

Wrangler Newsletter

6th Grade Black Team



Wilbur Middle School



UPCOMING STUDENT EVENTS

- 7— No School
- 8— No School
- Cross Country—NWS @4
- 9— Fall Yearbook Pictures
- Volleyball Practice begins
- 12—XCountry—KS Col @ 10:30
- 14-17 Scholastic Book Fair
- 15—Early Release—Conferences**
1:45—7:00
- XCountry—Lake Afton @4
- 17—Early Release—Conferences**
1:45—6:30
- XCountry—SE Inv—CAC @3
- 18—Faculty vs Volleyball Team
- 22—XCountry—CAC @3
- 23—Volleyball—Coleman @3:30
- 25—NW Homecoming—@6
- 28—Volleyball—Allison @3

Science—Ms. Engelking—Welcome back to school! We are off to a great start learning about scientific processes. This month we will begin our introduction to chemistry unit. Students will look at atomic structures as well as properties of substances to determine if a chemical reaction has taken place.

Remember to bring your boxtops and visit our class website <http://msescience.weebly.com>

Language Arts—Mrs. McGuire—I am so excited to welcome your students to middle school. Let's just say that I am enjoying them a lot. They are enthusiastic and on task for the most part. I'm looking forward to a great year with your students!

Our first quarter unit is Relationships. My honors class will be reading the novel "Freak the Mighty" which talks about a very important relationship between a not so smart giant boy and a physically handicapped tiny genius. It's very funny, but has a really sad ending.

The rest of my classes will be reading "The Story of My Life" by Helen Keller, where they will discover the relationship and bond between Helen Keller and the woman who taught her how to read, write, speak and function in her silent world.

By the time you get this, we will have completed the first round of AIMSWEB scores, which I will be glad to share with you at conferences.

Social Studies—Mr. Griffin—The month of September is upon us already. In this month we will study the unit over early mankind with an emphasis on settlements and the start of agriculture. We will conclude the month with a detailed unit study of early river civilizations such as Mesopotamia and Sumer. In September we will have our first Daily Oral Geography Sentence (DOGS) test. The students will need to take their folders home prior to test day to study or reinforce the answers they know already. The questions will be in the exact order with the exact answer. They will not be allowed to use their folder on test. Most of our work will be done in class at the beginning of school and eventually they will bring assignments and projects home to complete.

If you have not done so please send glue sticks for my class and only if you can a spare box of tissues for their first hour teacher.

Math—Mrs. Demel—I am so excited to start this year. Thank you in advance to those who have the required materials including a notebook for class and glue sticks. If you have not been able to acquire them please do so as soon as possible and if you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact me. I am always willing to work with any student and parent. You can expect homework daily. Homework will vary depending on the unit and student needs. It may include the completion of an in-class assignment, extra practice, test review assignments, or a special project. Proper use of the agenda will reflect what we have covered in class, and the assigned homework. Assignments are due the next day unless indicated differently in the agenda. Late work will not receive full credit, and will be accepted only through the end of each unit. Each student was checked out a textbook on Aug. 25. Parents and students also have access to the student website where they can get homework help, interactive practice tests and much more. <http://my.hrw.com> Username: Mathematics17 Password: getsmart

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