



McGuffey School Counseling News - May 2023

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Memorial Day

Monday, May 29th, 2023

Memorial Day (originally known as Decoration Day) is a federal holiday in the United States for mourning the U.S. military personnel who have died while serving in the United States armed forces. It is observed on the last Monday of May.

Visit the site below to Learn about Memorial Day, how it differs from Veterans Day, why the red poppy is a traditional symbol, and much more!

<https://askatechteacher.com/memorial-day-websites-2>

PK-4 News with Mrs. Redmond

In April, students studied diversity in all areas of their lives. Practicing celebrating our differences through drawing, they explored how differences could be shown in new ways.

In May, we will be discussing making a difference in our community. Discuss with your child ideas that can make our community an even better place to live.

For inspiration on making our community a better place, visit The 'Now This Kids' video at the address below:

<https://youtu.be/O3Nn3Pxqk1c>

5-8 News with Mr. Middleton

8th graders will soon be attending Warren G. Harding High School! They have scheduled their 9th grade classes and visited the high school on April 28th. There is also a Class of 2027 Student and Family Information Night at WGH on Wednesday, May 3rd, from 6:00pm-7:30pm. Incoming freshmen and their families will be able to tour the high school, learn about athletic and extra-curricular activities, and meet some staff members. Come and see the GREAT OPPORTUNITIES available to our students!

Grade 6-8 are completing their Second Step (SEL) curriculum this month. The 4th and final unit concentrates on helping students manage relationships and social conflict. McGuffey students are acquiring and applying the knowledge, skills, and attitudes to be successful.

5th graders are preparing to make the big move to 6th grade! This month the focus will be on the transition from 5th to 6th grade. We will be emphasizing the expectations of middle school as well as how to be a successful 6th grade student.

As the 2022-2023 school year nears its end, I want to note that I have seen many students grow as individuals, meeting challenges that have come their way and not giving up! They have exhibited a growth mindset and have built resilience as a result. Please remember the importance of not giving up and finishing the year strongly, as this is the recipe for success!



WARREN-TRUMBULL COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Check out what's happening at the Warren Library!

Murder Mystery Party

May 3, 2023

6:00 pm-7:00 pm

Teen Program Warren Library

A murder has been committed in Teen Central! Can we track down the killer before they strike again?

For teens in grades 7-12. Free.

Tween Tech Night

May 4, 2023

6:00 pm-7:30 pm

Children's Program Warren Library

Get your hands on circuit boards and alligator clips to learn closed-loop circuitry, explore intuitive block coding and programming to think critically and solve complex problems, and dabble in the world of robotics. Tween Tech Night is jam-packed with tech skills, tips, tricks, and tutorials.

For ages 9 to 12. Free.

Read to "Some Bunny"

May 1, 2023

7:30 pm

Children's Program Warren Library

Cute, cuddly and non-intimidating bunnies are perfect listeners!

Children in grades K to 6 can sign up to read aloud to registered and certified Bunnies in Baskets (therapy rabbits) for 15-minute sessions. Rabbits are provided by F5RS (Frisky Ferrets, Fuzzies and Feather Friends Rescue and Sanctuary).

Registration is required.

Call: (330) 399-8807. Free.

MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE WORLD!

ATTENTION PARENTS:

Want to help your child make a difference in the world?

Assist them in finding a service project you can do in your neighborhood!

HERE ARE SOME EXAMPLES:

--Clean up litter in your community

--Collect donations for a special cause

--Draw pictures for, or visit, residents in nursing homes

--Create busy bags and activity packs for the local children's hospital

--Send a letter or thank you to someone special, including service members

--Create care packages for the homeless

--Help out at an animal shelter

--Do yard work for a neighbor

Make A Difference! **CLICK HERE!**

3-5 student council is leading a sock recycle program from May 1-17. Bring gently worn clean socks to class. Socks can have holes or be a single sock. Collected socks will be sent to Gold Toe for recycling!