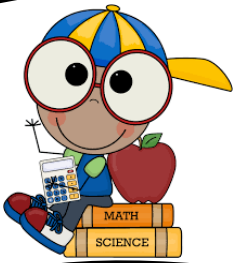


"Be the good others see in the world!"



Graysville Messenger



September, 2019

September Dates

September 16	Apex Kick Off Pep Rally at 1:30
September 16	Apex Fundraiser 16-26th
September 20	Progress Reports Go Home
September 20	GES night at RHS
September 23	Cheerleading Practice
September 25	Hearing & Vision 1st, 3rd, & 5th
September 26	Apex Fun Run
September 27	Box Top Friday

WELCOME

From the Principal

What a great start to the new school year! We are so proud of our students for coming to school ready to learn. Our teachers are excited about the opportunities each new year brings!

As you can tell, we are almost completely through with construction! There are only a few remaining items that they are finishing up including the pavilion, the retaining pond, and the playground. All of that should be completed and the rest of the playground installed by mid-October. Thank you for being patient and understanding as we progressed through construction together. I think we can all agree that we have the most beautiful school around and we are super proud to be here!

Finally, I would like to ask for your help! Because reading is key to having a successful life, I am asking you to read with your child as often as you can. This simple activity can have a TREMENDOUS impact on a child's ability to read. Just like you provide for their other basic needs, make reading together a top priority! You won't regret it!

As your child's principal, I am here to help! Please don't hesitate to contact me if you ever have a question or concern. That's what I am here for! Let's have a great year together!

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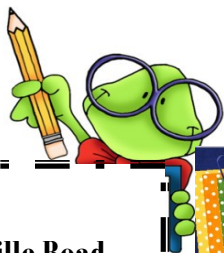
Principal

Cub Care Fees: Please remember that invoices are to be paid weekly. Thank you!

Get Connected!

Parent Portal: See the School Website or contact the office. Print the form and return. You will need Parent Portal to make payments online.

Check out the calendar on our Website for all up-to-date events.



GES

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PTO News

If you are looking for a way to get involved, we have just the thing for you! PTO is a great way to get to know other parents and help out your child's teacher at the same time. We would love to meet you! We hope you will join us for our monthly meetings at 6pm. The membership drive is underway. Get your membership for only \$3. Anyone can join and your child's class could win a party for the most memberships! Our first Box Tops collection is September 27th. Each Box Top is worth 10 cents and really adds up! We look forward to meeting you!

Car-Rider Info

Please help us with a few reminders:

*Please **DO NOT** drop your child off at the front doors. This is reserved for Buses.

*Please use both lanes in the mornings and afternoons and then merge into one.

Thank you for your cooperation and consideration with these issues. It is always our goal to operate as smoothly and efficiently as possible.

TITLE 1

Title 1 and Family Engagement would like to welcome everyone back! My name is Marissa Watson and I am the new Parent Involvement Coordinator for Graysville. I am very excited about this school year and all of the many opportunities you will have to become more involved in your child's education!

Thank you for attending the Title 1 Annual Meeting on August 22. I appreciate you taking the time to become more acquainted with Title 1 and what it means for our school. If you have any questions regarding Title 1 or Family Engagement, please feel free to contact me!

Our school loves volunteers, so please consider signing up for the Title 1 Remind so that you will know about all volunteer opportunities and our exciting Title 1 events! Simply text @7ekdkd2 to 81010 to receive Title 1 event and volunteer notifications.

Mark your calendars for these Title 1 events & volunteer opportunities:

*Apex Fun Run – September 26th (volunteers needed!)

*Title 1 Parent Advisory Council Meeting (PAC) – October 7th @ 6:30 pm

*Christmas Around the World: Title 1 Literacy Night – December 12th @ 5:30 pm

*Glow & Grow Ceremony and Sharing – 12/19/19

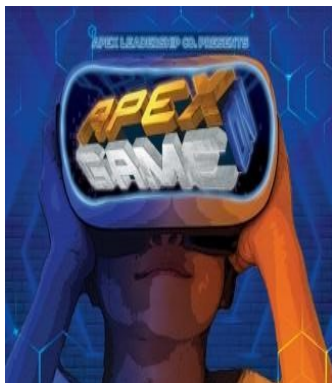
The Parent Resource Workroom is located in room 302 on the 2nd level of the school. We have free resources available for our families and welcome visitors and volunteers!

Remember: Family Involvement = Student Success

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Go-Getter
Appreciate
Move Forward
Explore
Others First
Now What?

The Apex Team will be with our students from **September 16-26** and will kick off with a pep rally on **Monday, September 16 at 1:30 pm**. Please look for your child's pledge kit that they will receive on that day. Please visit www.apexleadershipco.com to hear about this interactive program that helps schools all over the country raise money, while promoting leadership and fitness in the classroom. This year's character theme is "**GAME ON!**"! Students will join the Apex Team and focus on how they can become game changing leaders. The Fun Run will be on September 26th here at the school. More information will be coming home soon.