Hale Elementary/Middle School Newsletter

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LETTER FROM:
MR. LACAVERA

It is nice to be back! I would like to give a special thanks to Mrs. Barnes for filling in for me while I was recovering from my surgery.

The Halloween Parade was a hit! It looked like the students enjoyed themselves. We had a great turnout of parents and community members even in bad weather. I would like to thank Cindy Kocher for being the witch and the local businesses for donating the treats for all of the students. I hope we will have better weather for the parade next year!

Elementary/Middle School Events

- No School Friday, Nov. 13th for parent-teacher conferences.
- Parent – Teacher conferences will be held:
  Thursday Nov. 12th from 5 p.m.– 8 p.m. and Friday, Nov.13th from 9 a.m.- noon.
- Book Fair Nov. 9th – 13th
  Grandparent's Day is Wednesday Nov. 11th during lunch!
  Grandparents will be able to eat with their kids and go to the Book Fair and shop with them.
- Coats for Kids will be here during conferences Nov.12th and Nov. 13th.
- Picture Retake Day for both elementary & middle school students is Fri. Dec. 4th.
- **Our new Hale School website is up and running! Take a look: www.haleschools.net**
- If your child is late for **any** reason, we must have a parent/ guardian come in to the office to sign them in.
- Just a reminder that our cafeteria offers a free breakfast every morning. Students are encouraged to a get a healthy breakfast. Students arriving at school later than 8:15 will not be served breakfast. Please be sure your child is here between 7:45 and 8:00 in order to have breakfast. Class starts at 8:15 and students should be in their classroom at that time.
- Hale Youth Wrestling will be doing sign-up at Parent- Teacher conferences on Nov. 12th-13th. Please stop by and check us out!

- Just a reminder that last minute phones calls are discouraged. Phone calls should only be for an emergency situation. Please send a note with your child in the morning if there is a change in transportation.

- Middle School Sports:
  You now can look up all hale sports schedules on our website
  www.haleshools.net

Boys Basketball

Games start at 6:00 PM
Nov. 9 – at Arenac Eastern
Nov. 16- at Au Gres-Sims
Nov. 19 - at Rose City
Nov. 23 – home /Arenac Eastern
Nov. 30 – home / Rose City

Tournaments
Dec. 15 - at Arenac Eastern
Dec. 17 - at Arenac Eastern

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Cash for Trash

Attached you will find some information from Mrs. Brandt about a recycling program that she is in charge of. Please take a few minutes and review what you may be able to recycle.

H1N1

We've heard lots of information in the news about the H1N1 flu. Please be aware that we will continue to watch for any symptoms among our students and staff. If your child is not feeling well, please keep them at home so that others are not infected. Hand washing is probably the most effective way to avoid this virus. Please remind your children and other family members to wash hand often.

2ND ANNUAL
THANKSGIVING DINNER
Free to everyone Thanksgiving Day
2:00 PM to 5:00 PM
Plainfield Township Hall, Hale, MI

Hopefully this information in our newsletter is helpful to you. We will try to have one out each month to keep you updated as to events and happenings at Hale Elementary/Middle School. You can also view the newsletter and any other information on our new website
www.haleschools.net