9/15/19

Good afternoon Sterchi families!  I hope that you have had a great weekend. Congratulations to our Central Bobcats and our Tennessee Vols on their victories!

THANK YOU to the grandparents, heroes, parents, and other special friends who came to enjoy lunch with our students on Wednesday!  THANK YOU to our PTA volunteers and awesome assistants for setting up, cleaning up, and keeping things running smoothly.  THANK YOU to our cafeteria staff for preparing lunch for over 600 students and guests!

Our 1st, 2nd, and 3rd graders had a fun field trip to the fairgrounds this week.  Our 4th and 5th graders enjoyed their field trip to the food show.

Good luck to our cross country team on their race on Monday at Melton Hill Park.

Attendance at school each day is important.  Congratulations to our 5th graders for having the highest percentage of attendance this past week with 99%! Mrs. Shanton’s 4th grade class and Mrs. Walker’s 5th grade class had 100% attendance this week.

                        Kindergarten            96%

                        1st grade                      97.2%

                        2nd grade                    96.2%

                        3rd grade                    95.5%

                        4th grade                     96.5%

                        5th grade                     99%

                        Sterchi                       98.6%

                        For the year               96.7%

The link is available on our school website for parents to be able to pay your student’s school fees online.  Just follow the directions on the link. We will also be using this link for field trip payments.  You will receive more information when your students bring home field trip information and permission slips throughout the year.

Midterm progress reports came home on Thursday. Be sure to reach out to your child’s teacher if you have any questions.  The 1st 9 weeks grading period will end on Friday, October 4.

It is COUPON BOOK time and we are “shooting for the moon!”  Coupon book sales started Friday and will continue until Monday, September 30.  Our goal this year is to sell 1,500 coupon books, and $9 of each book sold stays at Sterchi for our students and classrooms. THANK YOU for supporting our students!  Every student who has sold 3 books – total – on Monday will enjoy a fun treat.

This Friday we are wearing PURPLE to support Alzheimer’s research.

Our Sterchi-ism for September is to be **RESPECTFUL**.  Treat people the way you want to be treated.  Talk to people the way you want to be talked to.

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!**

September 20           Wear purple for Alzheimers

September 27           School picture day – individual and class

September 30           PTA meeting @ 3:00

October 4                   Class t-shirt day

October 7-11              Fall Break

October 20                60th Anniversary Celebration, 2-4pm

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