



SHAMROCK SHOUT OUT!



AUGUST 2019

August Events

8/12 Open House Meet and Greet 4:30-6:00 PM
8/13 1st Day of School
8/20 School Board Meeting 7:00 PM

LOOKING AHEAD.....

9/2 Labor Day – No School
9/12 School Pictures
9/14 JGHS Homecoming
9/20-22 JGHS Fallween Festival
9/23 NO SCHOOL

Mr. Romer your PrinciPAL

Welcome back to another exciting start of the school year. I hope your summer vacation was fun, relaxing, and enjoyable with family and friends. Our summer custodial crew, office staff and teachers have been working hard in preparation for the 2019-2020 school year. You will notice a few staff changes and much needed improvements around the building. I cannot wait to see you at Open House and the 1st day of school. If you have any questions for need to contact the school: NLES ph. 574-656-8123 and my email rromer@jgsc.k12.in.us

New Shamrocks – Kindergarten

I want to welcome you to North Liberty Elementary School. Once a Shamrock, Always a Shamrock! That is our slogan here along with – A great place to learn, teach, lead and succeed. I wonder how tall your sunflower plants have grown over the summer. I am sure they are taller than you are.

Bus Transportation and Changes

Be patient the first couple days with bus pick up and drop off times. Drivers will be contacting you by Monday on possible times. Any transportation change requires a note with an address signed by the parent. In the event of an emergency, you may call the school prior to 2:00 for changes.

Staffing Changes

Rebecca Cummings is the new principal at Liberty Elementary in the Mishawaka School System. We will not replace her position.

Kaylee Lemert will teach KDG this year. She is replacing retired teacher Carmen Olds.

Kim Tokoly will be full time teaching 5th grade.

Emily Hess will be teaching 3rd grade replacing Rachel Kaser. Emily has prior experience in the South Bend Schools.

Cristyn Messick will be the PE teacher replacing retired Denise Brooks. Cristyn brings a similar level of zeal and comes from South Bend Schools.

Sarah Cuskaden will be the 4th grade teacher replacing Andrea Hoppe who moved to Walkerton Elementary School. Sarah student taught in 4th and 1st gr. last year.

Kelly Stanley will be the Title I Aide replacing Marcia Klein who transferred to JGHS as Career Aide
Congratulations to Brittney Savill on the delivery of Joel Lucas! Baby Joel and Brittney are doing well.

Kayla Borton will be teaching the KDG class until Mrs. Savill's maternity leave is completed in Sept.

We have 3 Student-Teachers: Darci Nifong (Title I Aide) co-teaching with Mrs. Yelaaska in 3rd gr. Kayla Haygood with 5th Gr. Ms. Traub and 1st Gr. Mrs. Gurtner, and Brandi Minder with 6th Gr. Mr. Crone and KDG Mrs. Martin

Open House August 12 from 4:30-6 PM

We have Open House (meet and greet style) for students and parents to meet their teacher, sign up for Parent/Teacher Conferences and put school supplies away before the 1st day of school. Bus drivers enjoy not having too many supplies the first day. PTO will also be providing a barbecue cook-out south of the building in the pavilion. Bring the family and stop in to say hello and grab a bite to eat.

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Athletics

6th gr. Volleyball information will be sent home with students at a later date. All students that will participate in athletic events must have a physical on file with the nurse.

Before and After Care

NLES offers supervised care for your child before school and after for a small fee. Charman Dreessen is the director and has paperwork for any family interested in the service. Charman does an excellent job with this program to support working families. Forms are available in the office.

1st Day Student Assembly 8:10

I like to introduce the students to our staff members on the 1st day of school and get the students excited for another great start of the school year. Parent may attend and sit in the gym balcony.

7:45 School Doors Open

The school main entry doors are open at 7:35 to enter the building with breakfast beginning at 7:45. All other students wait in the entryway for the 7:53 classroom bell. We have adult supervision at 7:35 so do not come too early. Student supervision is one of my highest priorities and your cooperation is needed to make that happen. At 8:00 the teachers count attendance and announcements occur to begin the school day.

AM & PM Car Riders

We ask that all cars enter the parking lot on Mill St. This will simplify traffic patterns when busses leave and walkers cross the road. The pace of drop off depends on everybody following procedures. We ask that you pull as far north in the drop off zone. Have your child(ren) exit the right side of the vehicle and walk along the curb to the entrance. If you wish to walk your child to the door, you can park in a diagonal parking spot. No parking along the drop off lane by the sidewalk. The main entry doors open at 7:35 for students to enter the building and wait in the front foyer. Be patient for the first week to allow new families and veterans adjust to the morning schedule.

Incredible Summer Readers

Read! Read! Read! That is what our Shamrock Incredible Readers have been doing this summer. Skyzone ninja warrior style and The Lion King movie were the fun events to reward these Readers. Congratulations to all for making their goals. Thank you to Kris Tolleson, Melita Beeney, Rebecca Matthew, Ami Mappes and the parent helpers for assisting with the events.

Attendance

Being at school on time and on a regular basis is one of the single greatest influences on a student's ability to succeed in school. In the event that your child is sick, please contact the office 574-656-8123 prior to 8:30 AM to inform of reason for absence. If your child is absent and no call is made, Schoolreach will be contacting the phone number listed to make you aware.

The Department of Education is increasing the accountability on school attendance. As a school, our goal is to decrease absenteeism with our overall percentage and individual students that have chronic absences last year.

Falloween Festival 2019

Please mark your calendars for the weekend of Sept. 20-22 for the Falloween Festival. It will be held on the grounds of John Glenn High School. Highlights of the festival include: midway rides, fireworks, parade, lots of food, games, music and much more. Over \$240,000 has been raised for student scholarships dating back to 2009. More information can be found at www.falloweenfest.com

School Website

If you lost a newsletter, want more information on school events, or just want to stay current with school information then utilize the school link below.

<http://www.jgsc.k12.in.us/nles.html>

Randy Romer
Principal
North Liberty Elementary

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John Glenn School Corp Breakfast



MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

29	30	31	1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13 Assorted Muffins Yogurt Fruit Fruit Juice	14 Pancake Wrap Syrup Fruit Fruit Juice	15 Banana Bread String Cheese Fruit Fruit Juice	16 Yeast Donut String Cheese Fruit Fruit Juice
19 Bacon & Egg Pocket Fruit Fruit Juice	20 French Toast Sticks Syrup String Cheese Fruit Fruit Juice	21 Cheese Omelet Graham Crackers Fruit Fruit Juice	22 Assorted Cereal Bars Fruit Fruit Juice	23 Cinnamon Bun Yogurt Fruit Fruit Juice
26 Apple Cinnamon Toast Fruit Fruit Juice	27 Scrambled Eggs WW Toast Fruit Fruit Juice	28 Cinnamon French Toast Yogurt Fruit Fruit Juice	29 Sausage Pizza Fruit Fruit Juice	30 Dutch Waffle String Cheese Fruit Fruit Juice

Welcome back!

2019-2020 Meal Prices

Reduced Breakfast \$0.30
Full Breakfast \$1.30

Each meal comes with choice of fat free or 1% white milk or 1% chocolate or strawberry milk.

Assorted Cereal choices are also available daily.

Each student needs to take **at least 3** options with one of them being a fruit.

Parents don't forget you can make payments and check your students account on myschoolbucks.com

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29	30	31	1	2
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12	13 "Taco Tuesday" Taco meat*, Shredded Cheese, Shredded lettuce*, Salsa, Sour cream* Tortilla Shell Refried Beans* Spanish Rice Corn* Diced Peaches*	14 Honey BBQ Poppers Dinner Roll Garden Bar* Tater Puffs Mixed Fruit* Strawberries*	15 Personal Deep Dish Pizza Garden Bar* Green Beans* Pineapple Tidbits* Gelatin Cup*	16 Hamburger* w/cheese Steamed Broccoli* Baby Carrots*w/ranch Diced Pears* Orange/Raspberry Sherbet*
19 Chicken Marinara Sub Steamed Broccoli* Golden Corn* Applesauce*	20 Sloppy Joe* Garden Bar* Spiral Cut Fries Diced Peaches*	21 Pasta with Meat Sauce Garlic Breadstick Garden Bar* Mixed Fruit* Carnival Cookie	22 Deli Meat Sub* Green Beans* Baby Carrots* w/Ranch Pineapple Tidbits* Baked Cinnamon Apples*	23 Wild Mikes Cheese or Pepperoni Pizza California Blend Veggies* Sweet Potato Fries Diced Pears*
26 "Breakfast for Lunch" French Toast Sticks with syrup Sausage Patties* Tater Tots* Celery Sticks* w/peanut butter* Applesauce*	27 Chicken Cordon Bleu Sandwich Steamed Broccoli* Mixed Veggies* Diced Peaches*	28 Mini Corn Dogs Garden Bar* Capri Blend Veggies* Mixed Fruit* Chocolate or Vanilla Pudding*	29 Chicken Nuggets Garden Bar* Green Beans* Pineapple Tidbits* Bug Bites Grahams	30 Personal Deep Dish Pizza Baby Carrots* w/Ranch* Golden Corn* Diced Pears*

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Reduced Breakfast \$0.30
Full Pay Breakfast \$1.30

Reduced Lunch \$0.40
Full Pay Lunch \$2.10

Each meal comes with choice of fat free or 1% white milk or 1% chocolate or strawberry milk.

Fresh fruit available daily.

Each student needs to take **at least 3** options with one of them being a fruit or vegetable, but is welcome to and encouraged to take all 5 options.

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