

Wildcat Connection #10

January 12th, 2017

Waterford



Wildcats

No School!
Monday, January 16th, 2017
Martin Luther King Jr. Day

TWITTER- Please follow Waterford Elementary School on Twitter @WaterfordESOH – We will be tweeting out news and updates on a regular basis.

SPELLING BEE- On December 16th, the annual Waterford Elementary School Spelling Bee was held. The following students were our top 4 places:



- Julia Cooper- Winner**
- Cohen Holden**
- Grace Huck**
- Layne Porter**

All four students will represent Waterford Elementary at the Regional Spelling bee in Marietta on March 24th, 2017 at 7:00 pm. The Regional Spelling Bee will be held in the Marietta HS Auditorium. Congrats to these incredible spellers!

NO SCHOOL MONDAY, JANUARY 16TH: There will be *No School* for students on Monday, January 16th, 2017, in observation of Martin Luther King Jr. Day. Please mark that on your schedules!



ODOT SNOW PLOW COMPETITION- Recently, our students at Waterford designed and painted a snow plow for the Ohio Department of Education. It was entered into a contest on Facebook against 13 other schools in Washington County. Congrats to Waterford for being voted the best snow plow! Your hard work paid off! The W.E.S. Snow Plow is coming to a snowy road near you! Be on the LOOKOUT!



CANCELATION AND DELAY AUTOMATED CALLING SYSTEM: If you would like to receive automated text messages regarding snow days and 2-hour delays, please text **join** to **56360**. You will begin receiving notifications through this system once you join. Also, school delay and cancellation information can be found on WTAP news.

NO PARKING- Please refrain from parking in the no parking zones located around our school!

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM- The PreK-4- Christmas Program on December 19th was a HUGE success! Thank you to all the teachers and students for working so hard in preparation of your performances. Also, a big thanks to Mrs. Majoy and Mr. Maschue for conducting, playing, running and rehearsing such an incredible program. Our students at WES are so talented!

BOX TOPS: Please donate and turn-in any box tops you might have. They go to great use in our school! Our next turn-in will be mid-February.



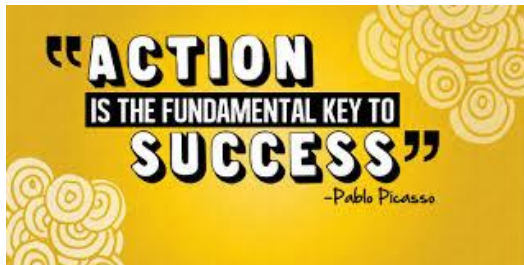
BOYS/GIRLS BBALL AND BOYS WRESTLING: We are so proud of you! Keep it up! Your hard work and dedication are really paying off! Way to represent Waterford Elementary School!



MENU CHANGE- This Friday, January 13th, there will be a change in the lunch menu. Students will be served the following for lunch:

- Pizza
- Dark Salad
- Fruit
- No Bake Cookie
- Milk

START THE DAY (AND THE YEAR) RIGHT!- Make giving your kids a healthy breakfast every day one of your New Year's resolutions. If you don't have much time in the morning or your kids aren't hungry when they wake up, send them to school for breakfast. Healthy food choices are available every morning in the cafeteria for ALL students. We cannot wait to see them there! Help your kids to make this semester a success- encourage them to eat breakfast!



NOTE FROM THE PRINCIPAL- Families, Staff and Students,

As we are beginning the second semester of our school year, it is more important than ever for our students to keep up their hard work in the pursuit of academic success. We, as educators, are here to support them in any way possible. Please take action if you notice your child having difficulties in their studies. It is important for us to work as a team, in order to best help our students achieve. If you have any concerns academically, don't hesitate to stop by and speak with me, and as always, if you need to contact me by phone, please feel free to call the school at 740-984-2342.

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