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St. Louis, MO 63125
Andrea Deane
Principal

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Beasley Newsletter

Principal's Corner

Dear Families:

Students in 3rd, 4th & 5th grade will take the MAP State Assessment in Communication Arts and Math in April. Fifth graders will also take a Science test. We've worked hard all year to help our children be successful. Parents can help by making sure students arrive on time with a good night's rest and a healthy breakfast. More information will be sent home after spring break.

One topic that starts to come up after spring break is **PLACEMENT** for next year. Beasley staff prides itself in knowing your child's academic and social needs. This information will be carefully considered by all staff members as we begin our work in planning for next year. We want to work with parents to provide the best educational environment for your child. **If you feel there is something about your child that we may not know or a special circumstance that should be considered when placing your child next year, please feel free to write a letter or send an email to Mrs. Deane by April 1. I will not accept requests for specific teachers.** I would appreciate that you rather tell me about the learning environment that would best benefit your child. Letters can be dropped off in the office. Emails or letters can be sent to me at deanea@mehlvilleschooldistrict.net. Your input, along with teacher information, will assist in making the best placement decision for your child. Parents should NOT be asking their child's current teacher to recommend a teacher for next year. Please don't put them in this awkward situation. Parents should not be telling teachers where they want their child placed for the upcoming year either. I appreciate you following the proper procedures as I have set forth in this letter. Also, keep in mind, that staffing changes and decisions have not been decided at this time.

Thanks to everyone who attended Parent Teacher Conferences on February 29 and March 1. This is so important. Thanks for your support.

Don't forget that there is no school on Monday, March 21-Friday, March 25. School will resume on Monday, March 28. Science Fair projects are due on Monday, April 4 except for 5th grade. 5th grade already turned them in! Way to go 5th graders!

Enjoy your spring break! It is great time to relax, rejuvenate, finish that science fair project and even spring clean! Hope you get the opportunity to spend some family time together, get outside to exercise, complete a High Five from Home and help others!

Respectfully,

Mrs. Deane

BEASLEY'S MISSION STATEMENT

Working Together, For Every Child, Every Day

CHARACTER WORD FOR TERM 5

COOPERATIVE

Drama Club

Drama Club had their big performance on March 10. All cast and crew worked very hard all year long and it really came together! All members were amazing and knew their roles! We are so proud of them!

Special thanks to Mrs. Weber for using her house, Mr. Timme for making our scenery, Mrs. Birtley for using the gym, Mr. Mike and Mr. Ken for helping out!

Also a special thanks to our directors Jimmy Niemann and Sam Roth for all of their dedication and extra time they put in to making the show run smoothly.

Thanks again to everyone that helped make "The Wizard of Oz" a big success!

Mrs. Dressel & Mrs. Miller

BEASLEY'S BEST FOR TERM 3

The students below were honored at our Beasley Best Assembly in December for Term 3.
They were chosen because they showed the character trait "SELF-CONTROL".

Mrs. Aubuchon - Kindergarten- Aldina Musanovic, Kaylee Carpenter
Mrs. Koewler – Kindergarten –Marayah Hundelt, Dillon McKim
Mrs. Schilling – Kindergarten – Anna Huynh, Lauren Olive
Mrs. Berhorst – 1st grade – Aidan Cash, Addyson Ellis
Ms. Calloway – 1st grade-Emilia Talarski, Bo Zeller
Mrs. Hagely – 1st grade – Harun Alisic, Gabe Skinner
Mrs. Hubbard – 1st grade- Lilly Huffhines, Derek Johnson
Mrs. Cordia – 2nd grade – Enisa Mujanic, Libby Mroczjowski
Mrs. Distefano –2nd grade- Kailey Sebrian, Olivia Keithline
Mrs. Dressel – 2nd grade – Tara Winkelmann, Matthew Ogrzewalla
Miss Bayer – 3rd grade – Lanaja Johnson, Lucas Sorich
Miss Krueger- 3rd grade- Kendra Stumborg, Carson Hulsey
Mrs. Weber- 3rd grade – Morgan Kovach, Sophia Davis
Mrs. Hancock – 4th grade – Adnan Softic, Anesa Trnjanin
Mr. Hardy – 4th grade – Sydney Habel, Ryan Meyerpeter
Miss Otto – 4th grade – Trinity Pfeifer, Mirza Selimovic
Ms. Barton – 5th grade- Olivia Hulsey, Tommy Hennessy
Mrs. Walker – 5th grade – Isabella Hansen, Jimmy Niemann
Mrs. Woodrome–5th grade- Sarah Lanemann, Owen Hulsey
Mr. McClusky – Music- Ronaldo Farelas, Evan McClusky
Mrs. Birtley – P.E. – Grace Parks, Lilianna Riofrio
Mr. Timme – Art- Morgan Baker, Ethan Cornell

BEASLEY'S BEST FOR TERM 4

The students below were honored at our Beasley Best Assembly in FEBRUARY for Term 4.
They were chosen because they showed the character trait "KIND".

Mrs. Aubuchon - Kindergarten- Kathryn Wulff, Cole Ivester
Mrs. Koewler – Kindergarten –Nathan Cella, Bella Dalba
Mrs. Schilling – Kindergarten – Noah Boliek, Carson Hansen
Mrs. Berhorst – 1st grade – Patience Margraff, Melissa Merdzic
Ms. Calloway – 1st grade-Julian Jackson, Madison Wersching
Mrs. Hagely – 1st grade – Isabella Colemann, Clayton Waggoner
Mrs. Hubbard – 1st grade- Bella Kester, Eden Wilder
Mrs. Cordia – 2nd grade – Ayanna Lyons, Nelson Trejo
Mrs. Distefano –2nd grade- Brennan Conley, Allison Grass
Mrs. Dressel –Dempsey Earp, Madeline McClusky
Miss Bayer – 3rd grade – Abby Stewart, Medina Tabakovic
Miss Krueger- 3rd grade- Grace Logan, Abigail Bravo-Trejo
Mrs. Weber- 3rd grade – Kaylie Bell, Danny Dracic
Mrs. Hancock – 4th grade – Jolie Wells, Anel Jakubovic
Mr. Hardy – 4th grade – Jelena Korac, Blake Kozuszek
Miss Otto – 4th grade – Tran Au, Aron DeRoy
Ms. Barton – 5th grade- Erna Ogresevic, Trevor Margraff
Mrs. Walker – 5th grade – Rose Peterson, Aman Lueker
Mrs. Woodrome–5th grade- Almira Mujanic, Jackson Wideman
Mr. McClusky – Music- Ayla Wells, Darreon Box
Mrs. Birtley – P.E. – Brayden Culberson, Kaci Wells
Mr. Timme – Art- Sarah Lanemann, Aja Bernadino

Character word for Term 5 is "COOPERATIVE". The Beasley Best assembley will be Thursday, April 7TH @ 8:15 A.M.

CLASSIFIED OF THE YEAR AND TEACHER OF THE YEAR

Beasley is excited to congratulate Terri Epstein for being honored as Classified of the Year and Linda Woodrome for being chosen as Teacher of the Year. We are honored to have them a part of the Beasley team.

DATES TO REMEMBER

March…..

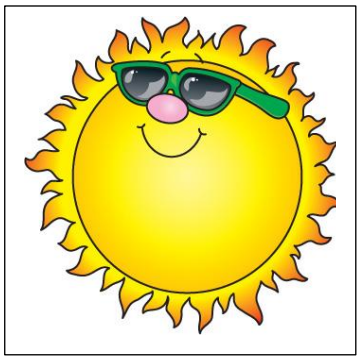
30th	5th Grade Pictures
31st	D.A.R.E. Graduation @ 1:00

April…..

1st	PTO Movie Night @ 6:30 PM
	END OF TERM 5
2ND	Fun Run/Walk 8:00 AM,
	Wellness Fair @MHS 9-12
4-8	Science Fair Week
4th	Bookmobile
5th	No School – Teacher Work Day
6th	Science Night 6-7:15 PM
7th	Beasley Best @ 8:15 AM
12th	PTO Meeting @ 6:30- 7:30 PM
14th	BOARD MEETING @ 7:00 PM
	Report cards go home
15th	2 HOUR EARLY DISMISSAL
19TH	SPRING CONCERT @ Nottelmann Auditorium @ 6:00 & 7:15 PM
22nd	Volunteer Celebration
29th	PTO Spring Festival 6-8 PM

May…..

2nd – 6th	Teacher Appreciation Week
2nd	Bookmobile (last day to turn in books)
6th	Fine Arts Day
9th	PTO meeting and Dinner @ 6:30 PM
10th	Abilities Day
11th	5th Grade Fun Day
12th	BOARD MEETING @ 7:00 PM
13th	Talent Show
16-23	TBD



Spring into Health

Wellness Fair 2016

Mehlville School District
A National District of Character

Saturday April 2

Presented by the Mehlville School District Wellness Committee

Everyone Invited!

Free community event - health education & demonstrations

9 a.m. to Noon

Mehlville High Gym
3200 Lemay Ferry Rd.

All ages. Join us.

- American Red Cross Blood Drive
- Mammography van
- Bike helmet fitting
- Car seat installation

Attendance prizes

Bike raffles

- Health screenings
- Kid fitness activities
- Dental hygiene tips
- Vision screenings
- Recreation facility info
- Skin & beauty care
- Fitness tips
- Counseling professionals
- Summer camp info
- Healthy food booths
- And much more!

For more information visit our website at www.mehlvilleschooldistrict.com or call 314-467-5250

Come early...get *moving*

8:30 a.m. Fun Walk/Run

Gather your family & friends for a stroll, brisk walk or run around the Mehlville High track before heading over to the Wellness Fair. ~ Rain or Shine ~

Canned food donations accepted to support 'MHS Gives Back'

Stay Fit, Don't Quit!

Sweetheart Dance

Beasley's annual Sweetheart Dance on February 11th was simply spectacular! We had a record number of families join in on the fun for this exciting event. Laughter and smiles were all around as students danced their hearts out to the DJ's tunes, took silly and sweet pictures with friends and family in the photo booth, and got their faces painted with creative designs. Congratulations to Josh Winston, Beasley's King, Penne Hoppe, our Queen, and Jordan Williams, winner of the Junior Counselor prize. Thank you to everyone who came and made this delightful night a success. A special thanks to the Junior Counselor volunteers for serving the treats!

JUMP ROPE FOR HEART

Way to Go Beasley!!
We had our Jump for Heart Event on February 18th and raised $2875. The students came to the gym through out the day to jump rope. We had 211 students participate. It was a fun day for everyone. Thank you to the parent helpers for the event, Denis Waggoner, Julia Bauer, Karen McNamaria, Matt Cash, Paula Islam, Linday DeRoy and Melissa Castaldi. Also a big Thank you to the families that helped the students raise the money for this great cause!

Top Fundraisers
$100 Isaiah Berringer
$110 Connor Norris
$160 Timmy McNamaria
$175 Aydan Squires
$175 Sophia Davis

The staff participated in Wear Red day and raised $226. So all together Beasley will donate $3101 to the American Heart Association.

BEASLEY WISHES YOU A SAFE AND HAPPY SPRING BREAK!!

NURSE'S NOTE

It is important that you keep us advised of phone number changes. We must be able to reach you if your child is ill and needs to go home.

If you receive a call stating that your child needs to be picked up from school please have a plan to do so as quickly as possible. It is good to have a backup plan if you will not be in the area. When a child has a fever they are given water and a cool compress. They are allowed to rest if the cot is available, but I am sure you would agree they would be more comfortable at home. The sooner a sick child is picked up the fewer other students, perhaps your own, are exposed.

Everyone at Beasley is working hard to keep our staff and students healthy. We teach our students to cover or "catch" their coughs and sneezes in their elbows and wash their hands after using tissue. We teach them to wash after playing, before eating, and after using the restroom. Please encourage your child to use these good habits at home as well.

All 3rd graders brought home a letter and physical form in January. All 4th graders are required by the district to have a physical. Now is a good time to plan ahead for those students entering 4th grade next year.

FREE CAMP FOR CHILDREN WITH PERSISTENT ASTHMA- Applications are being accepted- First come, first served!

Camp Catch-Ya-Breath is a weekend camp that helps children learn about their asthma and how to control it. Respiratory therapists, physicians, and nurses teach children about asthma, avoiding triggers, how to take medications properly and how to follow an asthma action plan. This fun-filled weekend is packed with activities such as swimming, nature hikes and crafts…all under the guidance of qualified medical personnel to ensure a safe and enjoyable environment.

The objective of Camp Catch-Ya-Breath is to help children with asthma take control and live life to its fullest. Through education and mentoring, camp staff provides children with the tools necessary to manage asthma symptoms. Specially trained respiratory therapists, physicians, and nurses provide medical supervision while also providing a fun environment for learning about asthma.

Established in 2012 through a partnership between the University of Missouri Respiratory Therapy Program and Washington County Memorial Hospital in Potosi, Missouri, Camp Catch-Ya-Breath is free for children with moderate to severe persistent asthma. The generosity of our sponsors allows us to eliminate the financial burden of this experience so that all children with asthma may participate.

The website is: https://shp.missouri.edu/rt/asthma_camp.php

Thank you,
Mrs. Wright RN
Beasley School Nurse

girls in the know.™
KNOWLEDGE IS POWER

AND WASHINGTON MIDDLE SCHOOL INVITE YOU TO

Join her

ON HER JOURNEY!

Connect with your pre-teen daughter while discussing life's most important topics!

"THE SPEAKER SERIES HAS GIVEN US THE FRAMEWORK TO BEGIN SOME OF THOSE MORE DIFFICULT CONVERSATIONS THAT I KNOW ARE AHEAD OF US."
-MARY KAYE, GITK MOM GRADUATE

WHO'S INVITED?

Mothers or caregivers and their daughters aged 9-13; mature 4th graders are welcome to attend.

WHAT'S IT ABOUT?

THE GIRLS IN THE KNOW SPEAKER SERIES is an educational four-week speaker series led by licensed female professionals meeting weekly to teach healthy communication skills while strengthening the mother/caregiver-daughter bond and promoting positive self-esteem.

EVENT DETAILS

PROGRAM FEE: $125 ($105 + $20 Mehlville Community Ed Fee)

Scholarships are available to all who desire to participate, regardless of financial status. To apply, contact INFO@GIRLSINTHEKNOW.ORG.

- WEEK 1 ▸ Empowering Your Pre-Teen Daughter
- WEEK 2 ▸ Promoting a Healthy Body Image
- WEEK 3 ▸ All About Safety: Internet, Cell Phones, Home & Away
- WEEK 4 ▸ The Birds & The Bees: What Pre-Teen Girls Should Know

GIRLS IN THE KNOW IS A 501C3 NON PROFIT ORGANIZATION WHOSE MISSION IS TO ESTABLISH A FOUNDATION FOR COMMUNICATION BETWEEN PRE-TEEN GIRLS AND THEIR CAREGIVERS AND EMPOWER THEM TO MAKE HEALTHY, INFORMED DECISIONS AS THEY MATURE INTO ADULTHOOD.

Register Now!

Space is limited to 20 pairs.

CLICK HERE TO REGISTER
OR GO TO GIRLSINTHEKNOW.ORG

Washington Middle School

5165 AMBS ROAD
ST. LOUIS, MO 63128

Mondays 6:30-7:30pm
4/4 • 4/11 • 4/18 • 4/25

SITE LIASON:
Becky Jackson • bjackson@mehlvilleschooldistrict.net

PROGRAM LEADER:
Seeking volunteer. Please inquire if interested.

VOLUNTEER!

Program Leader Volunteers (a mother-daughter pair) help promote, facilitate and lead while giving back to a great cause. Program Leader Volunteers attend at no charge once 20 pairs enroll.

For more information, or to volunteer, contact:
ANN@GIRLSINTHEKNOW.ORG
or 314-740-6223

Baby Mania Sale

BUY OR SELL

Sponsored by:
MOMS CLUB
Mehlville's Organization for Mother's Support

New or used toys, clothing, furniture and equipment for babies, children and expectant mothers.

Are you expecting? Come check out 100 vendors in ONE place!

Ready to clear out your basement of all the baby and kid stuff?
Come set up a spot (or 2!) to sell to HUNDREDS of customers!

Saturday, May 14th, 2016

Mehlville High School (Parking Lot)

3200 Lemay Ferry Road - 63125

8:00am to 12:00pm

RAIN OR SHINE

$40 per rental space (2 parking spaces)

Reserved on a first come, first serve basis.

Limit 2 rental spaces per vendor.

No home-based, craft/homemade or retail businesses are allowed to participate in this event.

SUPPORTS THE MEHLVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT PARENTS AS TEACHERS PROGRAM

For questions or concerns regarding this event, please contact us at mehlvillebabymania@gmail.com

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Mehlville High School Parking Lot
3200 Lemay Ferry Rd.

May 2016

Thank you for your interest in the Spring 2016 Baby Mania sale! The event will be held rain or shine on Saturday, May 14th, from 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. (noon) on the Mehlville High School parking lot. Hundreds of customers make this event a recurring shopping trip, and with social media's help, it has been attracting more and more customers! Make sure you register early to reserve your spot(s) because we ***SELL OUT*** quickly! The cost for sale space is $40.00 for two parking spaces, or approximately 200 ft^2, with a **limit of two selling spaces**. All fees are nonrefundable. Spaces are reserved on a first-come, first-served basis. **Requests for specific spots will not be honored.** If you are requesting to be placed next to another vendor, both registrations MUST be in the same envelope. **A confirmation letter will be E-MAILED approximately two weeks after your registration has been received and a space assigned upon receipt of payment**. Please remember, no home-based, craft/homemade or retail businesses are allowed to participate. **Due to size and weight restrictions, only residential vehicles and their trailers will be allowed on the Mehlville High School parking lot.**

This year, in an attempt to avoid the traffic congestion we will be assigning arrival times which will be included in your confirmation/space assignment email.

May 2016 Baby Mania highlights will include:

- Bake sale - stationary and a mobile wagon
- On-site M.O.M.S. Club volunteers
- Free advertising

Thank you,

Mehlville M.O.M.S. Club
Sponsored by M.O.M.S. Club, Mehlville Organization for Mothers' Support

Questions or concerns? Please contact us at mehlvillebabymania@gmail.com

Please detach the following form and mail along with your check to the address listed.

Complete this form and mail with a $40.00 check (or $40 increments thereof) made payable to: **M.O.M.S. Club**

Mail check and form to: Lisa Layton, 4115 Rutherford Dr., St. Louis, MO 63125

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

E-mail: _____

Number of selling spaces needed (one selling space = two parking spaces) _____ **(Max 2)**