FALLEN TIMBERS NEWS

...YOUR PLACE TO SHINE!



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Upcoming Dates

Sep 30-2 Oct 2	5th Grade IOWA Testing AWPTA Meeting - 6:00 PM JH Media Center
Oct 2 - 4	Camp - Ernsthausen, Huddleston, Ragan, Yoho, Westhoven
Oct 7	Board Meeting - 6:00 PM Fallen Timbers Cafeteria
Oct 8	Picture Retakes
Oct 10	Lockdown Drill
Oct 21-23	Camp - Kronmann, Frankfather, Jesko, Corbett, Dressel & Gittens
Oct 22	5th Grade Vision & Hearing Screening
Oct 23	End of 1st Quarter
Oct 25	Teacher Workday - NO SCHOOL
Oct 28	Evening Conferences
Oct 28-1	Red Ribbon Week
Oct 28 - 4	Book Fair
Oct 29	Professional Development - 2 Hour Delay
Oct 30	Family BINGO Night - 5:30-7:30 FT Cafeteria
Nov 4	Parent Teacher Conferences - NO SCHOOL
Nov 5	Professional Development - NO SCHOOL
Nov 6	AWPTA Meeting – 6:00 PM - JH Media Center
Nov 7	Board Meeting - 6:00 Central Administrative Office
Nov 11-14	Veterans Week
Nov 7	Veterans Lunch & Learn
Nov 25	Professional Development - NO SCHOOL
Nov 26-29	Fall Break - NO SCHOOL

Veterans Day

To honor Veterans Day, FT will participate in a Veteran's Day poem contest. On November 7th all students will participate in a Veteran's Day lunch and learn. We have invited many current military FT family members to teach our students what it means to be in our US armed forces. We are looking forward to this opportunity for our students.

Conferences

Evening parent teacher conferences will be held on October 28th from 3:00-7:00 pm, and November 4th from 10:00am - 6:00 pm. Please be on the lookout for communications from your child's teacher to schedule.

Daily Attendance/Early Dismissals

This is a reminder to please call or email the school if your student will be absent or late for any reason followed by a note either hand written or from a doctor. You may call in the morning, leave a message on the attendance line or email the office at

ftattendance@anthonywayneschools.org. For early dismissals, please send a note with your student (with their full name and time of dismissal) on the day he/she is leaving early.

Students of the Month

Congratulations to our first Students of the Month for the 2024 - 2025 school year. Every month one or two nominees are chosen from each homeroom teacher. For their achievements these fine students receive a certificate, a pencil from the Principal and coupons from several area sponsors. These sponsors include Ralphies's, Wendy's, and Texas Roadhouse. *Outstanding!*

Fifth Grade

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Peyton Altenburger	Katelyn Ello	Bryson Lacumsky
Tucker Ankenbrandt	Willy Gilbertson	Richard Metroff
Adelyn Beck	Kate Gross	Isaac Pauly
Isla Boggs	Cooper Hall	Hudson Smith
Meredith Dicken	Hadley Hutt	Avery Sumner

Sixth Grade

Tatum Boerst	Riley McNellis	Mason Tran
Vera Congleton	Noah Pallauf	Lyla Webb
Bella Figy	Callan Rose	•
Kate Gurcsik	Paityn Smeltzer	
Jett Jenkins	Charlotte Szymar	nski

Book Fair

Get ready—the Scholastic Book Fair is coming to our school! This is a great opportunity to connect with your child over the thrill of bringing home new books to dive into again and again.

Here's what you need to know ...

Every purchase helps our school. Parents/guardians must be present for students to purchase anything from the fair. Feel free to stop in after school from 2:35 - 3:15, shop during Conferences or during Family Bingo Night!

Family BINGO Night!

Wednesday, October 30th, bring the whole family to Bingo night in the Fallen Timbers cafeteria! Join us anytime between the hours of 5:30 - 7:30 to play Bingo, win prizes and shop at the Book Fair. This is a drop-in event, you can stay the whole time or for a little while.

Lost & Found

The lost and found is already overflowing!!!! Please encourage your students to check for any items that may be missing. The items will be set out on tables at conferences.

5th Grade Health Screening

Fifth grade students will be participating in health screening on Tuesday, October 22nd. The health screening according to the Ohio Department of Health regulations will include vision and hearing screening for boys and girls. In addition girls will be screened for scoliosis. The district nurses will be completing the health screenings by 5th grade homeroom class. If your child wears contacts or glasses please make sure they are wearing them that day. If you have any questions please contact the Fallen Timbers nurse, Amy Baburek at ababurek@anthonywayneschools.org

Picture Retakes

Picture Retakes will take place on October 8th. Any student who did not have their picture taken at Open House will need their picture taken for the yearbook. (No picture purchase required.) Any student who already had their picture taken and would like retakes, please be sure to bring your picture package with you and give to the photographer.

Lockdown Drill

On October 10th we will be participating in a Full Lockdown Drill. More information on this will be sent out this week.

Morning Drop Off Reminder

Students are permitted to enter the building at 7:10 am and can stay in the Cafeteria until dismissed to their classroom at 7:24 am.

Sign up for Text Alerts

In order to receive text alerts from the district you need to opt in.

You can text YES to 87569 to sign up.

Once registered, you will receive a confirmation text. More information is on the website at anthonywayneschools.org/communications.

Food Service

Checks for Food service should be made out to "Anthony Wayne Food Service" or AWFS.

Flyers and Activities

Please remember to check Flyer Central for upcoming activities. https://www.anthonywayneschools.org/FlyerCentral

Box Tops for Education



FTMS is collecting Box Tops for Education again this year. Thank you to the families and students who have *already* brought in Box Tops for Education. We encourage everyone to participate as they can, as this is a great source of funding at the middle school. Box

Tops are easy to find on many products.

Box Tops has an App you can download on your phone and scan your store receipt. Choose Fallen Timbers for your school and they will automatically send them to our account.

Shutterfly

Fallen Timbers Middle School now benefits from Shutterfly purchases. Just use the following link to do your shopping and Fallen Timbers will earn money from your purchase. FTMS.ShutterflyStorefront.com



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