



ER Eaton Rapids Middle School

SCHOOL TO HOME NEWSLETTER

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School Calendar:

7th GRADE NEWS

November 15	3:00 Equations – Pattengill MS 2:45 Intersections
November 21	½ day dismiss at 10:48
November 22	½ Day dismiss at 10:48
November 23 – 26	No School ~ Thanksgiving Recess
November 29	Equations – Pattengill MS
November 28	10 – 2 Life touch candid
November 30	2:45 Intersections
December 1	7:00 Combined Choir & Band Concert - Ms / HS Holiday Concert
December 2	10:00 IMAX – Great American Fundraiser
December 2	Hometown Christmas Parade
December 6	2:45 Intersections Equations – Home 6:30 PTO Meeting
December 7	7:00 Combined Choir & Band Concert
December 8	2:00 Storer Camp – Student 2:45 Annie Jr. Auditions
December 9	2:45 Annie Jr. Auditions
December 12	7:00 Equations – Awards @ Hill Auditorium
December 13	2:45 Intersections
December 14	7:00 Board Meeting – Central Office
December 16	Problem Solving Day
December 19 – January 3	Christmas Break

Science

7th grade science students enjoyed a visit from the Eaton County HAZMAT team. The team showed the students the various HAZMAT suits, safety equipment, and testing supplies that are used when they respond to a HAZMAT emergency. In a brief simulation, a few volunteers "scrubbed" and "showered off" the team member returning from the "Hot Zone". ERMS students and staff appreciate the HAZMAT team members for volunteering their time.

7th Grade Camp News

Seventh grade camp ~ ~ February 13 – 17th, 2011. "Complications" are going out this week. First payment of \$100.00 will be due December 15th with the remaining \$130.00 due in January 2011. We will deduct any money raised in fundraising opportunities from the amount due. Any questions about your students account please contact Jeanne Masteller at 663-7222 jmasteller@erpsk12.org or Judy Sharpe at jsharpe@erpsk12.org

Parent 7th Grade Camp Meeting

Thursday, December 8, 2011 from 6-7pm a representative from Storer Camp will be here presenting all camp information. Students do not need to attend this meeting as they will have a meeting during the day.

7th Grade Guitar Club

Acoustic guitar club is starting Thursday, November 17th from 2:45 to 3:30 for 6 weeks ending in January. You must have an acoustic guitar as electric guitars are not accepted. Bus passes will be available. Please see Mr. Friedrich for a registration form.

Thanksgiving Week Schedule

November 21	7:32 am – 10:48 am
November 22	7:32 am – 10:48 am <i>Pajama day & Student vs. Staff Basketball Game</i>
November 23 thru 25	NO SCHOOL

Boys Basketball



Date	Opponent	8th	7th
15-Nov 4:30	Williamston	HOME	Away
16-Nov 4:30	Holt	Away	Home
21-Nov 4:30	Charlotte	HOME	Away
28-Nov 4:30	Jackson Catholic	HOME	Away
30-Nov 4:30	Okemos	HOME	Away
5-Dec 4:30	Jackson Parkside	Away	Home
7-Dec 4:30	Fowlerville	HOME	Away
12-Dec 4:30	East Lansing	Away	Home
14-Dec 4:30	Mason	HOME	Away

Admission

Admission is charged for all sports. The admission fees are: \$3 adults; \$2 K-12 students; \$7 family, Senior Citizens Free. High School/Middle School 09-10 year pass is 200.00 and may be purchased at the High School Athletic Office, or contact Jeanne Masteller at 663-7222. **High School and League passes are not accepted.**



Box Tops for Education

The Middle School's fall Box Top drive collected **\$777.80** worth of Box Tops. Homeroom/TAG Winners are: Mrs. Orr's 6th grade, Ms. Miles 7th grade and Ms. Levinsohn 8th grade. The class winners will be receiving a treat! We will have another competition in the spring. Awesome job parents, kids, teachers! Thank you for supporting our school, every Box Top counts!

Immunizations

Thank you for working with ERMS on getting your child's immunizations up to date. Please send a copy of current immunizations after they are administered. If you have any questions do not hesitate to phone the office.



Star Reports

Congratulations to the following students for receiving Student Appreciation Reports from their teachers and other staff members: Miguel Martinez, Julian Moore, Lexi Rowe, Jansen Stone and Chandler Zohott.

Book Fair

Thank you for participating in the ERMS book fair. Our library was able to purchase 100 new books for our students to get lost in! There is still time to order on line thru November 18th. Please go <http://onlinebookfairs.scholastic.com/default.aspx?f=2902568> to order.

A huge thank you to Ms. Estes and her 20 student helpers.

Pool Information

We have a "No School" Open swim on Fri Nov 11th and Wed. Nov. 23rd from 1-3 PM

Check out our website at:

<http://www.erpsk12.org/communityeducation/aquaticsprograms/>

Community Thanksgiving Dinner

Thursday, November 24 from 12:00 – 3:00pm St. Peters Catholic Church at 515 E. Knight Street will be hosting a community Thanksgiving dinner. To let them know how many they will serve, please call 663-4735 for reservations.

PTO

Thank you to parents and our PTO for a great Activity Night for our students. Everyone had an enjoyable time. The next PTO meeting is December 6th at 6:30 pm at the MS. Everyone is welcome!

