

GENERAL GAZETTE



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Upcoming Dates

December

21 Winter Parties K-AM 10:45-11:15 am
K-PM & Gr. 1-4 2:45-3:15 pm

12/22-1/4/22 Winter Break NO SCHOOL

January

5 Classes resume
12 MAPS Meeting
13 End of 2nd Quarter
14 Teacher Workday NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS
17 Martin Luther King Day NO SCHOOL
22 Boys Bowling Bash
27-28 Imagination Station

February

1-15 Buff City Soap Fundraiser
6 Pucks and Pals Walleye Hockey
7 Dine to Donate - Pizza Hut
10 MAPS meeting
12 Movie Night @ Maumee Indoor Theater
22 2HR DELAY-Professional Development

March

2-16 Read-A-Thon
3 Yearbook Orders Due
8 MAPS meeting
22 Ohio Skate
22 End of 3rd quarter
23 Spirit Wear Spring Sale **Begins**

FROM THE DESK OF MRS. MURRY



I want to wish all of our Monclova families a happy and healthy holiday season! The students have been completing many fun holiday themed activities the last two weeks of school, and the fun will continue during our last two days next week. We will culminate with our winter parties on Tuesday afternoon.

A big thank you to MAPS for a successful Secret Santa event. All of the students were able to buy gifts for their families. The event was so well organized! It's not easy to always find ways to hold events these days with all of the safety precautions used in schools for COVID-19, but MAPS once again out did themselves and made Secret Santa a big hit for our students!

MAPS has many events that will be taking place when we return from break. You can follow them on Facebook, check the calendar on the Monclova

webpage, and be on the lookout for flyers sent home with your student.

State Test Dates Set - Attention 3rd and 4th Grade Families

All third and fourth grade students will take the state required AIR assessments in ELA and Math during the month of April. It is so important that students are present on the day of their test, so the staff can provide the best possible testing environment. Below are the test dates. Please do your best NOT to schedule appointments or vacations on your child's test dates.

3rd Grade

ELA: April 5, 6

Math: April 19, 20

4th Grade

ELA: April 7, 8

Math: April 21, 22



The Faculty and Staff of
Monclova Primary wish you a very
Happy Holiday season and a joyful
New Year

COUNSELOR'S CORNER



Monclova Primary has been a very busy place these past few weeks!

Kindergarten

Last week, I visited the Kindergarten classrooms to discuss the differences between big problems and small problems. The students learned that a "small" problem involves a minor situation that can normally be solved on your own or with the help of a friend or classmate. Usually, it is not necessary to involve the assistance of an adult when solving a small problem. Some examples of small problems include another student making silly noises when you are working or trouble locating a pencil or another supply. "Big" problems are situations that need the immediate attention of an adult and should be reported to the respective teacher or supervisor upon discovery. Some examples of big problems are a student getting hurt or a potentially dangerous situation. This has helped the students to understand the differences between "tattling" and "telling."

All Grades

THANK YOU to all families who participated in the Angel Tree project that was a joint partnership between Monclova Primary and the Monclova Community Center. By working together with the entire Monclova community and citizens, we were able to help make a brighter holiday for many Monclova children and families. This is just another example of how Monclova is such an AWesome place to be and a wonderful place to live, work, and raise a family! I would like to wish all students and families a safe, relaxing, and enjoyable break! We look forward to seeing you back in 2022!

Thank you, parents, for supporting the education of our children! Your support of your child's education and partnership with the school during 2021 has been very evident and appreciated! I wish all of our families an enjoyable, safe, and relaxing Holiday break! GO GENERALS!

Mr. Christopher Buehrer
Monclova School Counselor



Vacation Form Reminder!!

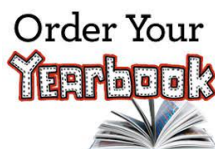
When a student will be **Absent for 2 or more days**, a vacation form must be completed 5 days in advance of the absence.

Vacation forms can be found at:
http://www.anthonywayneschools.org/files/FORMS_2017_06_15_vacation_primary_ft.pdf

POP TAB COLLECTION FOR THE RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE



Our school is collecting pop tabs for the Ronald McDonald House. By collecting pop tabs, we benefit the Ronald McDonald House Charities and can also help our school! A collection box is located outside of the office. Please help us donate by bringing in Pop Tabs.



ORDER YOUR YEARBOOK TODAY

The 2021-22 Yearbook link is now available to accept online orders! Deadline is March 13, 2022.

Here's the direct link for you to place your order. **Yearbook ID Code:**

4282922

<https://ybpay.lifetouch.com/>

Questions: Contact Mari Ness mari.ness1@hotmail.com

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION



Earn cash for our school by using the Box Tops app. you'll get 20 Bonus Box Tops when you scan your first receipt now through 05/29/2022, while

supplies last! Download the Box Tops for Education app here: https://btfe.smart.link/c2jldifkw?referral_code=AY3E94R3

Breakfast with Santa!

Saturday December 18th, 8:00-11:00

Shawn's Irish Tavern, 105 S 3rd St, Waterville



Adults \$10, Children 2-8 yrs \$7
Children under 2yrs Free

Pancakes, eggs, sausage,
milk, OJ or coffee

**Take your own
Pictures w/ Santa!**

"Family Night Out" Basket Raffle

Proceeds benefit the
Anthony Wayne HS Softball Program

Monclova Holiday Spirit Days



Monday, December
20th

"UGLY SWEATER DAY"

Tuesday, December
21st

"PAJAMA DAY"



HAPPY HOLIDAYS

FREE Admission and Skate Rental

for Anthony Wayne students

Wednesday, December 29, 2021

from 4-8:00pm



OHIO SKATE MAUMEE

1370 Conant St. Maumee, Ohio 419-893-4031

ohioskatemaumee@sbcglobal.net

**Please print coupon or present digital coupon on mobile
device with student I.D.**

Speaking of Specials Spotlight on the Media Center

Library classes are back to a more normal schedule this year. I am excited that students are able to come to the library as they did in previous years. Students are able to go to the shelves and pick out books in small groups. I am also able to read stories in library this year because students are seated three feet apart. This gives me an opportunity to introduce a variety of different books and authors each week. We get to laugh, think, learn and explore together. I truly enjoy this time with students.



Some of our favorite books we have enjoyed together this year are as follows:

- *Dino-Soccer* by Lisa Wheeler (We have read most of the books in this series!)
- *Quit Calling Me a Monster!* by Jory John
- *Unicorns Are the Worst!* by Alex Willan
- *Wolf Camp* by Andrea Zuill
- *Pig the Elf* by Aaron Blabey

Hopefully, you and your student will have time to curl up with a good book. Enjoy the time as a family, have a wonderful holiday season, and a restful break!

Mrs. Mueller