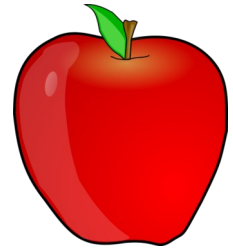


Let's Go Bulldogs!

Barhitte News



Kindergarten Round-up

March, 2017

Bentley's annual Kindergarten Registration will be held April 17-18.

The District will provide full day classes for the 2017/2018 school year. Registration is for all kindergarten age students within our district boundaries as well as those outside of our district who wish to apply through Schools of Choice.

Registration will take place at Barhitte Elementary School, 6080 Roberta Street, Burton. Appointments are available from 8:30-11:00 am and 12:30-3:00 pm

Call the Barhitte Elementary office at (810) 591-9661 to schedule your child's registration appointment. Plan to allow approximately 30 minutes for your scheduled appointment.

Please bring with you to your appointment:

The child to be enrolled

The child's original Birth Certificate

The child's immunization record, a physical is not required

Two proofs of Residency; Parent driver's license, current utility bill, lease agreement, etc.

Upcoming Events

- ⇒ 3/1/17 Late Start Wed
- ⇒ 3/3/17 Progress Reports sent home
- Formar visits Kindergarten
- ⇒ 3/7/17 Miss Cobb's Field Trip
- ⇒ 3/8/17 Late Start Wed
- ⇒ 3/9/17 Wear Crazy Socks Day!
- ⇒ 3/12/17 Daylight Savings Begins. Set clocks ahead 1 hour!
- ⇒ 3/15/17 Late Start Wed
- ⇒ 3/16/17 Pawstive Parents Meeting 6:00-7:00 "Reading Night"
- Wear your favorite Team T-shirt Day!
- ⇒ 3/17/17 St. Patrick's Day 3rd Grade "Rock's What Else?" Program
- Wear Green Day!
- ⇒ 3/20/17 First Day of Spring!
- Miss Cobb's Donuts with Dad's 8:30-9:30
- ⇒ 3/22/17 Late Start Wed
- ⇒ 3/23/17 Mrs. Weycker and Mrs. Williams Field Trip
- Wear as many colors as you can day!
- ⇒ 3/24/17 Mrs. Jensen's Field Trip
- ⇒ 3/27/17 Author C.W. Hoffman visits Kindergarten and 1st Grade
- ⇒ 3/28/17 Mrs. Adelberg's Field Trip
- ⇒ 3/29/17 Late Start Wed
- ⇒ 3/30/17 Wear your PJ's Day!
- ⇒ 3/31/17 End of 3rd Marking Period
- Miss Cobb's Read-In
- ⇒ 4/3/17—4/7/17 No School-Spring Break

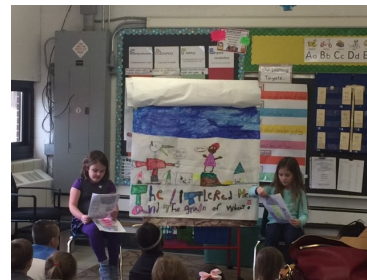
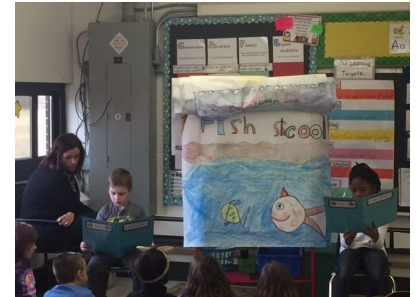
♥ Welcome to Kindergarten



A big “Thank You” to everyone who donated books. They are on their way to Tonga. The kids there are excited to use them!



Mrs. Tucker's Reader's Theater



Michigan Art Association

We are excited to announce that the following students were recognized at the Region 10 Michigan Art Education Competition:

- Selena Russell—Kindergarten
- Addison Morey—2nd Grade
- Joshua Downs—5th Grade
- Benjamin Russell—5th Grade



March is Reading Month

Barhitte Families-

We have put together an exciting calendar of reading activities for you to do at home and at school the entire month of March to celebrate March is Reading Month!

Some key calendar events are our dress up days:

Thursday, March 9 - Wear crazy Socks

Thursday, March 16 - Wear your favorite team shirt day

Thursday, March 23 - Rainbow day- wear as many colors as you can.

Thursday, March 30 - PJ day

The Family Reading Pawsitive Parent night will be Thursday March 16 at 6 - 7 pm at Barhitte. Please mark your calendar and plan on joining us for an enjoyable time!

Sent home with your child is a reading log. Please encourage your child to read, read, read! The winning class will win a dance party with Ms. McCollum!

HAPPY READING!!!

Picture this

Good readers form mental pictures as they read. To improve your child's comprehension, read a book without letting him/her see it. Then, ask him/her to guess what the illustrations look like. Examples: How are the characters dressed? Is the setting bright or gloomy.

***Home and School Connection*



UNICEF

Mrs. Anderson's third grade class have become advocates for world hunger. In the fall Mrs. Anderson entered a contest to win a classroom set of UNICEF Kid's Power Bands. UNICEF is a worldwide humanitarian company which works to fight for the rights of children around the world. The Kids Power Bands are a Fit Bit like bracelet that track children's steps and turn them into power points. After children earn enough power points they are changed into therapeutic food packets for malnourished children around the world. The idea is to help get kids become more active in a fun way and then they in turn help children all over the world. The children complete missions and learn about malnutrition and children around the world. The third graders have had their bands for about a week now and have already earned 147 power points and have unlocked 14 food packets! We are in training now and will officially be going on missions on March 1st with the launch of UNICEF kids power journey.



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*Every Child, Every Day
- Whatever it Takes.*

Principal's Corner

Parent involvement is vital to your child's education. Research shows that when schools and parents work together children:

- Earn higher grades and test scores
- Attend school regularly
- Like school more
- Have better social skills
- Graduate and attend college

Ways you can be involved:

- Communicate with your child's teacher regularly
- Attend parent-teacher conferences
- Attend PAWSitive Parent meetings
- Attend special events
- Volunteer in the classroom or help with a project
- Serve on a school committee

If you would like to be involved in any of the above mentioned suggestions and are not sure how, please feel free to call the office and we would be happy to help!

Ms. McCollum

Visit us at
www.bentleyschools.org

We had a lot of children, along with Mrs. Gusie and Miss Cobb, participate in a Food Give-A-Way at Flint First Wesleyan Church on Saturday, February 4, 2016. They were able to give \$150 towards The Big Truck Food Giveaway! Great job everyone!!



Mrs. Jensen's Reader's Theater!

