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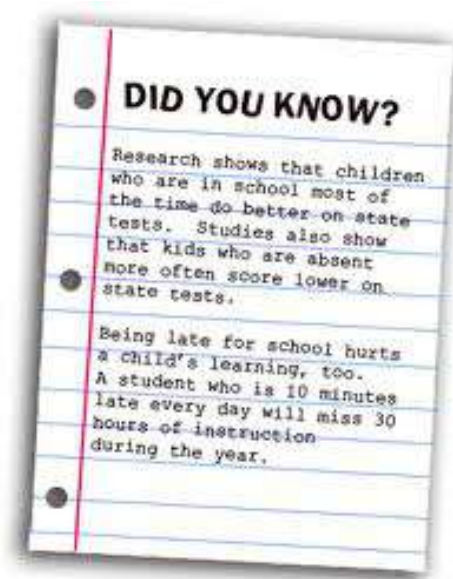
We Pledge at Greenville (South) MS to take a stand against Bullying, value others and make a difference every day! We are educating the students on resolving conflicts to assist in reducing harassment type behaviors.

We are positive about Good Behavior!

See the New BUG award logo! Look for the red BUG t-shirt on MS students who have earned BUG awards and been recognized! Students are recognized for meeting our WAVE expectations with an I've Been Unusually Good certificate. The students are immediately recognized with a prize and entered in a drawing for a weekly t-shirt. Our WAVE Expectations; We are respectful, Always responsible, Very kind and Excited and ready to learn!!

Attendance

Please call the office at 548-3525 and let Kathy know if your child will be absent. We recognized 20 students for perfect attendance during count week in October. Attendance is such an important piece for success.



Mark your calendar

Nov 6-7	6-7:30pm	Waveaire camp
Nov 9	10-12/7pm	Waveaire camp/Performance
Nov 11-15	all day	Book Fair
Nov 12, 19, 21	4-7pm	Parent Teacher conferences
Nov 14	7pm	GCS Board meeting
Nov 19	6pm	PTA meeting in room 108
Nov 25	8:30am	Spelling Bee at Memorial Hall
Nov 27-29	all day	Thanksgiving Break
Dec 2	7pm	MS Band Concert

GGG

Greenville Goal Getters are wrapping up their Fall session over the next couple of weeks. The students are developing sound habits of exercise, recreation as well as physical fitness goal setting. The students will enjoy activities at the Middle School, Junior High, YMCA and Chenoweth Trails. Danesa Borgerding is once again providing leadership for this valuable opportunity for students. Mrs. Dawn Nicholas, Mrs. Kelly Tanner, Mr Chris Mortensen and Mrs Nicole Hawk are also helping as adult supervisors. We appreciate their continued efforts to encourage healthy habits for our students.

PTA News

South middle PTA is working to assist in providing a great education experience for the MS level students of Greenville. Please contact Shawna for a membership form and to turn in your \$5 membership fee. PTA meetings are held the 3rd Tues every month at South School and we welcome all to attend. Our next meeting is Nov 19th at 6 pm in room 108 at South.

This year we have partnered with Marco's Pizza to have a pizza day once a month to generate funds for the PTA. Our day of fundraising falls on the first Thurs of every month. So make sure when you call in to order your pizza you let them know it's to support South Middle School PTA. We have made over \$80 during our first month of this fundraiser and Mrs. Hottle's class earned a pizza party for the jump start incentive as the class with the most orders!

The officers for the 2013-2014 year are President-Shawna Leigeber, Vice President- Julie Strait, Secretary- Melissa Bruney, Treasurer-Susan Gettinger, Fundraising Rep-Stacey Galloway, Parent Rep-Juanita Maloon, and Council Rep- Misty Werling.

Thank you for your continued support and we look forward to working with all of you through the school year.

Madam President, Shawna Leigeber

Principal's Ponderings By Mrs. Schaar

As our first grading period draws to an end it is the perfect time to reflect on all that has been accomplished this year for and by our students. Our new staff members have made their mark in being student focused and making their classes places of learning. Thanks and recognition to our new 5/6 grade interventionists Mr. Weimer, Mrs. Miller and Miss Bigelow, as well as Mr. Holzapfel, our new physical education teacher, and Mrs. Edwards, our new 6th grade science teacher. Our WAVE Leader and Greenville Goal Getter groups are gaining a reputation as dedicated and valuable components to our school community. The best and most devoted group of teachers in the county continues to work tirelessly to provide a quality education for our students. Most of all, credit is given to the students and families of Greenville Middle School for accepting the challenge of becoming the best they can be. I continue to be grateful for the opportunity to share your children with you! Don't hesitate to call or email with questions, concerns or a chance to brag! 548-3525; rschaar@greenville.k12.oh.us
Thanks for your support!