



SPRING BOOK FAIR - ELEMENTARY

Our spring book fair at the elementary school will be held April 19th - 27th. Volunteers are needed in order to make this a successful event for the students. Please contact Mrs. Kristi Smith (989-5334 or kristi.smith@carlisle.k12.ia.us) if you have an hour or two that you could share with us. Daily hours will be 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. We will also be open during the Art/Resource Fair on April 22nd until 7:00 p.m. Thank you for being generous with your time!

CARLISLE ELEMENTARY RESOURCE FAIR

A variety of organizations will be available from 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. in the Carlisle Elementary Multipurpose Room on Thursday, April 22nd for our Resource Fair. The goal is to provide information about what they do and how they can help children and families enrich their lives. You will also be able to find volunteer opportunities for your family. You can also visit the Art Show in the multipurpose room, where student art work will be displayed. Be sure to check out the Book Fair in the elementary media center. We have new books and educational materials that will interest every member of your family. You can hit three school wide events at once- the Art Show, Book Fair, and Resource Fair...come check it out! Refer any questions to Miss Julie Long, Mrs. Rhonda Ray, Mrs. Denise Anderson, Mrs. Kristi Smith, or Mrs. Lori Candee at 989-5333.

VARIETY SHOW

Join us for a night of fun and entertainment to show off the talents of our students! Our second annual Variety Show will be held on Saturday, April 17th at 7:00 p.m. in the high school gym. Admission is only \$3, and there will be a dessert bar during intermission. We hope to see you at this event, which is sponsored by the Fine Arts Boosters.

ELEMENTARY CAREER DAY

Upcoming in May, we are hosting an Elementary Career Day. We will host an outdoor Career Day for 2nd and 3rd graders on Friday, May 7th (rain date is May 14th). Kindergartners and 1st graders will visit indoor career stations on Friday, May 7th. We have families and community members speak to our students regarding a variety of traditional and nontraditional careers. You may think your career is not exciting, but think differently! From a child's eyes, you are amazing! If you are interested in participating, contact the school counselors:
Rhonda Ray (989-5333) rhonda.ray@carlisle.k12.ia.us Julie Long (989-5327) julie.long@carlisle.k12.ia.us

PARENTING FOR SCHOOL SUCCESS

Research has consistently shown that a parent or guardian's involvement is key to the educational success of a child. It leads to a higher level of academic achievement and better behavior, among other positives. A lack of involvement, researchers say, can lead to misbehavior, poor grades and higher dropout rates. This is why the Iowa Parent Information Resource Center and the Iowa Parent-Teacher Association will host "Parenting for School Success," a day-long summit on April 24 to provide parents and others influential in a child's life information about how to help children in areas such as homework and to learn ways to increase their involvement.
For more information, go to http://www.iowapta.org/files/documents/pdf/Convention_Flyer.pdf.

CARLISLE GIRLS SOFTBALL

There will be a Bam Bam parents meeting on Tuesday, April 20th, at 6:30 p.m. at the Family Life Center. Please try and attend to get all of the season information! Bam Bam Pictures will be Saturday, May 1st from 9:00 a.m. – noon in the Elementary multi-purpose room. Coaches will be calling with more information. CGSA Pictures will be Sunday, May 2nd from 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. in the Middle School gym. Coaches will be calling with more information. Please don't wear cleats in the school. CGSA would like to thank all of the volunteers who came out and helped clean up the parks last weekend for Park Clean Up Day. We couldn't have done it without all of the parents, coaches and players taking time out to help get the fields and park ready for the 2010 season!

LUNCH ACCOUNT CHARGES – CLARIFICATION

If you notice several lunch or breakfast charges on one day for your child, this is possibly due to the lunch program not being able to complete the daily processing application. If the processing application cannot be completed on any given day, the lunch or breakfast charge will show the date the process was completed rather than the date for the actual charge. We apologize for any confusion this may cause. If you have any questions on your child's lunch account, please call 989-3589.

CAN DRIVE FOR SOCCER TEAM

The Carlisle Girls High School Soccer Team will be holding a can drive on Saturday, May 22nd. Please save your cans and bottles and drop them off at the school parking lot the morning of May 22nd between 8:00 a.m. and noon. There will be a truck and trailer in the parking lot by the concession stand to collect the cans and bottles. Pick up is available. Call Julie Benhart, team parent, at 515-491-3774 with any questions or pick up requests. Thank you for your support!



ACTIVITIES CALENDAR				
DATE	TIME	SPORT	OPPONENT	FACILITY
4/16/2010	4:30PM	Boys Middle School Track	Winterset Junior High School	Winterset
4/16/2010	6:30PM		Middle School Social	Middle School Commons
4/17/2010	7:00PM		Fine Arts High School Variety Show	High School Gym
4/19/2010	4:00PM	Boys Varsity Golf	Des Moines Christian High School	Copper Creek Golf Course
4/19/2010	4:00PM	Girls Varsity Golf	Des Moines Christian High School	Willow Creek Golf Course
4/19/2010	4:15PM	Boys Middle School Track	Adel Desoto Minburn Junior High School	Adel
4/19/2010	5:00PM	Girls Varsity Track	Bondurant-Farrar High School	Bondurant
4/19/2010	5:30PM	Boys JV/Varsity Soccer	Boone	Boone
4/19/2010	5:30PM	Girls JV/Varsity Soccer	Boone	High School Football Field
4/20/2010	4:15PM	Girls Middle School Track	Middle School Girls Wildcat Invitational	Carlisle High School Track
4/20/2010	5:00PM	Boys Varsity Track	Ballard High School	Ballard High School Track
4/20/2010	5:00PM	Girls Varsity Track	Dallas Center-Grimes High School	Grimes
4/20/2010	6:00PM		Street Smarts Drivers Education	Health Occ. RM
4/21/2010			Carlisle Elementary Book Fair (Through April 30 th)	Carlisle Elementary Media Center
4/21/2010			Staff Professional Development – 1:30 Dismissal	
4/22/2010	7:30AM		JEL/SADD Meeting	High School Room 124
4/22/2010	4:00PM	Boys Varsity Golf	Jefferson-Scranton High School	Copper Creek Golf Course
4/22/2010	4:00PM	Girls Varsity Golf	Jefferson-Scranton High School	Jefferson
4/22/2010	4:15PM	Boys Middle School Track	MS Boys Wildcat Invitational	Carlisle High School Track
4/22/2010	5:00PM		Resource Fair and K-5 Art Show	Carlisle Elementary Multi-Purpose
4/22/2010	5:00PM	Boys JV/Varsity Track	Saydel High School Saydel Invitational	Saydel High School
4/22/2010	5:00PM	Girls JV/Varsity Track	Roland Story High School	Story City
4/22/2010	6:00PM		Street Smarts Drivers Education	Health Occ. RM
4/23/2010	4:30PM	Boys Varsity Track	Winterset High School	Winterset
4/23/2010	5:30PM	Boys JV/Varsity Soccer	DCG High School	Grimes
4/23/2010	5:30PM	Girls JV/Varsity Soccer	DCG High School	Carlisle High School Football Field
4/24/2010	TBA		FCCLA Awards Banquet	High School Commons
4/24/2010	TBA		Student Council Highway Cleanup	

* Please check our website at www.carlisle.k12.ia.us for updated information.

MENUS

1:30 Dismissal

Monday, April 19

Chicken Patty Sandwich
Mashed Potatoes
Jello Cake
Peaches
Milk

Tuesday, April 20

Tacos
Rice
Potato Oles
Apple Juice
Milk

Wednesday, April 21

Pizzatas
Corn
Strawberries
Pudding
Milk

Thursday, April 22

Corn Dogs
Baked Beans
Italian Blend Vegetables
Chocolate Chip Cookie
Banana
Milk

Friday, April 23

Grilled Cheese
Tomato Soup
Granola Bar
Apple
Milk

Breakfast

Cereal

Breakfast

Breakfast Pizza

Breakfast

Pancake/Sausage on Stick

Breakfast

Egg & Sausage

Breakfast

Donut

A La Carte

Bread Stick

A La Carte

Garlic Cheese Bread

A La Carte

Egg Roll

A La Carte

Seasoned Potatoes

A La Carte

Pizza

All breakfast items will be served with fruit juice or fruit and milk. Cereal is offered every day in addition to the regular breakfast item.