



WEST ELKTON INTERMEDIATE PRINCIPAL
BOARD OF EDUCATION REPORT
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Special Date of Interest:

- 3RD - STUDENTS RETURN TO SCHOOL
- 8TH - REPORT CARDS HOME
- 8TH - COMMUNITY FORUM 6:00 PM
- 19TH - COUNTY SCIENCE FAIR BEE
- 21ST - MLK (NO SCHOOL)
- 24TH - COUNTY SPELLING BEE
- 29TH - PTO MEETING

PRINCIPAL'S CORNER:

A HUGE THANK YOU TO DR. BISHOP AND THE BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR THE APPROVAL OF OUR SWING SET AT WEST ELKTON INTERMEDIATE. OUR STUDENTS HAVE BEEN EXTREMELY EXCITED SEEING THE PROGRESS AND GETTING TO TRY THEM OUT AFTER THE FIRST OF THE YEAR! BESIDES PHYSICAL BENEFITS, STUDIES HAVE SHOWN HOW SWINGING BENEFITS STUDENT'S COGNITIVELY. THE ROCKING MOTION OF SWINGING HELPS TO STIMULATE THE PART OF THE BRAIN THAT HELPS YOU FOCUS (CEREBRAL CORTEX). STUDIES HAVE SHOWN THAT STUDENTS ARE MORE FOCUSED AND READY FOR LEARNING AFTER RECESS.

I HOPE ALL OF YOU HAD A WELL RESTED BREAK AND ENJOYED THE TIME SPENT WITH YOUR FAMILY. I WANTED TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO THANK ALL OF THE PARENTS, STUDENTS, AND STAFF FOR THEIR THOUGHTFUL GIFTS AND CARDS, IT'S VERY MUCH APPRECIATED.

Student of the Month:





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West Elkton Intermediate would like to announce their Students of the Month for the month of December. Students were nominated due to displaying great character. More precisely, they were nominated for the trait, "Caring." The following students displayed outstanding character by being caring individuals: Shelby Clark, Wyatt Salazar, Cameron Brodbeck, Lainey Hawley, Autumn Ruble, Sallie Montgomery, Cassie Lykins, Jaydian Sullivan, Beth Nemeth, Corbin Collins, Kira House, Kamdyn Sebastian, Emily Shields, Reece Smith, Taylan Horrigan, Easton Moreland, Brody Lynch, and Chance Mowen. Congratulations Students!

Holiday Donation Drive:



The first week of December, the sixth grade students at West Elkton Intermediate hosted a donation drive to help the food pantry for the West Elkton United Methodist Church. Each morning, sixth grade students visited classrooms to collect these donations. As a school, we collected an amazing 750 items!! That is an awesome accomplishment, and shows how caring our students are for those in need. The class collecting the most items was Mr. Christiansen's homeroom with 160, which received a Christmas treat the following week. Thanks to all students and parents for your donations and help this week with the Holiday Donation Drive!!

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Geography Bee:



On December 12, 2018, West Elkton Intermediate School held their annual Geography Bee. Students were tested on their knowledge of United States geography, continents, culture, and world geography. To qualify for this test all students were given a preliminary test. The top 10 scorers in each grade were allowed to compete in the school Geography Bee. The winner was Brody Lynch, Emma Fields took 2nd and Lane Lovely placed 3rd. The County Geography Bee will be held February 7, 2019 at National Trail High School at 6:30.

