

November 2012

Career Day at Mt. Washington School

On October 12th all of our 3-8th grade students attended assemblies where they heard from a variety of local professionals about their careers.

Our partner the United way Emerging Leaders planned this event and recruited 8 people to talk in detail about their jobs, including who they work for, the type of work they do and the education they needed to work in their field. Students heard from a lawyer, a research scientist, a venture capitalist, a nurse, a professor of nursing and several marketing professionals.

The students also had a chance to ask a lot of questions and many came away with ideas as to what type of career they would like to pursue when they get older.

We want to thank our partner the United Way Emerging Leaders for hosting Career Day! We hope that it will become an annual event!

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Run with the Knights 5K Run/Walk A Great Time for All!!!

Early on Sunday, October 21st many Mt. Washington School families and supporters left the comfort of their beds to participate in our "Run with the Knights" 5K Race. The racers were led by our mascot the loyal knight.



Our loyal knight rallying his subjects to get ready for the race



Kerry Cassinelli , kindergarten teacher leading the way with some of our students close behind

Since this was an official sanctioned race results are posted on RunningTime.net. Our own Andrea Sponsler 3rd Grade teacher was the overall winner for the women's division! Congratulations Andrea!!!!

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Many thanks to **Mt. Washington Creamy Whip** and **SkyTop Biggs** for providing refreshments for the race and **Mt Washington Savings Bank & Bob Wetterer** for providing gym bags for all the participants.

A very special thanks to our Adopt A Class partners **Procter & Gamble Health & Beauty Division** and **Morgan, Stanley, Smith, Barney** for sponsoring many of our students so they could participate in the race. We look forward to our 2nd Annual "Run with the Knights" in Fall of 2013.

Mt. Washington School Food Drive Starting Soon!

We are pleased to announce that our school will be doing a food drive again this year to benefit the SEM Food Pantry in Mt Washington. The SEM Food Pantry is located on the campus of Mt. Washington Presbyterian church and provides food and financial assistance to area residents. This year's food drive is being run by our student council (sponsored by our after school program) and the students are busy preparing for the food drive by making posters, decorating donation boxes and much more!

Students will be asked to bring in non-perishable food items beginning November 5th until November 16th.



Another Adopter has signed on!

We would like to welcome a new adopter to our school! Macy's Anderson has adopted Mrs. Schmidt's kindergarten class. We are happy to have them on board!

However, we still need a few more adopters. If you know of an organization who would like to be involved in the Adopt a Class program, please have them contact Ilene Hayes 363-3835 or hayesil@cps-k12.org

WE NEED YOU!!!!

Volunteers are needed to tutor students after school and to help in our library!

Call 363-3835 to learn how to get involved!

Calendar of Events

PTO Meeting

Tuesday, November 13th

6:00pm

Community Room- Mt. Washington School

Everyone is welcome!

6th Grade Musical

Thursday, November 15th

7pm

Gymnasium-Mt Washington School

Join us for Dig It! A Tale of Ancient Civilizations" by John Jacobson and Roger Emerson, under the direction of Cynthia Lawrence.

Join Us for Dig It! A Tale of Ancient Civilizations

Travel back in time and join inquisitive archeologists, Taki and Tut, and their fossil friend, Lucy, as they explore the wonders of ancient civilization. From the farm laborers of early Mesopotamia and Egyptian mummies, to a chorus of ancient Greeks and Remus and Romulus who dream of building a great city, Mt. Washington's students discover the archeological mysteries of the past through an exciting musical journey of song and dance.

Please join the 6th grade classes of Mrs. Couch and Ms. Barnes on Thursday, November 15 at 7:00 p.m. in the Mt. Washington School gymnasium as they present "Dig It! A Tale of Ancient Civilizations" by John Jacobson and Roger Emerson, under the direction of Cynthia Lawrence.

You will truly "dig" our show!

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