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Bierbusse/Wolinski 6th Grade News

Chatfield Loves Lapeer Spirit Week! September 16-20

Southern Links Bike Trip

Sixth Grade Southern Links Bike Trip is scheduled for Friday, October 11. Permission slips will go home next week. The morning of the trip, students may park their bike in the Kindergarten parking lot near the basketball hoops. Please do not park bikes on the front walkway. If you would rather drop your child's bike off Thursday after school, you may park their bike in the middle school commons. Please make sure your child's name is labeled on their helmet. Your child also needs a packed lunch labeled with their name on it. Please pay close attention to the weather forecast. Please consider chaperoning. If you would like to help transport students and bikes, but do not want to ride the trail, we would certainly welcome your help.

Middle School Septemberfest

Middle School students are invited to attend an evening of outdoor activities and dancing on **Friday, September 27** from 3:00-5:00 p.m. Admission is free! The CMS cafe will be open for students to purchase snacks, soda and water. Please let us know if you would be interested in chaperoning. Outdoor activities may include wiffle ball, a home run derby, basketball, and cornhole. If you have a cornhole set we could borrow, please let us know.

Flocabulary Quiz

The next vocabulary quiz is scheduled for Wednesday, September 18. Students will receive the new word list and vocabulary work on Monday, September 9.

**DISCOUNT CARDS AND MONEY ARE
DUE TUESDOAY, SEPTEMBER 27.**



We had a great time pond dipping
to kick-off our
Ecosystems Unit of Study!

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Pictured Rocks National Lakeshore Permission Slip

The permission slip and non-refundable deposit of \$55 is due **Monday, October 7**. Chaperones are expected to submit a \$55 deposit and the chaperone expectations contract, failure to do so will result in losing your spot to attend the trip.

The chaperone drawing slip should be submitted no later than **September 20**. We will conduct the drawing Monday, September 23. A letter will be sent to those who submit a slip notifying you if you will attend the trip or if your name will be placed on a wait list.
Thank you!

Guest Teacher: Randy Baker

Portable Ponds: Not all ponds are created equal. Our sixth graders will learn about the different kinds of ponds, the types of animals that live in the ponds, and what makes each pond unique. Mr. Baker will bring a diversity of small pond creatures from multiple ponds. Students will have a chance to be scientists, get their hands wet, make observations, capture and sort the small creatures, and learn the importance of our wetland habitats. Students will learn about ecosystems & habitats, predators & prey, adaptations, life cycles, and much more. Mr. Baker's presentation is scheduled for **September 18**.



Student Cell Phone Use

Students may not use their cell phones to text, email, call or access social media sites at anytime during the school day. We ask that all students use the office phone to contact a parent or guardian should they feel ill and need to go home. Cell phones must remain in the student's backpack, silenced until the end of the school day.

Paper Planner

The paper planner is intended to be used as an organizational tool for your child and a way for your child to be reminded of upcoming due dates or homework they may have each evening. Please take time with your child to emphasize the importance of using a calendar to organize their time for completing homework, extracurricular activities and daily responsibilities.

Box Tops Wanted!

Please send in your box tops to your child's homeroom teacher with their teacher's name labeled on the bag.

LOG JAM CLEAN-UP SEPTEMBER 17!
Students should wear clothing that will get wet and most likely dirty. Students must also wear closed toe shoes in order to enter the river. Please bring a change of clothes (underwear and shoes). The purpose of the clean-up is to remove logs from the river as part of our "We Love Lapeer" project.