

Edgewater Beacon

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Edgewater is a Title I School

Breakfast Gets Our Brains Ready For OST



Seventh and Eighth Grade students got to enjoy a breakfast buffet to get their brains ready for a morning of testing. The teachers and some students brought in the fixings for breakfast tacos. Along with chocolate milk and orange juice, this food for the brain got Edgewater students off to a great start on testing day!



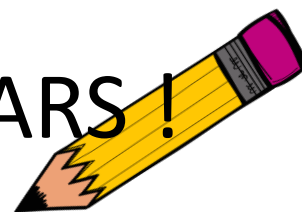
Toledo Public Schools' mission is to produce competitive college and career ready graduates through a rigorous curriculum across all grade levels by implementing Ohio's Learning Standards with fidelity.



Toledo Public Schools strives to be an "A-rated" school district whose graduates are college and career ready.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Important Dates for April



March 27-April 18———**OST – Ohio State Tests (ELA) for Grades 3-8**

April 6———**Honors Assembly for 3rd Quarter - 2:00 P.M.**

April 7———**Good Friday – No school**

April 9———**Easter**

April 7-14———**Spring Break - No School**

April 17———**School Resumes from Spring Break**

April 17-21———**Spirit Week**

April 18———**Truancy Mediation**

April 19———**Pizza Luncheon for Little Caesars Fundraiser Winners**

April 19-May 9———**OST –Ohio State Tests
Math (3rd-8th) and Science (5th & 8th)**

April 27———**Woodward Fine Arts Festival 5:30-8:00 P.M.**

April 28———**Midterm Reports Mailed to Parents**



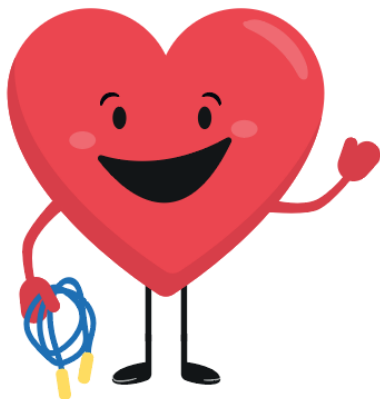
3rd and 4th graders have been invited to sing at this year's Fine Arts Festival. More information will be sent home soon.

Please, save this date on your calendar!

JUMP FOR HEART FINALE



All students in grades K-4 did a wonderful job bringing in donations for The American Heart Association. The class bringing in the most donations was Mrs. Baranski's Kindergartners!!!! They have already received their new jump ropes for home. All other classes did a great job, too! It was a close race to the end!! All participating classes will receive a Popsicle Party and a free day in Physical Education class when weather permits.



Thank you for all your support!!
Mrs. Karen Lake/P.E. Specialist

Counselor Corner

April 2023

For Grandparents and Relatives Raising Children

Grandparents raising grandchildren -- though it can sound somewhat charming, it can be difficult for families -- especially without the proper resources.

The topic of kinship caregiving doesn't generate much public attention — even though about 100,000 grandparents in Ohio are currently raising their grandchildren, with 39% of those households not having a parent present.

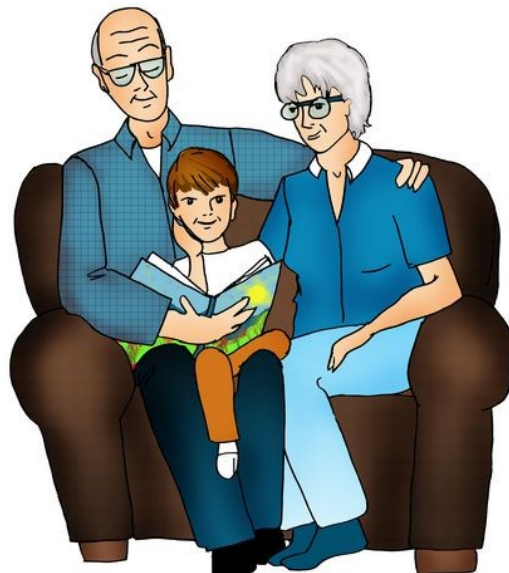
“The main problem is most people don't even recognize it as an issue,” according to Angela Provenzano, a second year student in the doctorate of occupational therapy program at Ohio State. “It's like, ‘Oh, they're just taking care of their family. It's not a big deal; that's what they're supposed to do.’ But it's really so much more than that.” If you are a grandparent or relative raising your grandchild and you are looking for support, you can find it in Lucas County.

The support group is called ‘Kinship Navigator Program- Supporting grandparents and relatives raising Children’. Grandparents meet in a casual and welcoming environment, offering education and support to grandparents who are raising grandchildren. Grandparents have the opportunity to meet other caregivers, develop a network of support and receive information about resources.

You can sign up online at <https://areaofficeonaging.com/programs>

If you need any help you can reach out to me and I am more than happy to help.

Megan Kronovich
School Counselor
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As the end of the school year approaches, you start to think about summer. You think about vacations, warm weather, and late nights. However, before you really start to think about summer I want you to talk to your kids about school. What do they like about school, what are their favorite subjects, what do they most enjoy. Start talking to them about their future, their hopes, and their goals. Why is this important? Before you know it, you will be thinking about how this is their last summer before they graduate!

This past month we hosted a High School Night and it was a big success. Dr. Durant came and talked about all the magnet schools TPS has to offer your child. He also talked about all the opportunities you child has within TPS. If you were not able to make it, I am going to give you some of that information now!

Aerospace & Natural Science Academy of Toledo- It has career tech focus in several growing industries: aviation and aeronautics; animal science and management; urban agriculture and agribusiness and environmental sustainability and wildlife management

Jones Leadership Academy of Business- is the place to be for students who envision themselves as future business or community leaders. This High School has a career tech focus on a business-themed curriculum that includes marketing, finance and supply chain management.

The Toledo Pre-Medical & Health Science Academy- The Toledo Pre-Medical & Health Science Academy is a four-year high school created through a partnership between Toledo Public Schools and ProMedica for students who are passionate about a career serving others in healthcare.

Toledo Early College- offers a college preparatory program for students in 7th -12th grades that focuses on college readiness and 21st century skills. The curriculum is designed to accelerate students into college courses at The University of Toledo.

Toledo Technology Academy of Engineering- is focused on engineering and manufacturing science technologies. Every student participates in hands-on learning in labs starting with Lego Labs in 7th grade.

It is never too early to talk to you child about their goals for the future!



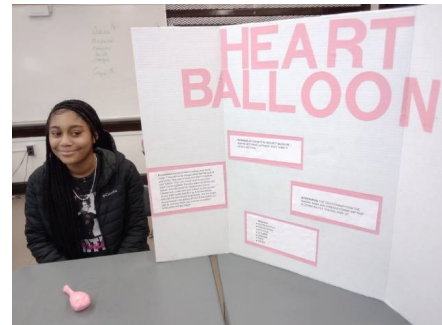
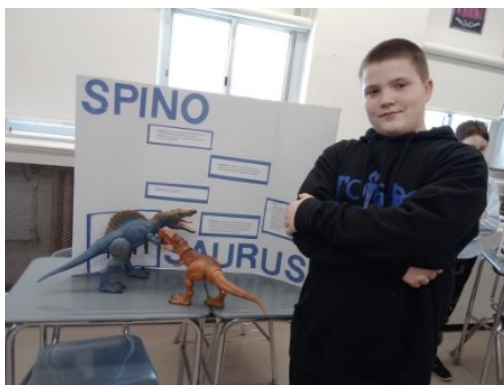
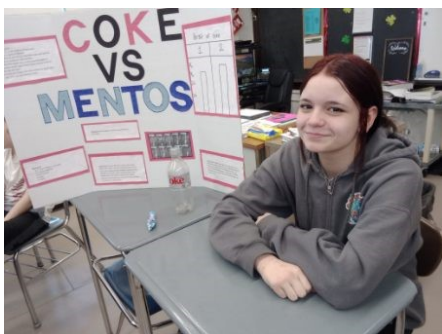
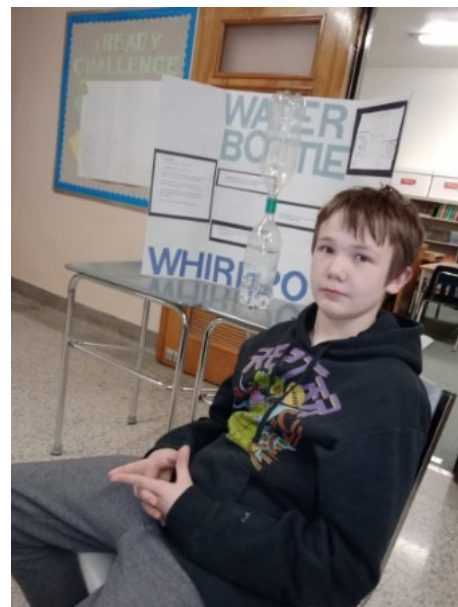
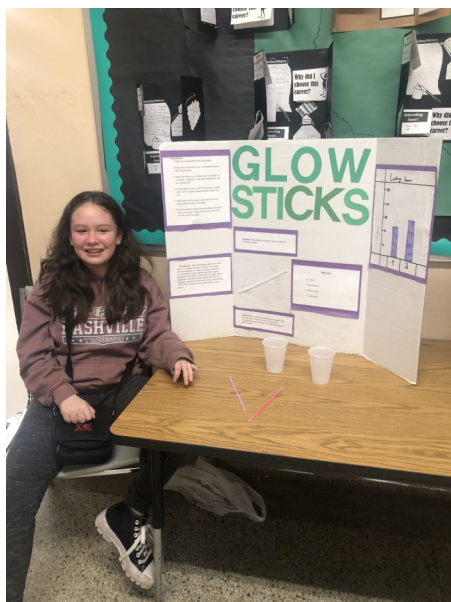
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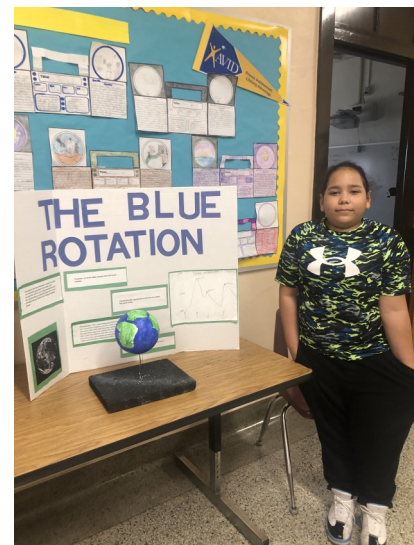
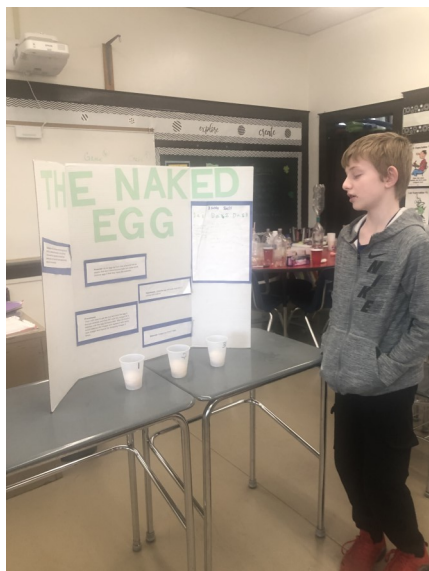




Our 6th graders spent many hours working on their science projects. From predictions, creating a hypothesis to ending with a conclusion, the students included everything. They enjoyed sharing their projects with their parents, staff and the students of Edgewater Elementary.

PROUD PRESENTERS

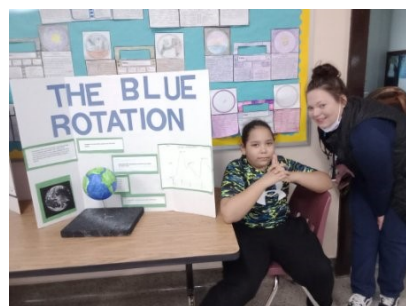




SHARING WHAT WE LEARNED



THANKFUL FOR FAMILY, FRIENDS AND TEACHERS

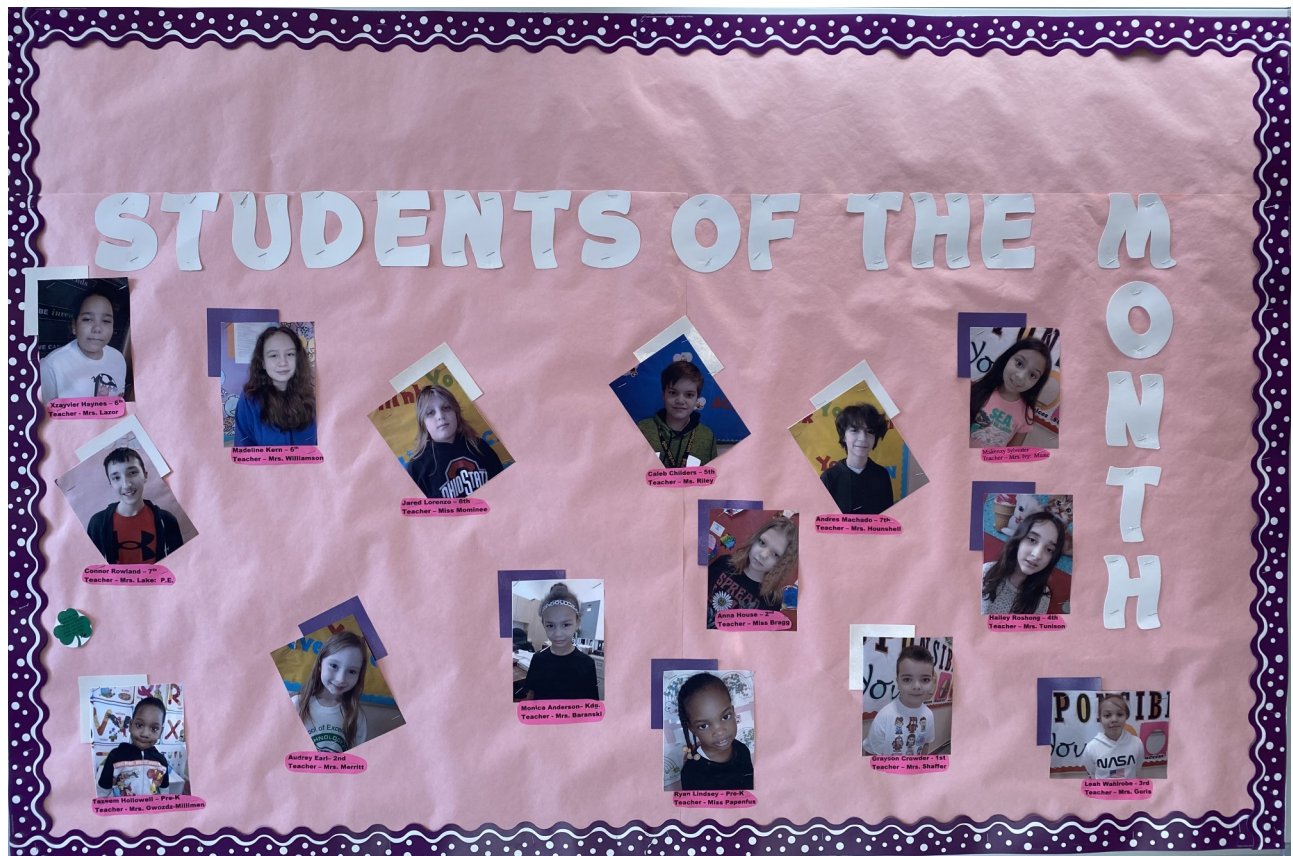


Students of the Month of March

Pre-Kinder
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Kindergarten
1st Grade
2nd Grade
3rd Grade
4th Grade
5th Grade
6th Grade
7th Grade
8th Grade
CCSER-Pri.
CCSER-Int.
Physical Education
Music

Mrs. Gwozdz-Millimen
Ms. Dapenfus
Mrs. Baranski
Mrs. Shaffer
Mrs. Merritt
Mrs. Goris
Mrs. Tunison
Ms. Riley
Mrs. Williamson
Mrs. Hounshell
Ms. Mominee
Ms. Bragg
Mrs. Lazor
Mrs. Lake
Mrs. Ivy

Tazeem Hollowell
Ryan Lindsey
Monica Anderson
Grayson Crowder
Audrey Earl
Leah Wahlrobe
Hailey Roshong
Caleb Childers
Madeline Kern
Andres Machado
Jared Lorenzo
Anna House
Xzayvier Haynes
Connor Rowland
Makenzy Sylvester





Our staff fundraiser this year was Little Caesars Pizza Kits. We raised \$1,182.00 which will go toward our Imagination Station Field Trip. Thank you to all who supported the school by purchasing kits and other items. A special “Thank You!” to Ms. Riley who chaired the fundraiser. It took a lot of extra work and time on her part. Also, a special shout-out to Ms. Irene (secretary) who volunteered her time and services to help us with the fundraiser. Fundraiser winners will be announced during the Third Quarter Honors Assembly on Thursday, April 6th. The pizza luncheon reward will take place on Wednesday, April 19th during lunch periods.



Spring Into Warm Weather Spirit Week April 17th – 21st

Monday

Your **FUTURE** is Bright so wear your Brightest Colors

Tuesday

How will you have fun and stay active over spring break
– wear workout gear or your favorite team jersey

Wednesday

How will you relax and unwind over spring break
- wear your most comfortable outfit

Thursday

Throwback Thursday dress in your best tie-dye

Friday

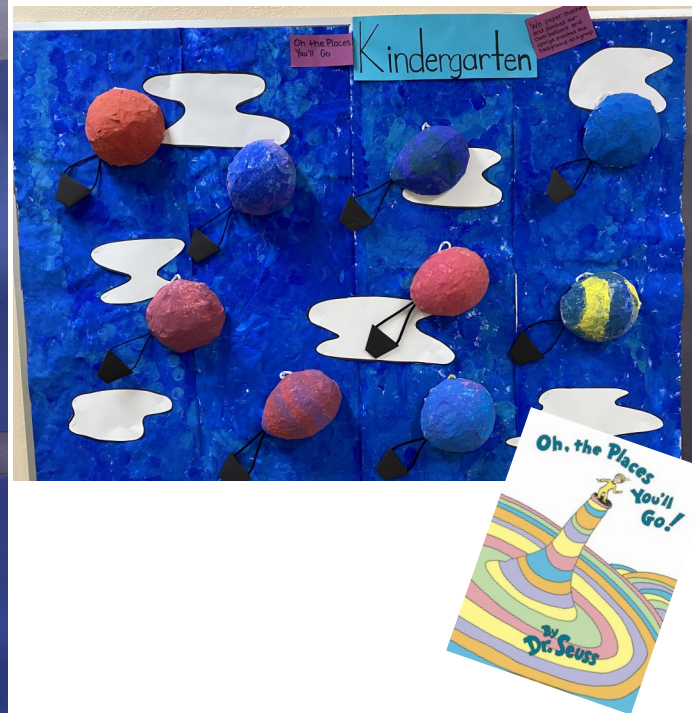
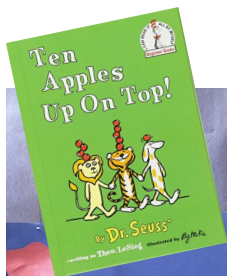
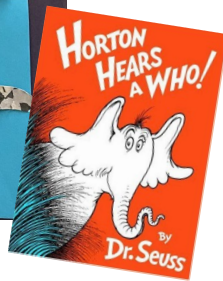
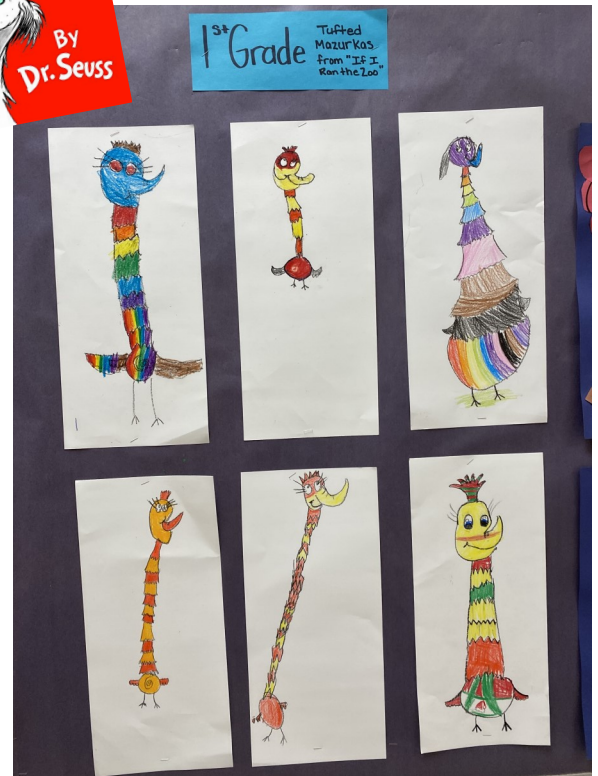
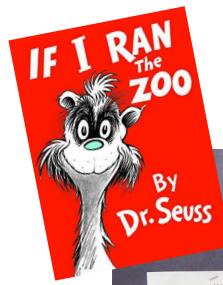
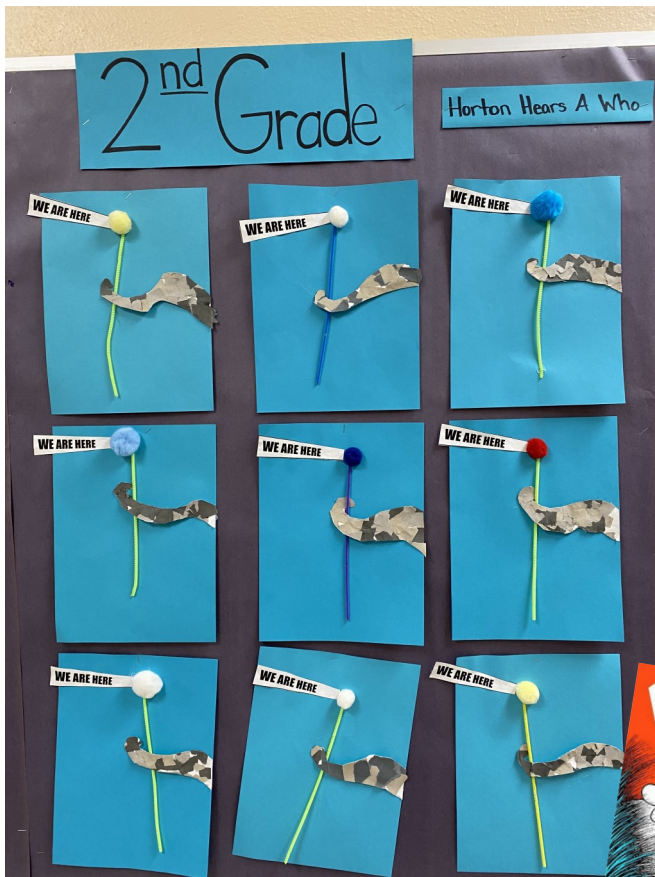
Show your School Spirit and wear your school Colors!



In The Art Room

Art teacher, Ms. Bibler has a love for Dr. Seuss and she shared her love with Edgewater's art classes throughout the month of March. All of the art classes did a Dr. Seuss project in honor of his birthday in March. Here is a sample of some of the great art students created. Each grade's project was based on one a book by Dr. Seuss.





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Landscapes in the style of Dr. Seuss

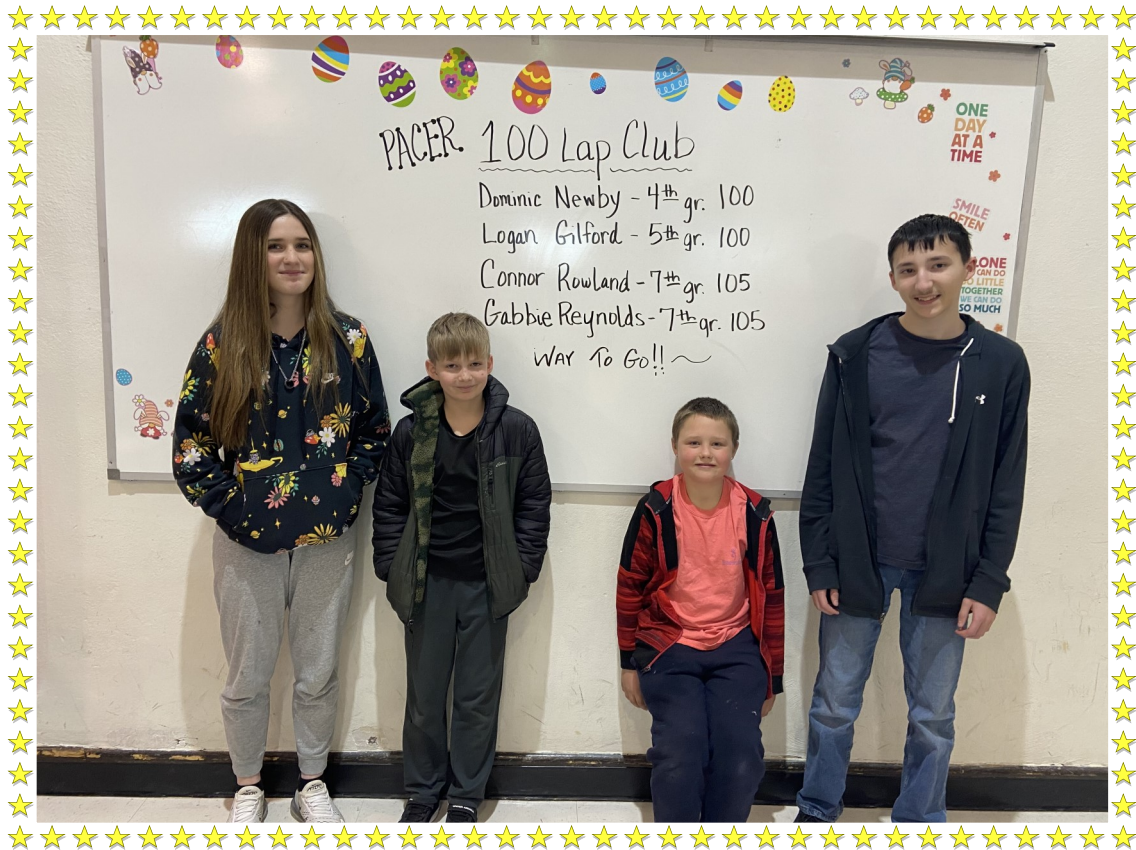


-Pen drawing by 8th Grader Jacob Stoddard



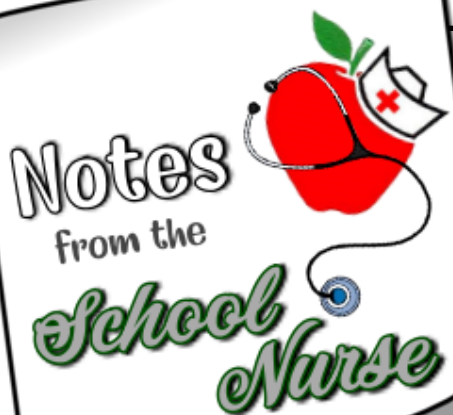
-Watercolor by 5th Grader Lucas Stamper

FITNESS TESTING IN PHYS. ED.



Students in grades 3-8 participated in the FitnessGram Pacer Test in Phys. Ed. Class . The Pacer test is an aerobic capacity test that starts at a slow pace and gets faster as the number of laps increase. All students were encouraged to do their PERSONAL best! The students in the picture went over and beyond and are members to the prestigious 100+ lap club....Congratulations to Gabbie Reynolds (7th), Logan Gilford (5th), Dominic Newby (4th), and Connor Rowland (7th)!!! WAY TO GO!!!!

-Mrs. Karen Lake, Phys. Ed. Specialist



Hi Edgewater Teachers and Families! The School Clothing Closet is getting low on pants. I am asking all to see if any of your students/children have out grown their pants and would like to donate to the School Closet. I am especially looking for sizes 5, 6, 6x, 7, 9, 10 and 12.

Thank you in advance!-Nurse Kathy

Discover Kindergarten

On March 30th and 31st, Toledo Public Schools held its Discover Kindergarten open houses at elementary schools across the district. This was an opportunity for next year's Kindergarteners and their families to "discover" everything about the Kindergarten program. Students got to meet the teacher and principal and got to tour the school, while families got to register their student for Kindergarten! We can not wait to meet our new Kindergarteners! If you missed it, you can visit the enrollment page of TPS.org.

