



FLOYDS KNOBS ELEMENTARY
COUGAR
 FOR KIDS EVERYDAY

Weekly

Congratulations

Congratulations to our FKE students, families and staff. Once again Floyds Knobs Elementary School has achieved 4 Star Status. To be a 4 Star school you must be in the top 25% in the state in attendance and ISTEP scores. As we prepare for our Spring ISTEP, remember that it takes all students working hard and attending school everyday. Thanks for all you do. **FKE-For Kids Everyday**

HYR Baseball & Softball Sign-ups

Sign-ups for the Highlander Youth Recreation Little League will be held at the Optimist Park on State Hwy 64 in Georgetown, IN. on:

Saturday January 23 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Sunday January 24 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Saturday January 30 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Sunday January 31 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Or on line at www.hyrball.com.

All children ages 4 -16 are eligible to participate. Their charter includes the entire Floyd Central School District and may include part of Harrison County. If there are any questions that cannot be answered at Sign-Ups, you may contact Rick Emerson, League President at 951-2569.

Snow Make Up Days Announced

Due to the bad weather that forced school to be out, The New Albany/Floyd County School System has announced that March 29th and March 30th will now be regular school days.

Science Fair

Did your child bring home his or her Science Fair Packet? This is a great activity that brings many new aspects to your child's learning environment. This activity is available to all grades, Kindergarten through 5th. Join the Science Fair fun!

Chick-Fil-A Spirit Night

Congratulations to Ms. Masterson's 2nd grade! They were the winners of the Chick-Fil-A Spirit Night for December. The class will receive a tray of Chick-Fil-A goodies, and the PTO will receive a portion of the sales. Thank you to all of the parents that helped support FKE by their participation. Thank you to the owners of the New Albany Chick-Fil-A, Daron & Christy Stockton for your support.

DATES TO REMEMBER

January 18th

No school / Martin Luther King Jr. Day

January 19th

No School / Professional In-Service Day

January 20th

- 8:00-8:30 Student Council Meeting-All Members
- 3:30-4:30 (Thomas) Girl Scout Troop—Blue Rock Grill
- 3:30-5:00 PL221 Team Meeting—Media Center
- 4:15 Basketball Game—Silver Street @ FKE-Girls Play First
- Dance Team to Perform

January 21st

- 8:00-8:30 Jump Rope Team "B" Practice
- 3:30-5:00 Dance Team Practice
- 3:30-5:00 Brownie Troop #1540 Meeting—Blue Rock Grill
- 3:30-5:00 Destination Imagination—White Team—PTO Room
- 4:15 Basketball Game—FKE @ Galena—Girls Play First

January 22nd

- Student Recognition of K-2 @ AM Activities
- 10:30 Fire Drill
- 2:00 Spelling Bee Finals—Amphitheater
- 3:30-5:00 Basketball Practice—Boys & Girls
- 3:30-5:00 Destination Imagination—Blue Team—Student Council Room

BREAKFAST <u>Monday</u> <i>No School</i> <i>Martin Luther King Day</i>	<u>Tuesday</u> <i>No School</i> <i>Teacher In-Service</i>	Wednesday Asst. Cereal & Cinnamon Grams or Sausage Biscuit Sandwich Juice or Fruit	Thursday Asst. Cereal & Muffin or Fruit Turnover Juice or Fruit	Friday Asst. Cereal & Bear Grahams or Cheese Omelet Juice or Fruit
		Main: French Bread Pizza Blue: Sloppy Scoops Gold: Broccoli & Cheese Potato Mixed Vegetables or Baby Carrots Seasonal Fruit or Pear Slices	Main: Fried Chicken & Roll Blue: Uncrustable Gold: Chef Salad & Roll Mashed Potatoes or Green Beans Banana or Mixed Fruit Cup	Main: Mini Sliders Blue: Grilled Cheese Gold: Taco Stuffed Potato Tomato Soup or Tater Tots Juice or Apple Slices Assorted Snack

Yearbook Pictures

If your child did not have their school pictures taken by Lifetouch Studio, Nicole Combs will be at FKE on Thursday, January 21st to take their picture so that your child will be included in the FKE Yearbook.

Congratulations to the Challenge Team

FKE's Challenge Team won their competition against Galena on Wednesday, January 13th. The competition will be telecast on cable channel 25 on January 16th, 19th, 21st at 4:30. Tune in and watch Madison Woosley, Inaara Ladha, Mason Moberly, and Cameron Graves win 32 to 28. Great Job Team!

Geography Bee Finals @ FKE

The Geography Bee was held at FKE on January 11th. The finalists were, Maria Cora, Liam Flanigan, Cameron Graves, Kier Longest, Kennedy Belden, Bryce Dykes, Moriah Striegel, Taylor Barksdale-Van Hoff, Zach Rowe, Sam Owings, Reed Plunkett. Our winner was Reed Plunkett and runner up was Sam Owings. They will continue on to the National Geography Bee. Good Luck Guys!

Free Books for Young Children!

NAFC Schools is continuing its partnership with Imagination Library that brings free books into the homes of all children birth to five who live in our county. Participating children will receive a free book delivered to their home each month. To register, parents can pick up a form in the school office, complete it and return it to the address listed or register online at imaginationlibrary.com. Our thanks to Horseshoe Foundation for making this program possible for the children of our community!

Ala-A-Carte in the Blue Rock Grill

Ala-a-carte is again available to students during their lunch time. The expectations for each student is that they must first eat 2 items (not including dessert items) before they are allowed to buy ala-a carte items. Please discuss *your* expectations with your child.

Caught Reading

The "Caught Reading" Raffle is held in the FKE Library. When your child is "caught" voluntarily reading a book, their name is put into the raffle box. The winner of the last nine weeks was Jarrett Jacobi. Congratulations Jarrett.

Domino's "Dough Raising Night"

Domino's Pizza "Dough Raising Night" for January will be held on Wednesday the 20th. Have Domino's for supper and help support FKE!

Mrs. Murphy's "Grow What You Know" Tips For Home!

What Kind Of Student Are You?

To find out what kind of student you are, answer these questions. Write yes, no or sometimes to the following questions:

- I complete all of my homework.
- I come to school prepared. I use my time wisely.
- I ask and answer questions in class.
- I pay attention in class.
- I understand what I read.
- I am good at taking tests.
- I am happy with my grades.

Give yourself 2 points for each yes, 1 point for each sometimes answer, and 0 for each no. Add up your points. What is your score? The higher your score the better student you can be. Whatever your score, we will give you tips for the next few weeks to help you be a better student.

UPCOMING

January 25th

- Basketball Practice
- Ski Trip #4 Money Due
- Destination Imagination-Blue
- Destination Imagination—White
- Jump Rope Team "B" Performance @ FCHS
- School Board Meeting



January 26th

- Drama Club Practice
- Jump Rope Team "B" Pictures
- Dance Team Practice
- Basketball Practice



January 27th

- Basketball Practice
- Ski Trip #4
- Chick-Fil-A Spirit Night



January 28th

- Dance Team Practice
- Basketball Game—FKE @ Grant Line
- Market Day Pick Up
- Chick-Fil-A Spirit Night



January 29th

- *Beach Day-Bring Your Beach Towels!*
- Basketball Practice
- Student Recognition @ AM Activities

"Grow What You Know!"

Floyds Knobs Elementary School Improvement Goals

- To improve language arts skills so that 92% of FKE students consistently score above standard in language arts on the ISTEP test.
- To improve math skills so that 92% of FKE students consistently score above standard in mathematics on the ISTEP test
- To increase the level of respect displayed by students.



FKE CONTACT INFORMATION

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