Administrative Bulletin

Have a great Labor Day Holiday!

1. LOSE IT FOR LIFE PROGRAM

See Attachment #1 for details regarding the 9 month ‘Lose It For Life’ Program.

Eric Manor, ext. 1003

2. THREE RIVERS GEM AND MINERAL SHOW

The Three Rivers Gem and Mineral Show will be held at the Allen County Fairgrounds on October 17-19, 2014. For more details see Attachment #2, information for teachers and parents.

Tamyra Kelly, ext. 1050

3. ALS ICE BUCKET CHALLENGE

Dr. Ken Folks has accepted the ALS Ice Bucket Challenge. He will take the challenge 3 times! Win a chance to be the person to dump the ice water on his head! Donate at the following football games see Attachment #3. For every dollar you donate, your name will go in the hat!

Tamyra Kelly, ext. 1050

4. FINAL SUMMER PARADE

The final summer parade for EACS will be Saturday, Sept. 6, the Grabill Days parade. If you’d like to walk with the EACS team, please contact Tamyra Kelly.

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5. FORT WAYNE GIRLS ROCK

The Fort Wayne Girls ROCK organization will sponsor a Back to School Fashion Blast! There will be area professionals who will walk the runway and share their highs and lows of their professional journey to success. They will also give the young ladies an understanding on what
dressing for success means in each of their perspective careers See Attachment #4 to share with girls grades 7 -12.

Tamyra Kelly, ext. 1050

6. THE PRUDENTIAL SPIRIT OF COMMUNITY AWARDS PROGRAM

The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards recognize students in middle and high school (grades 5-12) who have made meaningful contributions to their communities through volunteer service. Please encourage students to complete an application at http://spirit.prudential.com. See Attachment #5 for extensive details.

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What Is Lose It For Life?
For the duration of the school year, each month we will have a specific focus towards lifestyle enhancement and long-term change. Each month we will have ONE focus. Our ultimate goal is to improve our lifestyle step by step in attempt to remove the overwhelming feeling of completely reconstructing our lives. The focus is on taking steps towards positive habits that result in weight loss and better health. Eric Manor, EACS Wellness Coach will provide you with support, accountability, resources and education along the way.

Please note that this program is NOT focused on telling you what to eat and how to exercise. Instead this program is dedicated to you making a true and lasting change by teaching you a set of new habits that will enable you to look and feel your best.

What to Expect?
You will receive a lifestyle enhancement email on the 2\textsuperscript{nd} and 4\textsuperscript{th} Monday of each month during the school year. The first email will be sent on Monday, September 8\textsuperscript{th}.

All participants will also have the option to attend monthly meetings. Regardless if you are able to attend the meetings, you are encouraged to keep Eric up-to-date with how you are doing, questions you have, challenges you are facing and your current weight (optional) each month.

Meetings
When: Meetings will be held on the 2\textsuperscript{nd} & 4\textsuperscript{th} Mondays of each month throughout the school year – 1\textsuperscript{st} meeting on Monday, September 8\textsuperscript{th}
Time: 4:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Location: Park Hill Room 220

How do I participate?
Send an email titled: “LOSE IT FOR LIFE SIGNUP” to your Wellness Coach, emanor@eacs.k12.in.us by Friday, September 5\textsuperscript{th}.

“Motivation is what gets you started. Habit is what keeps you going.”
- Jim Ryun
GEM AND MINERAL SHOW
-------------Allen County Fairgrounds-------------
October 17, 18 & 19, 2014

Teachers, please encourage your students & parents to take advantage of a wonderful educational opportunity to learn more about geology, rocks, minerals, fossils, and Indian artifacts. On October 17, 18 & 19, there will be a gem, mineral, jewelry, fossil and lapidary show and sale at the Allen County Fairgrounds, 2726 Carroll Road. Admission is adults $5.00, seniors $3.00, high school students $1.00, and children under 12 free when accompanied by an adult. Each child will receive a free rock from the "Dino Wheel" area at the show if they present the coupon below anytime AFTER 5 p.m. on Friday when they attend with a parent. Some schools may choose to put this coupon in the school newsletter. Optionally, you may contact Michele Yamanaka (427-2196 (work)) and request coupons for your class.

In addition to vendors selling rocks, fossils, jewelry and gems, there are kids’ games, working displays, the fluorescent mineral room, special speakers (Sat) and on-site mineral identification (Sat-Sun). Door prizes are awarded hourly after 5 pm. Friday. There will be special displays which fit our theme of INDIANA FOSSILS-Life Before the Dinosaurs. There will also be gemstone panning (fee) on site (weather permitting) on Saturday. This can be a great "family" field trip!

THREE RIVERS GEM & MINERAL SOCIETY
presents its 53rd Annual Show at the
ALLEN COUNTY Fairgrounds (2726 Carroll Rd)

INDIANA FOSSILS-Life Before the Dinosaurs

Friday, October 17 - 10:00 am - 7:00 pm
Saturday, October 18 - 10:00 am - 6:00 pm
Sunday, October 19 - 11:00 am - 5:00 pm

Adults $5 / Seniors $3  High School Students - $1.00,
When accompanied by an adult, children under 12 free.

EACS
This coupon is good for one free rock (kids only) from the "Dino Wheel"
-starting AFTER 5 p.m. Friday until Sunday 5 p.m.
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HE’S TAKING IT... 3 TIMES!

~During half time at the upcoming football games~

Friday, August 29 New Haven vs. Lakeland

Friday, Sept. 5 Woodlan vs. Heritage

Friday, Sept. 19 Leo vs. South Adams

Donate to support the cause and win a chance to dump the bucket of ice water on the Superintendent!

For every dollar you donate, will be a chance for you to win!
FORT WAYNE GIRLS ROCK PRESENTS..
BACK TO SCHOOL
“FASHION BLAST”

This event will be about Fashion of education and careers. We have area professionals who will walk the runway and share their highs and lows on their journey to success. They will also give the young ladies an understanding on what dressing for success means in each of their perspective careers. This event will not only teach them about looking and staying healthy, it will also encourage them to be role models and ambassadors in their school and around the community. We plan

Register by email at Fort Wayne Girls Rock email address: FWGIRLSROCK@GMAIL.COM deadline for registration is Thursday September 4, 2014.
THE PRUDENTIAL SPIRIT OF COMMUNITY AWARDS PROGRAM

Since 1995, recognizing young people for outstanding volunteer service

WHAT ARE THE PRUDENTIAL SPIRIT OF COMMUNITY AWARDS?
The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards were created in 1995 to recognize students in middle and high school grades who have made meaningful contributions to their communities through volunteer service. These prestigious awards, sponsored by Prudential Financial in partnership with the National Association of Secondary School Principals (NASSP), are presented annually on the local, state and national level.

HOW DOES THE PROGRAM WORK?
1. Young volunteers in grades 5-12 complete applications online at http://spirit.prudential.com or www.nassp.org/spirit by November 4, 2014, and then submit them to their school principals or to the head of one of these officially designated local organizations: a Girl Scout council, county 4-H organization, American Red Cross chapter, YMCA, or affiliate of HandsOn Network. Applicants and their parents also must complete the application form's signature page.

2. Each participating school or organization reviews the applications of its students and selects one middle level Local Honoree for every 1,000 students in grades 5-8, and/or one high school Local Honoree for every 1,000 students in grades 9-12.

3. Principals or organization heads certify applications of their selected Local Honoree(s) online by November 11, 2014.

4. The top middle level and high school youth volunteer in each state and the District of Columbia are named State Honorees in February, and two to 10 runners-up in each state are named Distinguished Finalists.

5. Ten of the State Honorees are named America's top 10 youth volunteers of the year by a distinguished national selection committee at a special ceremony in Washington, D.C., in May.
WHAT DO HONOREES RECEIVE?
- Local Honorees receive Certificates of Achievement from their schools or organizations. Those who qualify also receive the President's Volunteer Service Award.
- State Honorees receive $1,000, engraved silver medallions, and an all-expense-paid trip with a parent or guardian to Washington, D.C., in May for several days of recognition events, including award ceremonies, sightseeing tours and Congressional visits on Capitol Hill.
- Distinguished Finalists (runners-up at the state level) receive engraved bronze medallions.
- Other top applicants at the state level receive Certificates of Excellence.
- National Honorees receive additional $5,000 awards, engraved gold medallions, and crystal trophies for their schools or organizations. They also receive $5,000 grants from The Prudential Foundation for nonprofit charitable organizations of their choice.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?
Any student who:
- is in grades 5-12 as of November 4, 2014, and is a legal resident of one of the 50 states of the United States or the District of Columbia
- has engaged in a volunteer activity that occurred at least in part after September 1, 2013
- completes an application and submits it to a school principal or the head of an officially designated local organization by November 4, 2014.

WATCH FOR THESE DATES:
September 2014
Online application form is available at http://spirit.prudential.com and www.nassp.org/spirit. Program information is mailed to all middle level and high schools and to officially designated local organizations (see below).

November 4, 2014
Deadline for students to complete applications online, submit applications to a school principal or the head of an officially designated local organization, and send in signed signature page.

November 5-11, 2014
Participating schools and organizations review applications and select Local Honorees, then nominate them for state-level judging by certifying their applications online.

February 10, 2015
 Judges name the top middle level and high school youth volunteer in every state and the District of Columbia as State Honorees.

May 2-5, 2015
102 State Honorees attend national recognition events in Washington, D.C., where America’s top 10 youth volunteers of the year are announced.

Applicants must submit completed applications to one of the following:
- A middle level or high school
- A Girl Scout council
- A county 4-H organization
- An American Red Cross chapter
- A YMCA
- An affiliate of HandsOn Network

The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards Program is widely supported!
The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards program is sponsored by Prudential Financial in partnership with the National Association of Secondary School Principals. The program is supported by the National 4-H Council, Girl Scouts of the USA, American Red Cross, HandsOn Network (generated by the Points of Light Institute), YMCA of the USA, the America’s Promise Alliance, United National Indian Tribal Youth, the American Association of School Administrators, the Council of the Great City Schools, the Association for Middle Level Education, the National Association for Music Education, the National School Boards Association, the National School Public Relations Association, the National Parent Teacher Association, and other national organizations.

FOR MORE INFORMATION
877-525-8491, spirit@nassp.org