parents and coaches should be proactive in seeking a safe and instructive environment for children without the threat of violence, inappropriate behavior or language on the sidelines.

NLYL has a Board of Directors. These individuals are responsible for the activities your children are participating in. One of them will be available at every game. Please find one of these individuals if you see activities that concern you, so we may correct the problem.

While most inappropriate behavior is obvious, the actions that will not be tolerated include, but are not limited to the following:

- 1. Parents and fans on the field without permission.
- 2. Inappropriate language
- 3. Yelling negative comments at the umps or opposing players
- 4. Instigating players, parents, officials
- 5. Trashing fields or equipment
- 6. Attending events drunk or smelling of alcohol.
- 7. Smoking or using alcohol on the park grounds is strictly prohibited.
- 8. Physical displays of aggression or threats of physical aggression
- 9. Any action that officials or coaches deem to be inappropriate or the individual has previously been asked to stop doing.

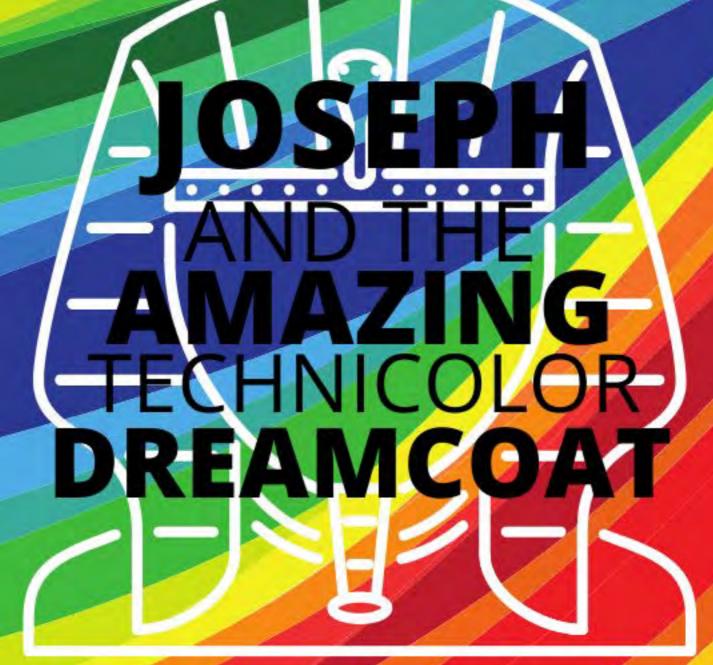
Any player, coach, official, parent or fan, participating in inappropriate behavior WILL BE EJECTED from the park grounds. In cases where the offending party does not cooperate and leave the area, the police will be immediately contacted for the immediate removal from the property. A league report will be filed and the person may be suspended from the park for a time period between one day and one year from the date of the offense. Based on the nature of the offense, charges may be filed against the individual. Threats of or physical displays of aggression will be reported to the police. Any ejected person has the right to an appeal hearing by the Board of Directors. All parties involved will be notified and invited to attend the hearing which will be scheduled within 10 days of a written request.

The NLYL hopes the policies will ensure a safe, tolerable environment for your family to be around and your children to play in. Thank you for doing your part to help!

_Parent/Guardian

Player

JOHN GLENN THEATRE CO. PRESENT



March 13 7:30pm March 14 2:00pm & 7:30pm March 15 2:00pm

Tickets \$10 Reserved Seating Box Opens March 2nd

North Liberty Elementary IREAD-3 Parent Information Letter

3rd Grade Student and Parents:

On March 16-18, 2020 testing will occur for your 3rd Grade child to be administered the IREAD-3 assessment. The information below provides some information with more facts on the IDOE website. A short <u>three-minute video</u> is provided as well by the IDOE.

Purpose of IREAD-3:

The purpose of the *Indiana Reading Evaluation and Determination (IREAD-3)* assessment is to measure foundational reading standards through grade three. Based on the Indiana Academic Standards, *IREAD-3* is a summative assessment that was developed in accordance with House Enrolled Act 1367 (also known as Public Law 109 in 2010), which "requires the evaluation of reading skills for students who are in grade three beginning in the Spring of 2012 to ensure that all students can read proficiently before moving on to grade four."

IREAD-3 Blueprint:

The assessment measures foundational reading standards through grade 3. The chart below provides some information on the three strand areas to be tested.

Strands Assessed	Description	Percentage Range
Reading: Foundations Reading: Vocabulary	Questions may include identifying beginning, middle, and ending sounds; identifying synonyms, antonyms, homographs, and suffixes; and using context clues to determine the meaning of unknown words in a text.	25-35%
Reading: Nonfiction	Questions may include comparing and responding to grade-level informational text by making connections and/or predictions while reading, and identifying important information within text (e.g., problem and solution, cause and effect, main idea).	30-40%
Reading: Literature	Questions may include comparing and responding to grade-level text by recalling and/or describing story elementary (e.g., plot, character traits and development, problem and solution), and identifying the theme and narrator of different literary genres.	30-40%

Results:

In the past, the school has received Pass or Fail scores around early April. Once received, our plan is communicate with you the results and a plan of recourse if not passing the test.

Summer School and IREAD-3 Retest:

Elementary Summer School Session is anticipated for June 2 – June 26 from 8:00-12:00 at Walkerton Elementary School. We will administer the Summer IREAD-3 retake test the week of June 15 or June 22.

IDOE Website Link:

The link provides information on guidance with "good cause exemptions" and item samplers that our staff have been practicing with students. <u>http://www.doe.in.gov/assessment/iread-3</u>

If you have any questions please speak with your child's homeroom teacher.

Sincerely,

Randy Romer Principal Spring Break Enrichment 2020

Dear parents,

Registration for the new Spring Break Enrichment is just beginning. Spring Enrichment will be held at North Liberty Elementary from March 23rd thru March 27th⁻. Our program will be open from 6:00am until 6:00pm. The cost of the program will be \$20 a day. Payments are to be made in full by March 13th to guarantee a spot in the enrichment.

A field trip is in the works but not set yet more details will be given closer to Spring Break.

Please fill in the schedule of days your child will be attending. Lunch count and the activities need an accurate head count. We are looking forward to a fun filled week of activities and learning.

Sincerely Charman Dreessen

Please fill out the bottom portion and return to the B&A staff ASAP

Doctor

Childs name:	
Age Grade	
Parents name:	
Address:	
Phone:	
Cell Phone:	
Work Phone:	
Emergency Contact:	
Emergency Phone:	
ALLAllergies	
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3-23	3-24	3-25	3-26	3-27

Phone

Marshall County Reading Council Young Author's Conference

March 18, 2020 -



Tonia Allen Gould

The Marshall County Reading Council is excited to announce Tonia Allen Gould is returning home to be our guest Author at this year's Young Authors' Conference. While growing up below the poverty line in rural northern Indiana, Tonia became a product of Indiana's foster care system. Through hard work and perseverance, she was able to



Details of Conference

overcome adversity to become a successful entrepreneur who believes it is never too late to dream. Wishing to share her message, Tonia has written a book "Samuel T. Moore of Corte Magore" to encourage children to follow their dreams, no matter what bully or obstacle they may face.

"I'm extremely honored to work with the youth of Marshall County through the Young Author's Conference and Marshall County Reading Council. I remember when I first fell in love with books and reading as a small child perusing the library at West Elementary in Plymouth, Indiana. Being an avid reader gave me the right tools to later develop a passion for writing. I can't wait to meet these young authors, and help them to hone and nurture their skills. I am truly honored to be the 2020 visiting author for this amazing program."

All children are invited to attend the Young Author's Conference hosted by LaVille Elementary on Wednesday, March 18, 2020 at 6:00 P.M. **It is FREE admission!** Please consider coming out to hear about her message of perseverance, anti-bullying and following your dream!

@LaVille Elementary 12645 Tyler Rd. Lakeville,

They grow up so fast.

Now's your chance to shape their future.



A kindergartener counted in the 2020 Census this spring will be starting high school when the next census comes around in 2030: That's 10 years of school supplies, teachers, school lunches, and so much more. This is your opportunity to help ensure they have a bright future.

Right now, students across the country are getting an introduction to the 2020 Census through the Statistics in Schools program. This program offers free activities and resources to schools to help prepare their students for an increasingly data-driven world.

Students are learning that the 2020 Census is a count of every person who lives in the United States and its territories. Responding to the census helps your community get its fair share of funding. Census data guides how more than \$675 billion in federal funding is distributed to states and communities each year for schools, health care facilities, roads, transportation, recreation centers, social services, and more. Students are also learning these key things about the 2020 Census—and we want you to know them too:

- Starting in March 2020, everyone living in your home needs to be counted. That includes children and newborn babies, citizens and noncitizens, relatives and nonrelatives, and even those staying with you temporarily.
- It's easier than ever to respond to the census. You can respond in 13 different languages, and you can complete it online, by phone, or by mail.
- Your responses to the census are safe and secure. The law requires the U.S. Census Bureau to keep your information confidential, and your responses cannot be used against you in any way.

You have the power to shape your future, and the future of all children, by counting everyone in your home in the 2020 Census.

Learn more about how you can shape your future at **2020CENSUS.GOV**. Get more information about the Statistics in Schools program at **CENSUS.GOV/SCHOOLS**.



Shape your future START HERE >



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John Glenn School Corporation Breakfast

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
2 Egg & Bacon Pizza Fruit Fruit Juice	3 Yogurt Assorted Muffins Fruit Fruit Juice	4 Scrambled Eggs W/W Toast Fruit Fruit Juice	5 Pancake Wrap Fruit Fruit Juice	6 Apple or Cherry Frudel Fruit Fruit Juice	<u>News</u> Reduced Bkt: \$.30 Full Pay Bkt: \$1.30
9 Apple Cin Texas Toast Fruit Fruit Juice	10 Cheese Omelet W/W Toast Fruit Fruit Juice	11 Assorted Cereals Goldfish Crackers Fruit Fruit Juice	12 French Toast Syrup Fruit Fruit Juice	13 Dutch Waffle String Cheese Fruit Fruit Juice	Milk is included with all reimbursable school meals. Milk purchased outside of the reimbursable meal pattern is \$.35 regardless of pay status.
16 Sausage Pizza Fruit Fruit Juice	17 Banana Bread Fruit Fruit Juice	18 Apple Bosco Stick Fruit Fruit Juice	19 Sausage Muffin Fruit Fruit Juice	20 Yeast Donut Colby Jack Cheese Stick Fruit Fruit Juice	A reimbursable meal consists of 3 of the 5 food components with 1 of them being a fruit or vegetable. Each student must take 3 components but is encouraged to take all 5.
23 SPRING BREAK	24 SPRING BREAK	25 SPRING BREAK	26 SPRING BREAK	27 SPRING BREAK	Parents – you can make meal payments and check your student's accounts at Myschoolbucks.com This is an equal
30 Egg & Bacon Pizza Fruit Fruit Juice	31 Yogurt Assorted Muffins Fruit Fruit Juice	1 Scrambled Eggs W/W Toast Fruit Fruit Juice	2 Pancake Wrap Fruit Fruit Juice	3 Apple or Cherry Frudel Fruit Fruit Juice	opportunity provider. Menu subject to change.