

BULLDOG BULLETIN



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER & MENU

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Mrs. Robin Becker

School Board Meeting, second Wednesday of each month at 7pm
Everyone welcome.

WEEK OF November 16, 2020

MENU

MON: Sloppy Joes on Bun, Sweet Potato Fries, Apple Slices, Milk
TUES: Chicken Noodle Soup, Crackers, Cooked Carrots, Pears, Milk
WED: Corn Dog, Peas, Applesauce, Milk
THUR: Turkey, Roll, Mashed Potato & Gravy, Strawberry Cup, Dessert, Milk
FRI: Pulled Pork Nachos, Baked Beans, Banana, Milk

Extra Milk: .35

Ala Carte: 1.50 GRADES 5-8

Salad Bar Available everyday, grades 1-8.

CALENDAR

Nov. 12 - Last Day to Wear Shorts to School

Nov. 16-Vision/Hearing Screening

Nov. 25-27-Thanksgiving Break

PTA

The Week #3 PTA raffle winner was Chad and Denise Frank. The winning ticket was sold by Mackenzie Bruns.

MRS. BECKER'S NOTES

We have successfully completed our 11th week of school. We look forward to making it 12 next week.

The daily absentee rate is posted to the district website every day. Just look for 'The Daily Update' article on the left hand side of the homepage. Absentee rates for the week of November 9 are:

Monday, November 9: 4.74%

Tuesday, November 10: 5.84%

Thursday, November 12: 6.34%

Friday, November 13: 7.30%

Current 10 Day Rolling Average: 5.74%

The goal is to keep our students healthy so the absentee rate remains below 10%. You have probably noticed that our absentee rate continues to be on the increase. While we are still below the 10% threshold, the upward trend is concerning.

As of today, we have:

- 0 students on quarantine due to potential exposure in school.
- 15 students on quarantine due to potential exposure outside of school.
- 1 student waiting on a COVID test result for a close contact.
- 1 employee waiting on a COVID test result.
- 3 employees on quarantine due to potential exposure outside of school.

There have been NO new positive COVID test results in the past week.

To keep our numbers below the 10% threshold, we need to be mindful of the following:

- Please keep any children with symptoms at home and communicate the child's symptoms to the office.
- **If someone in the home or a close contact tests for COVID, all children are to be kept home from school until the test results have been reported.**

SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS

School Board Election packets are now available in the office. Contact the school office at 523-4253 and ask for Leigh Ann if you are interested in picking up a packet to run for the Board of Education. The filing dates are December 14-21. The Consolidated General Election will be held on April 6, 2021.

APRIL ELECTION – Germantown Village

Board. Petitions can be circulated beginning September 22, 2020 for the position of Village President and Village Trustee (3 to be elected). Filing dates are December 14-21, 2020. For more information or to take out a petition, contact the Village Hall.

Germantown Elem. Book Fair-ONLINE ONLY November 2-15

Click [here](#) to access the on-line book fair.

Friday, November 13 is the last day for students to wear shorts to school until spring.

