

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 September 14, 2020

MENU

MON: Chicken Nuggets, Bread, Green Beans, Applesauce Cup, Milk
TUES: Cheeseburger/Bun, Sweet Potato Fries, Raisins, Milk
WED: Chicken Fajita Nachos, Corn, Mixed Berry Cup, Milk
THUR: Ham & Cheese Wrap, Garden Salad, Frozen Peaches, Milk
FRI: Pulled Pork/Bun, Baked Beans, Pineapple Chunks, Milk
ALA CARTE AND SALAD BAR WILL START 9/8/20
September Lunches: **57.00**
Extra Milk: **.35**
Ala Carte: **1.50 GRADES 5-8**
Salad Bar Available everyday, grades 1-8.

CALENDAR

Sept. 25-Mid-Term 1st. Quarter
Oct. 7-Picture Re-take Day

Germantown American Legion Fish Fry, Friday, September 11th. Serving from 4:00 to 7:00pm. Carry Outs Only. Outside Seating Available-weather permitting.

PTA

The PTA's annual fundraiser will once again be a raffle. Each family will be asked to sell 10 raffle tickets with each ticket costing \$10. Tickets were sent home with the students this week. Please be on the look out for them.

Every Friday starting October 23 through May 7, a \$100 winner will be drawn. On Friday, May 14, (2) \$500 winners will be drawn.

All money raised through the raffle will be allocated to technology. We have had to spend a rather significant amount of money on technology as of late. All K-8 students now have their own school issued device so they do not have to share with anyone. We made upgrades to the network so that it will be better served to handle the increased bandwidth. We also purchased educational software to assist teachers with providing students with meaningful on-line instruction. The money raised through the PTA raffle is imperative to the financial well-being of the school district and benefits the students greatly. Your help with selling tickets will be very much appreciated.

At this time, we are looking for businesses, and/or individuals that are interested in serving as a weekly sponsor for the \$100 weekly drawings. We need 29-\$100 sponsors. So far we have 11. If interested in serving as a raffle sponsor, email rbecker@germantownbulldogs.org, call the school office at 523-4253, or send the sponsorship money to school in a sealed envelope. Checks should be made payable to the Germantown PTA. Thank you for considering.

MRS. BECKER'S NOTES

We had another very good week of school. Our students continue to amaze us with their willingness to wear a mask and adjust to the new routines.

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 August 31 are as follows:

Monday, August 31: 3.63%
Tuesday, September 1: 2.82%
Wednesday, September 2: 4.56%
Thursday, September 3: 3.32%
Friday, September 4: 2.07%
Tuesday, September 8: 2.61%
Wednesday, September 9: 3.65%
Thursday, September 10: 4.10%
Friday, September 11: 4.38%

The goal is to keep our students healthy so the absentee rate remains below 10%.

Just a reminder that if someone in the home tests for COVID, any child (ren) in the home should refrain from coming to school until the test results come in. The outcome of the test results will determine when a child can return to school. We ask that families keep the office informed, so we are better served to keep COVID out of the building.

Looking for a fast turn-around on a COVID test? The fastest we have heard is Cahokia Wal-greens at 1201 Camp Jackson Road. Must be 18 or older to test at this site. Make an appointment to schedule a test. Results are typically available within a couple of hours.

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