



MUNSON ELEMENTARY

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Community Flyers

<https://bit.ly/cmtyevents>



A NOTE FROM THE STAFF

Kids Read Now 2022 Program

We are thrilled to announce that we will again be offering each Munson student a subscription to the **Kids Read Now** summer reading program which helps to maintain reading skills over the summer. Kids Read Now is a non-profit organization who designed a program to include best practices for reading engagement and growth. We are delighted to partner with this group to provide a high-quality reading program throughout the summer. The program is completely FREE to you. Your child's teacher will help your child choose eight books at their reading level. The first book is a bonus writing book that will be mailed to your home in May. Selected books will be delivered to your child throughout the summer. After reading each one, students and parents can log onto the *Kids Read Now* app or website to indicate the completion of the book which will then prompt the delivery of the next book. **Be sure to carefully read the information provided within the first book delivered in May as it will include all login information.** We are so excited to be able to again share this worthwhile program with our students and families. This opportunity is funded by Chardon School's State Literacy Grant.

BUS SURVEY

The bus survey recently distributed must be completed for EVERY student, whether or not they ride the bus. If you have not yet done so, please complete the survey by May 1st.

Please use the link **HERE**.



TOPPER TICKETS

T - Take Responsibility

O - Open Your Mind

P - Participate

P - Persevere

E - Encourage Others

R - Respect Everyone

S - Strive for Excellence

**Topper Ticket Winners
this week are...**

1st grade: Kylie Turner,
Esmeralda Ramirez,
Tyler Jacobson, Nora Mooney,
Lorelei Jewell, Tenley Morrison,
Jack Elson, Marshall Udovic,
Billy Eglet

2nd grade: Ameliana Bright,
Nico Labondano, Jackson Miller,
Aaliyah Green, Mijo Kucinic,
Kennedy Strailey, Rae Baker,
Marley Suydam, Ethan Cline,
Ava Galhotra

3rd grade: Jillian Cutler, Gino
Fioritto, Harper Zubek, Maurice
Watkins, Parker Rose, Makenna
Byler, Jordan Zingale, Anthony
Kocevar, Andrew Leagan, Ceci
Onderdonk, Hunter Zubek

MUNSON HAPPENINGS

Parent Resource Bags are now available to borrow. We are so excited to be able to give our families this amazing new resource! A parent resource bag is available to families experiencing loss of a loved one, loss of a pet, grandparents raising grandchildren, divorce/family changes, and big feelings such as anger, sadness and worry. Each bag contains activities for families to do together. These bags will be loaned for two weeks and then other families can have an opportunity to use them too. Please contact Mrs. Barnett at erika.barnett@chardonschools.org to request a bag.



On Tuesday, April 26, Munson Elementary had our annual **Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS)** "walk through." Our regional PBIS director, Carrie McClure, visited Munson to help us assess how our PBIS system is working. Part of this visit included interviewing students and staff about our implementation of TOPPER tickets. 100% of staff members and students that were interviewed could name AT LEAST 70% of our TOPPERS expected behaviors. In addition, all staff members were able to explain how they teach and reinforce our expected behaviors in the classroom and all staff members reported giving out TOPPER tickets to students within the past month. Finally, 90% of the students interviewed reported earning at least 1 TOPPER ticket in the past 3 months. Great job Munson staff and students! Please look for more specific details about our PBIS system in next week's newsletter.

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

- ▶ **April 29: PTO Fun Run**
- ▶ **May 15: PTO Putt-Putt with my best gal**
- ▶ **May 17: 3rd grade Wax Museum**
- ▶ **May 18: 3rd grade Field Trip to Cleveland Zoo**
- ▶ **May 19: Park & Munson Career Week Vehicle Day**
- ▶ **May 23: Field Day**
- ▶ **May 26: Last day of school for students**
- ▶ **May 30: PTO Kalahari Fundraiser Event**

LUNCH - MAY 2 - 6

- ▶ **Monday: Famous Hilltopper Bowl, popcorn chicken with roll, mashed potato bowl, steamed corn, choice of fruit, milk**
- ▶ **Tuesday: Cheeseburger on a bun, crinkle cut fries, baked beans, choice of fresh veggie, fruit choice, milk**
- ▶ **Wednesday: Stuffed crust pizza, steamed vegetable, 100% fruit juice, choice of fruit, milk**
- ▶ **Thursday: French toast sticks, sausage links, potato rounds, 100% juice cup, Welch's fruit snack, milk**
- ▶ **Friday: Pizza Hut pizza, steamed vegetable, choice of fruit, Rice Krispy treat, milk**
- ▶ **Daily option: PB & J**

