

TIGER TALES

Mt. Tabor Elementary School



Week of September 4, 2023

Established in 1928

Important Dates & Events:

4: Labor Day– *NO SCHOOL*

5: Drake's Spirit Night

7: Best Buddies Meeting 6 P.M.

5-15: Salvation Army Food Drive

A Note From Mr. Hughes:

Mt. Tabor will be conducting a food drive to help support the Salvation Army beginning Tuesday, September 5th. The food drive will end Friday, September 15th. The Salvation Army has asked for help as food levels are low and there is significant need in our community. A reminder that only non-perishable food items can be accepted. Thanks in advance for your generosity.

There is a Best Buddies meeting at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 7th in our cafeteria. Floyd Central student president, Bristol Cobb, will speak about her experience with Best Buddies. At the elementary level, students with and without intellectual and developmental disabilities are given the opportunity to engage in inclusive and educational activities that promote friendship, acceptance, and interaction. It is an awesome program. We hope to see you Thursday evening.

Our cross-country runners did a great job representing Mt. Tabor at the first cross-country meet on Thursday. There is practice after school on Tuesday. The next cross-country meet is on Thursday, September 7th.

School attendance is very important. However, if your child is sick, please keep them home until they are well. A reminder to notify the school office if your child is going to be out. Our attendance hotline number is (812) 542-7302. If you have any health-related questions please contact our school nurse, Allison Nestor. The school day starts at 8:00 a.m. Students arriving after 8 a.m. are considered tardy and must be signed in at our Welcome Center by the adult dropping the student off.

Progress reports for the quarter will be sent home with students on Thursday, September 7th. A reminder there is no school on Monday due to the Labor Day holiday. Have a wonderful weekend!

Weekly Lunch Menu

Monday:

- **LABOR DAY– NO SCHOOL**

Tuesday:

- Hard Shell Beef Taco
- Nacho Power Up Pack
- Steamed Corn
- Green Chili Refried Beans
- Fresh Fruit

Wednesday:

- Local All Beef Hot Dog
- Turkey Ranch Cool Wrap
- Seasoned Crinkle Fries
- Baby Carrots
- Fresh Fruit

Thursday:

- Chicken Alfredo Pasta
- Bento Box– Hummus & Veggies
- Herbed Broccoli & Cauliflower
- Fresh Fruit

Friday:

- Fruit & Yogurt Power Up Pack
- Hash Brown Patties
- Crisp Cucumber Slices
- Fresh Fruit

Offered Daily:

PB&J Sandwich, Side Garden Salad & Choice of Milk.

School Contact Information

Principal: Scott Hughes

Assistant Principal: Tim French

Office: (812) 542-5507

Attendance: (812) 542-7302

Safe School Hotline: (812) 542-2230

Transportation: (812) 542-4707

Tech Support: (812) 542-4700



Mr. French's Corner

A B Cs Of Student Success

D is for DETERMINATION.

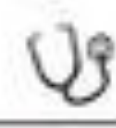
Children need to hear their parents say that making an effort, working hard, and planning ahead are important. We need to encourage children to set reasonable expectations, and celebrate with them when they make progress toward their goals. Children need to learn that sometimes they must sacrifice to achieve a long-term goal. Struggling with learning tasks from time to time is part of a student's "job." In the end, the feeling of accomplishment they get will lead to bigger and better accomplishments in the future!

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Labor Day Activity Sheet

Labor Day is celebrated on the first Monday in September. The first Labor Day was celebrated in 1882. Labor Day was intended to be a day of rest so people could recognize the hard work of the average working person. Labor day this year will be celebrated on September _____.

Match the following occupations with the correct tools



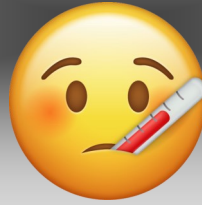
WORD SEARCH

LABOR HOLIDAY HISTORY STRIKE SEPTEMBER MONDAY WORKER FEDERAL

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D	G	A	D	K	L	A	B	O	R
A	O	L	H	L	A	Y	C	N	U
Y	R	W	O	R	K	E	R	C	G
M	H	I	S	T	O	R	Y	I	P

How will your family celebrate Labor day? _____

Health Office Notes:



New Albany High School Student Health Center



Same Day
Appointments
Available!
812-981-7452

Services Available:

- Testing for COVID, Strep, and Influenza, among others
- Ability to see the Nurse Practitioner who is able to treat and prescribe medications and have them sent to your pharmacy as appropriate
- Sports Physicals
- Sick Visits

How can I sign my child up to see a Nurse Practitioner?

Online

- Go to www.lifespringhealthsystems.org
- On the drop down menu in the top right corner of the page, click on "Intake Paperwork", then click on "School Based Health Services Intake". Complete all steps of the web-based form.
- If your student does not have an immediate need to be seen, but you would like to have the paperwork on file for future use: on the last question about what issues are going on, just type "submitting this for future use, if needed."

In person

- Parents/guardians may come by our office to fill out paperwork in person at any time (We are located down the hall from the main entrance, next to the nurse's office.)

Insurance accepted, but not required. A sliding fee scale is available. No one will be turned away.

No payment required at time of service

**AVAILABLE FROM 7:00 AM - 3:30 PM MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY,
WHEN SCHOOL IS IN SESSION**

Please Turn in your Health Care Action Plans if your student requires medication or medical intervention by the school nurse. Please Contact the health office if your child has an allergy or requires emergency medication and you have not had a healthcare action plan completed.

If you are new to Mt. Tabor and have not turned in an immunization record, or need a Religious Objection form completed, please contact the health office. 20 Day letters will be going home this week and you will have until Mid-September to turn in all updated / new immunizations.

We appreciate all you do to help keep our Tigers safe!

Allison Nestor, RN School Nurse

Phone: 812-981-7653

Fax: 812-542-4742



Reminder

If dropping your child off at school after 8am, you must bring them to the main entrance (Door #1) and sign them in at the Welcome Center. Please do not send them in unattended.

Thank you,
Mt. Tabor Office

Informational Meeting for Parents/ Students

BEST BUDDIES®



Thursday, September 7
@ 6:00pm in the cafeteria

Please join us while we meet Floyd Central High School student president, Bristol Cobb, speak about her experiences with Best Buddies!

At this time, parents and students will also receive more information regarding the program and all the fun events that are planned for the school year!!!



SALVATION ARM FOOD DRIVE:

Starting Tuesday we will begin a dry food drive to help the Salvation Army. The Salvation Army has indicated that their food levels are low and they need help NOW.

This food drive will start this Tuesday, Sept. 5th and end on Friday, Sept. 15th. Only non-perishable items can be accepted.

There will be two divisions, grades P-1, and 2-4. The winning class from each division, will win a cotton candy party!

Thanks, Mr. S. Burch's Class

FOOD DRIVE

Girls IN AVIATION DAY

A Women in Aviation International® Event

COME JOIN THE FUN

SEPTEMBER 23, 2023

12-4pm, Old Terminal Building at Bowman Field

- If you are a young lady between the ages of 8-17, join us for a **FREE FUN FAMILY** event!
- Explore the airplanes on static display and aviation booths!
- Connect with professional women who are excited about aviation!
- **TWO** aviation scholarships will be awarded!

For more information visit: waibluegrasschapter.org

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Youth Swim Lessons FLOYD COUNTY YMCA

Monday & Wednesday (8 classes)

Preschool (ages 3-5) and Youth (ages 6-12)

4-4:45pm (Levels 1-3)

5-5:45pm (Levels 1-3)

6-6:45pm (Levels 4-6)

Dates:

Sept. 6-27* (7 classes)

Oct. 2-25

Oct. 30-Nov. 22

Nov. 27-Dec. 20

Saturday (6 classes)

Preschool and Youth

9-9:45am (preschool only)

10-10:45am (Levels 1-3)

11-11:45am (Levels 4-6)

12-12:45pm (youth only)

Dates:

Oct. 21-Nov. 18* (5 classes)

Dec. 2-16* (3 classes)

Parent/Child Classes (6 months-3 years)

Tuesday (6 classes)

5:30-6pm

6:05-6:35pm

Dates:

Sept. 19-Oct. 24

Nov. 7-Dec. 12

Saturday (6 classes)

9:15-9:45am

10-10:30am

10:45-11:15am

11:30am-12pm

Dates:

Oct. 21-Nov. 18* (5 classes)

Dec. 2-16* (3 classes)

Cost

6 class session:

\$47 (members)

\$86 (non-members)

8 class session:

\$62 (members)

\$114 (non-members)

REGISTER NOW



For Additional Information:

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502.242.3108

www.ymcalouisville.org



Who will feed the kids this weekend?

On Saturday, November 4th, Blessings in a Backpack Floyd County will be hosting our 3rd Annual Be A Blessing 5K & 1M Fun Run at Sam Peden Community Park at 9:00AM. This is our largest

community event. Each race registration and every sponsorship will assist in providing food for over 1700 pre-K through 6th grade NAFCS students on the weekends. Join us & together we can outpace childhood hunger.

As you may be aware, Blessings in a Backpack Floyd County is dedicated to alleviating childhood hunger in Floyd County, Indiana. Just under 1 in 6 Floyd County children face food insecurity. When school dismisses on Friday, 30% of NAFCS pre-k through 6th grade students would leave their classroom unsure of whether they will have enough to eat until school starts again next Monday, if not for the work of Blessings in a Backpack Floyd County.

The Be A Blessing 5K & 1M Fun Run is a family friendly event where you can walk, jog, run, or stroll the course at your own pace. It is one lap around the paved lake path at Sam Peden Community Park for those who are choosing to do the 1M and three laps for those wanting to do the 5K. The race is open to all abilities and is not timed.

You can register as an individual or team. All participants will receive an event t-shirt and finisher's medal. We also have a largest team award for the team with the most participants. Last year, Slate Run Elementary won the largest team award - will your school's team be this year's winner? To assist you in organizing your school's team, we have a special \$10 off all adult registrations coupon specifically for your staff, faculty and PTO. Your discount code is MTE2023 to be used at checkout. Code expires 9/30/2023.

We hope you will join us at the Be A Blessing 5K & 1M Fun Run on Nov. 4th to run to help feed food-insecure children in Floyd County on the weekends and raise awareness of the needs of our local children. Start your team today at <https://www.raceentry.com/be-a-blessing-5k/race-information>

If you have any questions, please reach out to us at floydcountyblessings@gmail.com

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