



Apple Creek Elementary News



April 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 No School Spring Break	2 -----	3 -----	4 -----	5 -----	6
7	8 No School Solar Eclipse Day	9 PTO Meeting at 5:00	10 Stay and Learn 3:30-4:45	11	12	13
14	15 Stay and Learn 3:30-4:45	16 Gr 3-6 ELA OST	17 Gr 3-6 ELA OST	18 Gr 3-6 Math OST	19 Gr 3-6 Math OST	20
21	22 Stay and Learn 3:30-4:45 (last day of this program)	23 Gr 5 Science OST	24 Gr 5 Science OST	25 Kindergarten Registration at ACE	26 PTO Raffle Ticket Sales Ends	27
28	29	30 ACE Book Fair				

From the Principal's Desk

Below are upcoming events during the last nine weeks. As more events are scheduled, they will be shared.

- April 30-May 10- ACE Book Fair
- May 9- Grades 1-3 Spring Musical and PTO Raffle at WHS at 7:00pm
- May 13-16- 5th/6th Outdoor Ed Camp
- May 17- 5th/6th Track and Field Day at WHS; Kdg-4th Field Day at ACE
- May 22- Gr 1-3 Talent Show at 2:30
- May 23- Gr 5-6 Economics Fair; Gr 4-6 Talent Show at 2:30
- May 30- 6th Grade Recognition at 9:30 am

Solar Eclipse Details

Safety

1. Sunglasses, even multiple pairs, are not sufficient to protect your eyes from the sun/eclipse.
2. Eclipse glasses must be worn and the glasses must comply with the International Standard ISO 12312-2.
3. Make sure eclipse glasses are not scratched or torn, making them less effective.
4. The public library is handing out some glasses free of charge, but they only have a limited supply.
5. Glasses can be purchased fairly inexpensively online, just make sure they comply with the above ISO safety standard. I believe Walmart has some also; I would get them sooner than later.
6. Even with eclipse glasses on, people should not look at the sun through a camera, telescope, binoculars or any other optical device as the concentrated solar rays can damage the filter on the glasses causing eye injury.

7. Exposure can cause damage or even destroy cells in the retina (back of the eye). It may be temporary or permanent and can occur with no pain. It may take hours to days to realize the damage has occurred. It may cause loss of central vision, distorted vision or altered color vision.
8. Welder's glasses or shields are only safe if they are rated number 14 or higher.
9. When trying to take a picture of the eclipse through a cell phone or other camera, be careful not to accidentally look at the sun while setting up the picture.

Communications

If there is a large influx of eclipse viewers coming into the county, cell phone communications could be impacted.

1. Cell phone companies recommend that wireless users access secure wi-fi networks if they are available. This allows people to make calls and send texts without using their carrier's wireless network.
2. Parents should have a plan to communicate with children given that cell phones may not work for a period of time. Perhaps establish a check in time/location.

Driving

1. All drivers, but especially teen drivers should watch out for distracted drivers who may be trying to get a glimpse of the eclipse while driving.
2. There may be increased traffic in the area on April 8th and the preceding weekend; out of town drivers may not be familiar with our area, so may drive slowly or somewhat erratically.
3. Do not pull off onto a roadway berm to view the eclipse – this is a traffic hazard and needs to be free for emergency services.
4. Similarly, do not pull into an empty field to view the eclipse – all property belongs to someone.

The Caring Corner with Mrs. Amstutz

Honor Roll

Congratulations to the students who earned all A's and B's and had no office referrals during the 3rd nine weeks.

3rd Grade Mrs. Jolley	3rd Grade Ms. Brindley	4th Grade Mrs. Zimmerman	4th Grade Mrs. Wolfe
Emerson Badertscher	Thomas Anderson	Victor Cabrera-Henriquez	Sawyer Conrad
Jaxon Douglas	Nicoll Carrasco Flores	Madisyn Euga	Evelynn Eubanks
Hunter Graser	Dyson Edwards	Braxton Griffin	Lydia Falk
Jameson Harvey	Luke Feikert	Delaney Hewitt	Sammy Gaoa
Rozlyn Lehman	Fischer Hewitt	Daxton Johnstone	Ella Hostetler
Jase McCune	Logan Leguillon	Grayson Porter	Lexi Miller
Colton McElroy	Ondina Martinez	Addison Smith	Aaliyyah Spurlock
Toby Meyer	Alexa Mateo	Kyra Sobchik	Grayson Taylor
Rebekah Palmer	Casen Mitten		Oliver Weaver
Greyson Panek	Abi Ortez		Merritt Young
Skylar Streblov	Hadlee Schlabach		Isaac Zuercher
Lilah Suttle	Parker Schlabach		
Brantley Tobias			
Remington Wilfong			

5th Grade Mrs. Rising

Mady Akers
Penny Borntreger
Logan Carter
Nick Comiskey
Kara Roth
Kyle Schlabach
Braxton Weaver
Guinevere Young

5th Grade Mr. Held

Lexi Barker
Keely Duncan
Landon Hodge
Mason Hutton
Addisen Rowell
Kimber Stebleton
Jackson Suttle
Jayci Tanner
Aniaya Underwood

5th Grade Mrs. Pittman

Kylie Hershberger
Carly Jones
Deanna McElroy
Evelynn Miller
Grayson Miller
Logan Steiner
Skylar Wilson
Saryyleigh Spurlock

6th Grade Mrs. Hauenstein

Addy Conrad
Madalyn Harvey
Quinn Harwood
Karissa Leckrone
Evelyn Marthey
Leo Yoder
Kenny Martinez
Sophie Miller
Aiden Orr
Hope Shaffer
Silas Shultzman
Josh Zuercher

6th Grade Mrs. Morris

Jayda Brown
Owen Compston
Cole Sheedy
Ashlynn Shinn
Alyssa Yeagley

6th Grade Mrs. Rutt

Braydyn Berg
Rylan Harter
Jacob McCune
Scarlett Way