



Goucher Elementary School News



TITLE I SCHOOL

Ms. Ashley Clary, Principal

“EXPECT THE BEST”

March 2010

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Parents please be aware of our books & pamphlets in our Parent Resource Room. My door is always open and I encourage you to come in for a visit. I am in the building on Tuesdays.
Mrs. Birch Title I Parent Coordinator

March Upcoming Events

March 1—Camp Burnt Gin Deadline/info on back
March 16—17 PASS Writing
March 17—End of third 9-weeks
March 22—NO SCHOOL/District Staff Development
March 23— Report Cards
March 25—Student Recognition—K- 2 12:45,
3-5 1:30

RELAY FOR LIFE NEWS.....

Thanks to all who participated in our recent Valentine fundraiser for RLF. The sale was very successful and will help us reach our goal. Relay for Life shirts are on sale in the school office. Please call or stop by for more information. Also, if you are interested in joining the Goucher RFL team please let Carol Davis know.



The PASS Writing test will be given March 16-17 to students in 3rd-5th grades. Make-up testing will be March 18-23. Please make sure your child is **present** and **on time** for both days of testing. Students should get plenty of rest and eat a good breakfast to help them do their best.

Membership fees are waved until March 1, so please join before then to save money.
Carol M. Davis
Second Grade Teacher



Title I Parent Meeting for Grades 3rd - 5th you will not want to PASS up. You will receive helpful tips from our Literacy Coach and test taking tips. Tuesday, March 9, 2010 9:00 and 1:30

Do you know a child who might have any of these problems?

- A child who doesn't talk or who can't be understood
- A child who is uncoordinated or has difficulty in walking, sitting, standing or using hands
- A child who is always unhappy or demonstrating unsatisfactory relationships with peers/parents
- A child who has trouble attending to a task
- A child who doesn't hear or see well
- A child who has difficulty learning in school



Cherokee County School District serves all children with disabilities ages 3 to 21.

Parents with concerns about their toddler or school aged child are encouraged to call our office for information. We will answer any questions about the screening process and provide information as needed. Services will be provided free of charge.

For further information contact:

The Office of Special Services
Cherokee County School District
Telephone: 864-206-2253

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MARCH



- March 1- Chicken Sandwich Or Cheeseburger, Lettuce, tomatoes, pickle, Fries, Juice, Applesauce, Milk
- March 2- Spaghetti Or Sliced Ham, Tossed Salad, Broccoli, Peaches, Bread, Juice, Milk
- March 3- Chicken Nuggets Or Beef Steak, Mash Potatoes w/gravy, Green Peas, Juice, Mixed Fruit, Bread,
- March 4- Chicken Noodle Soup Or Vegetable Soup, Cheese Toast, Carrots, Juice, Blueberries, Milk
- March 5- Ravioli Or Hot Ham & Cheese Sandwich, Toss Salad, Juice, Corn, Pears, Milk
- March 8- Chicken Tenders Or Pork Roast, Rice & Gravy, Carrots, Blueberries, Juice, Blackeye Peas,
- March 9- BBQ Rib Sandwich Or Turkey Sub, Fries, Baked Beans, Coleslaw, Juice, Milk
- March 10- Beef Nachos Or Chicken Fajitas, Corn, Lettuce, Salsa, Juice, Applesauce, Milk
- March 11- Baked Chicken Or Chicken Salad, Mash Potatoes w/gravy, Green Beans, Bread, Juice, Milk
- March 12- Cheeseburgers Or Ham & Cheese Sandwich, Chips, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles, Steamed Carrots
Fruit Cups, Juice, Milk
- March 15- Cheeseburger Or Chicken Sandwich, Lettuce & Tomatoes, Fries, Pineapple, Juice, Milk
- March 16- Chili Bean Or BBQ Sandwich, Coleslaw, Ranch Potatoes, Juice, Jello w/mixed Fruit, Milk
- March 17- Ravioli Or Chicken Salad, Toss Salad, Corn, Banana, Bread, 4 oz juice, Milk
- March 18- Turkey w/Gravy Or Pork Roast, Rice & Gravy, Broccoli, Green Beans, Tossed Salad, Bread, Juice, Milk
- March 19- Baked Potato w/ham & cheese topping Or With Chili & cheese topping, Breadstick, Broccoli & Dip
Blueberries, Juice, Milk
- March 22- NO SCHOOL!!!! STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY!!!
- March 23- Chicken Nuggets Or Fish Sticks, Coleslaw, Mash Potatoes, Juice, Corn, Milk
- March 24- Ham & Cheese Sandwich Or Turkey & Cheese Sandwich, French Fries, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles,
Juice, Peach Cups, Milk
- March 25- Chicken Salad Or Pizza, Tossed Salad, Corn, Carrots w/dip, Juice, Milk
- March 26- Cheese Sticks Or BBQ Rib Sub, Red Ranch Potatoes, Green Peas, Fruit Cup, 4 oz Juice, Milk
- March 29- Chicken Nuggets Or Meatloaf, Mash Potatoes, Blackeye Peas, Steamed Cabbage, Bread, Juice, Milk
- March 30- Sliced Ham Or Chef Salad, Green Beans, Macaroni & Cheese, Pineapple Chunks, Bread, Juice, Milk
- March 31- Chili Burger Or Mexican Rice, Corn, Applesauce, Broccoli w/dip, Juice, Milk



Reminder.....Our next **Student Recognition program** will be on **March 25**.
The K-2 program will begin at 12:45 and the 3-5 will begin at 1:30.

REMINDER.....

Mrs. Levesque would like to remind 3rd and 4th grade students that they need to bring their recorders to music class each week.



School Choice Procedures & Deadlines

Students will be assigned to the school that serves his/her legal place of residence as determined by the board for the current school year. Parents wishing to request a change in school assignment must complete a District Transfer/School Choice form at their home school. The home school will date the form when received and retain a copy for their files. Parents then must submit the original form to the receiving school between **February 1st and March 1st**.

Transfers received after March 1st deadline will not be approved. Students in the assigned attendance area will be given first priority for school assignment. Transfers will be based on availability of space as long as the student-to-teacher ratio does not exceed a number to be determined each year by the district in the receiving school. Transfers will also be on a first come, first served basis and will not be changed during the school year. The Parent/Legal Guardian and the home school will be notified by June 30th regarding the status of the transfer. Parents must provide transportation for those students attending a school outside of their assigned attendance area.

Camp Burnt Gin A Summer Camp For Special Children

Who can attend Camp Burnt Gin? Camp Burnt Gin is for children 7 - 15 and teenagers 16 -20 of age who have physical disabilities and chronic illnesses.

When should applications for enrollment be submitted? Deadline for receiving applications is **March 1**.

What is the cost of Camp Burnt Gin? There is no cost to the family or their child to attend the Camp Burnt Gin. For any questions or more information, please call the school nurse at 206-6910.