



November 2022

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Principal

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Greetings Beverly Families,

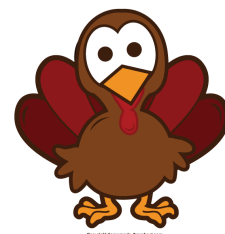
I would like to thank all of our volunteers who helped with the Fun Walk last month! They did an outstanding job continuing this tradition at Beverly. I would also like to thank everyone who has pledged money for the Fun Walk. We continue to have the greatest PTO in town, thanks to our great families!

Please subscribe to the Beverly Bobcat Nation Facebook Page. Ms. Coleman is adding stuff to it all the time. Just search for Beverly Bobcat Nation on Facebook. Please join us for our next PTO meeting on Tuesday, November 15th in the cafeteria. Also, please make sure to download the Beverly TPS app in the APP or Android store. We put information out there in real time.

I would like to kindly ask our families that pick their children up from school to not pull into the loop until after 3:10 P.M. This will help with the flow of traffic and prevent the traffic from being backed up on S. Detroit Ave. This will be the best fix for everyone, and it will allow for us to continue this method of dismissal. Thank you for your help with this!

Don't forget to turn your clocks back, an hour, on Sunday, November 6th for Daylight Savings Time.

Take care!



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NOVEMBER

- 7 - School Fall Picture Day
- 8 - Election Day – No Students / Teacher inservice
- 14 - Michigan/Ohio State Canned Food Drive Begins
- 15 - PTO Meeting 4:30 P.M.
- 21 - Spirit Day (OSU/Michigan)
Last day for Michigan/Ohio State Canned Food Drive
- 23 - No School -Thanksgiving Break
- 24 - No School- Thanksgiving Break
- 25 - No School- Thanksgiving Break

DECEMBER

- 19 – Last day of 2nd Quarter
- 20 - Teacher In-service – No Classes for Students (Winter Break Begins for Students)

JANUARY

- 4 - Teacher In-service- No Students
- 5 - School Resumes

NURSES NOTES

I am happy to announce that Beverly is 100% compliant with state required immunizations. Thank-you parents for your cooperation in getting your children up to date on their vaccinations!

FLU Season is Here!

Increase in Flu activity typically begins in the fall and lasts through the end of spring (October-May), with peak transmission during the winter months (December-February).

Those most at risk for Flu complications are infants, young children, people 65 and over, pregnant women, and people with health conditions that weaken the immune system.

Symptoms

- Fever
- Chills
- Muscle/Body Aches
- Fatigue
- Headache
- Cough/Congestion
- Vomiting/Diarrhea (more common in children)

CDC recommends everyone 6 months and older get an annual Flu vaccine.
(kids 6mos- 8yrs may need 2 doses)

Please keep your child home from school if they exhibit flu-like symptoms.

Per TPS policy, if a child has a fever, vomiting, or diarrhea, they may not return to school unless it has been 24 hours since the last episode of vomiting/diarrhea, OR they have been fever free WITHOUT the use of medication to reduce the fever.

If your child was vomiting or having diarrhea the night before, please do not send them to school the next day.

VISION/HEARING

As required by state, vision and hearing screenings are routinely conducted every year for students in KDG, 1st, 3rd, 5th, 7th, 9th and 11th grade, to detect potential problems.

Screenings do not detect all vision/hearing problems or diseases.

Screenings do not take the place of a comprehensive exam performed by eye/hearing specialists.

This year, our screenings will take place **November 14th, 15th, and 16th.**

If a student fails either of these screenings, parents will get a letter with a referral form to take to a specialist of their choice.

If any student is in need of glasses and finances are an issue, please contact me so I can further assist you.

Any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you!

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The Counselor's Beverly Newsletter for November, 2022-Ms. Gorney-Welch

It has been a busy time here at Beverly School. The fifth and sixth graders completed a survey about their career goals through our Naviance (Navigator Guidance) Program. You should have received a copy of the results when you came in for conferences. Please sit down with your child(ren) and review their answers with them. After the New Year, the sixth graders will set a goal for themselves and in May they will evaluate whether they have reached that goal. The goal can be anything from academics to social relationship or emotional well-being. You have access to the Naviance program, too. Your child can show you how to log on

and look over the website. You and your child have access to Naviance throughout their educational years while they are in the TPS district. Please contact me if you have questions about this Program. There is a link to the Program on the www.TPS.org website.

I met with the Kindergarten classes and read the book: “What if Everybody Did That?” by Ellen Javernick. We talked about different situations and how things would be if everyone did the same things that were good or had a negative impact on the classroom, playground, etc. The students were very good at talking about their experiences and they were very engaged in identifying what things we need to do at school so everyone can learn and be respectful of each other.

I will be visiting the first graders rooms’ in the coming two weeks and will read the “Chrysanthemum” book by Kevin Henkes. Afterward, we will have an activity where each group of students will create a flower from cut figures of our hands or apples. Each group will write their names on the cut-out pieces and combine them in such a way as to make a flower. The point being that we are all working together to belong to one classroom to work together in supporting one another. We all need hands up and not put-downs.

I will be visiting other grade levels throughout the quarter each with an activity or presentation appropriate to their grade levels.

*We are having issues at Beverly School with students being critical of each other, especially in grades four through eight. Behaviors have been challenging as students call names or make derogatory comments; there is a lot of blaming as well. Please ask your child about the other students in the classrooms and whether they are getting along or what they observe. Many misbehaviors occur when the students are in the cafeteria, on the playground, in the hallways or the restrooms. We are doing our best to encourage students to respect one another though they have their differences in personalities, etc. **We, certainly, appreciate and are very thankful for students who are always positive and kind to their classmates. We have many of them** **However, we need your help with the negativity that comes about when there is conflict.** It is one thing to have an opinion, however, that does not mean it has to be verbalized when other people can hear someone talking behind another person’s back. We appreciate your support. Please contact us if you know of any issues that we need to address.

Unfortunately, social media has a lot to do with negative behaviors that creep into our school. Please monitor your children’s time and “conversations” on the sites.

Thank you for keeping in touch and for all you do for your children and Beverly School. We would not be here without you! Have a grateful and rich Thanksgiving!



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Coleman's Corner

Greetings!

Beverly still follows the Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports guidelines of being: respectful, responsible and ready. Thus far, we have received approximately sixty (60) office referrals this year. Although, we haven't received many...we still have work to do. Most office referrals are for: inappropriate communication (profanity or unkind words), failure to follow directives, disrespect, or disruptive behavior. Please check in with your children to make sure they aren't on the giving or receiving end of these issues.

At the October PTO meeting, I mentioned that many times parents who don't follow the rules have children that mirror those same behaviors. We are doing our best to keep our students safe- especially at arrival and dismissal. Kindergarten through 8th grade drop off takes place on the Detroit side of the building, only. Urgent Care, the apartments located on Glanzman, the middle of Glanzman or Detroit, the Glanzman lot fire lane are all off limits and some are very unsafe. Please refrain from dropping off in the listed areas. Additionally, please refrain from jay walking across Glanzman. We have two very kind crossing guards, Ms. Roberta and Tim, that are here to assist with crossing the street.

The weather is beginning to cool down! Please make sure your children come to school with outerwear! That being said, if your child is in need of a winter coat...please let me know. Old Newsboys begin their coat drive November 7 and I'd be happy to place an order!

A big thank you to the PTO for organizing the FunWalk...what a perfect day! Also, thank you to PTO and the volunteers that helped make Trunk or Treat a success! The students seemed to have a great time.

As always, thank you for partnering with us!

