11/3/19

Good afternoon Sterchi families!  I hope that everyone has had a nice weekend and that you remembered to set your clocks back one hour last night.  Congratulations to our TN Volunteers on another great win!

As we enter the month of November and this season of Thanksgiving, we want all of our Sterchi students and families to know how thankful we are for each of you.  We are thankful for the opportunity that we have each day to work with and serve our students and their families.

We had a lot of fun celebrating Book Character Day this past Thursday.  We have some very creative students and teachers!

Because of the weather, we had to reschedule the PTA movie night that was planned for this past Friday.  Another date will be scheduled in the spring when the weather warms back up.

There is no school for students this Tuesday, November 5, due to a teacher in-service day and local city elections.

The make-up day for those who missed their school pictures in September is this Thursday, November 7.

This Thursday, November 7, is also Sterchi Spirit Night at Skatetown.  Bring the family and come skate from 6:00 to 8:00pm.  All students who are participating need to be accompanied by a parent or guardian.  Please do not drop students off to skate unsupervised.

We are having our annual program to honor our veterans on Monday, November 11. Please extend this invitation to any parents, grandparents, friends, and neighbors in our Sterchi community who are currently serving in our military or are veterans.  Also, if you would like for us to mail an invitation to someone, please send the name and complete address to the office by Wednesday.

Information will be coming home with students this week about our annual Friends and Family Thanksgiving lunch on Thursday, November 21.  To help the cafeteria plan to have enough food, please return the reservation form by November 12.  Don’t send money for your lunch at this time.  You can pay for your lunch on November 21.

We want to give a shout out to 1st grade for having the top attendance for this past week with 95.9%.  Our school-wide attendance for the week was 93.8%. The top three classrooms for attendance this past week were:

            1. Mr. Loveday – 98.8%

            2. Mrs. Treece – 98%

            3. Ms. Sanders – 96.6%

Our Sterchi-ism for November is to be COOPERATIVE.  *If you want to go fast, go alone.  If you want to go far, go together.*

Remember, “with great power, comes great responsibility,” and most importantly, “in a world where you can be anything, **BE KIND**.”

Have a great week!

~Lynn White

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR!**

November 4                        PTA board meeting @3:00

November 5                        In-service Day, No school for students

November 7                       Make-up day for school pictures (individual portraits)

November 11                      Veterans Day Program at 9:00am

November 20                      Flu mist for students

November 21                      Friends & Family Thanksgiving Lunch

November 22                      Jump for Sterchi

November 27-29                Thanksgiving holidays

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