

Muskegon Middle School

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*Paul Kurdziel, Principal Marie Williams, Assistant Principal Angela Johnson, Interim Assistant Principal***Chapter 6-Our MMS 6th Grade Monthly Newsletter****February, 2020****Welcome to our monthly Muskegon Middle School 6th Grade Newsletter, Chapter 6!****Big Red Celebration- January Jammie Jam**

Big Reds-B-Believe, I-In, G-Greatness, R-Respect, E-Excellent, D-Dependable, S-Safe
On Friday, January 31, 2020, about 70-6th grade scholars had a wonderful time with our Jammies during our January Jammie Jam Big Red Celebration!



We enjoyed pizza, treats and dancing!

Our next celebration will be Friday, February 28, 2020 during 6th hour. The theme will be February Fun Day! Our Big Reds can wear red and white or Big Red gear while playing games and having treats! Each scholar will need 20 Big Red tickets to attend during their 6th hour class.

**Big Reds All-Star Awards**

Hooray to our 6th grade academic and behavior January Big Reds All-Star scholars. Academic Awards-Aniya Sims-Elliott, Conner Rottman, TaCarri Rule, Treyvion Johnson, Caleb Beasley, Dere'On Brown, Alvaro Castellanos, Addison Martin- Behavior Awards- Janasha Pritchett, Gabriela Figueroa, Braylon Moore, Imani Johnson, Camiyah Bonner, Heavin Stedmen-Nolan, Kamiyah Jackson, Kayden Morris. They were nominated by our awesome 6th grade teachers for academic growth and outstanding behavior during the month of January. During our January Assembly held Tuesday, Feb. 4, 2020 at 1:15, our 16 scholars received a certificate, coupon for a free meal at Applebee's and an item from our school store.

Our February Big Reds All-Star Awards assembly will be held Tues., March 3, 2020 at 1:15.

**Congratulations to our 6th grade 2nd Marking Period Honor Roll Big Reds!**

All A's- Laria Beasley, Dere'On Brown and Mariah Sain. A/B's-Gordon Acord, Jessalynn Atherton, Ja'Nya Banks, Camiyah Bonner, Daniel Botello-Mendez, Capitola Bozik, Gabriela Figueroa, De'Travion Frederick, Makai Harmon, Arianna Head-Sorenson, Andrew Holt, Joseph Keck-Hazelwood, Justelle Messenger, Demetrius Murdaugh, Jennifer Price, Lillyahna Reed, Carmine Rosario, Isabella Tinoco, Aliya Walker, Jakira Walker, John Zachery. Well Done, Big Reds!!

True Success

True Success is a program that helps students deal with issues by using different life skills. Each month there is a different focus. Throughout this month, we will be investigating and learning about **Courage**. Each week, we will focus on a different aspect of **Courage**. Ask your child about their weekly lessons about courage.

Pennies for Pasta

This year we will be participating in the Pennies for Patients, a service-learning program that helps raise critical funds for The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, the world's largest nonprofit fighting blood cancer. Our penny drive will begin February 3-21, 2020. Money(coins or bills) is collected during the first hour of class. Our school goal is to raise \$750.00. The class that raises the most money will receive a pasta dinner from Olive Garden and an ice cream social. Please help us help LLS move closer to finding a cure for Leukemia & Lymphoma.

A Look Ahead

Thurs., Feb. 13, 2020- Valentine's Day Dance- 5:30-7:00-\$1.00 with no school referrals, Walking Tacos-\$1.50, Pop-\$.50

Mid-Winter Break- Fri., Feb. 14-Mon., Feb. 17, 2020

Big Reds PBIS Celebration- February Fun Day- Fri., Feb. 28, 2020- 6th hour

Big Reds All-Star Awards Assembly- Tues., March 3, 2020 at 1:15 MMS Auditorium

February 2020- True Success focus is Courage

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | | | | | 1 6th grade Boys Basketball game MMS- |
| 2 | 3 Pennies for Pasta begins | 4 Late Start 9:00am start Wrestling Match MMS Gym-4:00 | 5 | 6 Wrestling Match against-G.H.Lakeshore MMS Gym-4:00 | 7 | 8 6th grade Boys Basketball game MMS Gym-9:00 Team1 vs. Team2 |
| 9 | 10 | 11 Late Start 9:00am start Wrestling Match Zeeland Cityside-4:00 | 12 | 13 Valentine's Day Dance MMS Cafeteria 5:30-7:00 Wrestling Match against -Fruitport MMS Gym-4:00 | 14 No School Mid-Winter Break | 15 No School Mid-Winter Break |
| 16 No School Mid-Winter Break | 17 No School Mid-Winter Break | 18 Late Start 9:00am start Wrestling Match Hamilton Middle-4:00 | 19 | 20 Wrestling Match against Reeths Puffer MMS Gym-4:00 | 21 Pennies for Pasta ends | 22 6th grade Boys Basketball game MMS Gym Team 2 vs. Hts.-9:00 Team 1 vs. Three Oaks-10:00 |
| 23 | 24 | 25 Late Start 9:00am start | 26 | 27 Wrestling Match Holland West-4:00 | 28 Big Red Celebration- Fun Day-Wear Red and White | 29 6th grade Boys Basketball game MMS-Playoffs |



Parent Tip

Ask your child what was the best part of their day! Ask your child how they have used our monthly True Success topic throughout their day!

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