

# THE EAGLE FLIER

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Preparing successful and responsible citizens who are life-long learners.

#### **UPCOMING DATES**

✓ Jan. 10~Popcorn Day-Silly Slippers or Socks ✓ Jan. 10~Mid-Terms Home with Gr. 1 to 5 ✓ Jan. 17~5<sup>th</sup> Grade Spelling Bee 2:15 p.m. ✓ Jan. 01 ~M.L. King Jr. Day – No school ✓ Jan. 24~3<sup>rd</sup> Grade to the Circus

#### **COLD WEATHER REMINDER**

Just a reminder that all Woodview students will go outside for recess when the wind chill

is above ten degrees. Please be sure to dress your child appropriately. Only children with snow pants, boots and gloves will be allowed to play in the snow.



Without these items, they will be restricted to the blacktop area.

Students who must remain inside for health reasons must have a note from their parent or guardian. A note is required for each day, not a "blanket note." After three (3) days, a note from the doctor is required. Usually, if a child is too sick to go outside for recess, he/she is too sick to be in school.

#### **BUS DRIVERS NEEDED**

Curious about school bus driving? We offer a great schedule with excellent pay. The transportation office is currently training school bus drivers. Set up an informational appointment with Amy Rosa at arosa@wanee.org.

### January 2020

#### **BOX TOP CONTEST WINNERS!**



Congratulations to the Fourth Graders for winning our December box top contest. They celebrated with an ice cream party. The school

collected 5,730 box tops which raised \$507.30 for our school. Continue to save your box tops. We will have another competition in the Spring.

#### NEWS FROM THE NURSE

We would like to remind parents of the Center for Disease Control recommendations to keep



- you and your family healthy.
  - 1 Practice good hand hygiene by washing your hands often with soap and water especially after coughing or sneezing. Alcohol

based hand cleaners are also effective.

- 2 Cover your mouth with a tissue when you cough or sneeze. If you don't have a tissue, cough or sneeze into your elbow or shoulder, not into your hands.
- 3 Stay home when you are sick and for at least 24 hours after there is no fever without the use of fever-reducing medicine.
- 4 Get your family vaccinated for the seasonal flu.

## HOLIDAY FOOD DRIVE

We thank everyone who contributed food and

other items for families in our community who are less fortunate.

Congratulations to Jayce

Weingart in Mrs. Brown's



class for winning the stuffed hippo in our Food Drive Raffle.

## ATTENDANCE POLICY



In order to have an excused absence, a parent or guardian must call the school to report the absence. After ten free

excused absences, all absences are marked unexcused unless we have a doctor note, court note, or funeral card. Everything else is unexcused.

A Notice of Planned Absence form must be completed and returned to the school office two weeks prior to any extended leave or vacation.

## EAGLEBOTS UPDATE

Both Eaglebots teams competed recently at Franklin Elementary in Logansport against 31 teams. Eaglebots Blue and Eaglebots Red went into the Finals ranked 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> again,

pairing up to score an insane 106 (the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest elementary score currently in Indiana), securing the Teamwork Championship for



the Teamwork Championship for both teams. Blue also won the Excellence Award, for top overall team there (which takes into account their interview, their engineering notebook, their ranking, and their Skills score). They were also the top Skills team, which is comprised of solo driving and coding.

These great accomplishments have ranked Eaglebots Blue 3<sup>rd</sup> in all of Indiana, out of 1,100 teams. Eaglebots Red is right behind them, ranked 5<sup>th</sup> in the State. Speaking of data, the Eaglebots have finished 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> in 10 (!!!!) straight competitions dating back to the 2016-2017 season.

## WEATHER RELATED SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

You can get text alerts to your cell phone if school is delayed or cancelled. Simply go to the SKYWARD tab at

<u>www.wanee.org</u>. Enter your username and password for



Family Access. On the left hand side choose "Skylert". Verify, add, and choose options for phone numbers and email addresses.

Tune into the following Media Outlets

TV – Channel 16-WNDU and Channel 22 (WSBT); Radio – 1480 AM, 94.3 FM, 101.5 FM, 103.5 FM, 104.7 FM.

School Corporation Web site When there is a delay or closure, there will

When there is a delay or closure, there will also be a bright red message scrolling at the top of our webpage <u>www.wanee.org</u>.

# ST. JUDE MATH-A-THON

Our 13<sup>th</sup> annual Math-A-Thon fundraiser will be kicking off in January. We hope everyone is excited to help raise money for this one-of-a-kind hospital that never turns away a sick child – even if his or her parents cannot pay.

Woodview students have the biggest hearts when it comes to doing for others. We know their parents are a huge part of supporting this effort and we thank you for your participation.



Please encourage your children to get sponsors and complete their Math Funbook. Anyone raising any amount of money receives a certificate of appreciation and students

raising \$50.00 or more earn a St. Jude t-shirt. There are other great prizes when students raise larger amounts of money but the biggest reward is knowing that we have helped pay the cost to save a precious child's life. If you have internet access please take a moment to visit the <u>www.stjude.org</u> website and learn more about this awesome place we are supporting and the awesome kids who are counting on us to help make them better.