NOTES FROM THE PRINCIPAL

The 2024 - 2025 School Year is off to a great start! We are having tons of fun and learning lots of great skills! We have had a lot of events happen, which include:

- Fire Prevention Week During the week of October 7, 2024 to October 11, 2024, students and staff celebrated Fire Prevention week with the help of the Forest City Emergency Services team. Students in 2nd and 3rd grade were able to experience the Scranton Fire Department's Smoke House and learn what to do in the event that a fire occurred and smoke filled the room. Students in Pre-K, Kindergarten, and 1st grades had a visit from firefighters in their classrooms where they learned what to do in an emergency. They then had the opportunity to explore the fire truck outside! Students in 4th, 5th, and 6th grades had an assembly with firefighters in the auditorium. The emergency team went over the steps students should take if a fire broke out. Thank you to the Forest City Emergency Services team for visiting our students and sharing your knowledge on safety!
- Red Ribbon Week-FCRES participated in Red Ribbon Week with different themed lessons each day. Each day, students learned about the dangers of drugs and how they can empower themselves to live their lives to their full potential by staying drug free. Each day students and staff were invited to dress up to match the theme of the day.
- Halloween Parade On Thursday, October 31, 2024, the elementary school held their annual Halloween Parade! Students dressed up in their costumes and walked around the elementary circle. Parents and caregivers were invited to watch. It was a great parade!

OUTSTANDING FORESTERS OF THE MONTH

The **October Outstanding Foresters** were announced on Wednesday, October 30, 2024. Students selected included:

- * Pre-K-Ms. Branning's Class-Grace Delfino
- * Kindergarten—Mrs. Michaels' Class—Lillian Monahan
- * Grade 1-Mrs. Monahan's Class-Harlow Osborne
- * Grade 2-Mrs. Roglich's Class-Joesphine Caporali
- * Grade 3—Mrs. McGraw's Class—Brayden Ventura
- * Grade 4—Mrs. Goben's Class—Whitney DeGroat
- *Grade 5-Mrs. Sisson's Class-Harmony Penrose
- *Grade 6-Miss Palmer's Class-Dante Robinson
- *The September Super Sixth Grader was: Raegan Eltz

Congratulations to all our Outstanding Foresters!!

UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

Forest City Regional Elementary looks forward to a busy start of the 2024-2025 school year! Some important events include:



PTO Meeting- The FCRES PTO will hold their monthly meeting on Wednesday, November 20, 2024 at 6:00 pm in the Maker Space. All parents, caregivers, teachers, and staff are invited to attend!



Curriculum Night - On Tuesday, November 26, 2024, we will host our annual Curriculum Night. "Get in the Game" with us as we showcase the different components of our curriculum we utilize with fun games and activities for everyone to enjoy.

Early Dismissal - There will be an early dismissal on Wednesday, November 20, 2024 and also on November 27, 2024. Pre-K will dismiss at 12:00 pm. Kindergarten to 6th will dismiss at 12:15pm.

Birthdays

In keeping with the Wellness Policy, we ask that for any birthday celebrations please purchase through the school cafeteria.

NOVEMBER 13TH IS WORLD KINDNESS DAY!

Wear your Lydia's Light shirt today!

No School on:

November 28th, 29th & December

2nd

Quote of the Month

"Persistence can change failure into extraordinary achievement."

~ Matt Biondo

Enrollment as of 10.28.2024

K4 - 58

K5- 55

Grade 1 - 48

Grade 2 - 65

Grade 3 - 50

Grade 4 - 55

Grade 5 - 58

Grade 6 - 48

Total - 439