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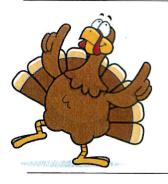
Thursday, November 9<sup>th</sup> Newsletter sent via email

Thursday, November 9<sup>th</sup>
Veterans Day Assembly
9:30am in the gym

Friday, November 10<sup>th</sup>
No School for Observation of Veterans Day

Parent Teacher Conferences
Held on Tuesday November 14
Wednesday November 15
Thursday November 16

**EARLY DISMISSAL 1:15PM** 



## Turkey Raffle Winners

Jaylice Gary Megan Gagne Maria Rubinaccio



Due back to school for November 17th

#### Please Come Join Us



Erving Elementary School will be holding our annual Veterans Day Celebration on November 9<sup>th</sup> 2017

We would like to invite family members of our veterans, parents/guardians and community members to join us in honoring our veterans on November 9<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am. Our assembly will include students escorting our honored guests to the gym, the Pledge of Allegiance, a performance by our chorus as well as various other selections to honor our guests.



Mrs. Parse's class came to the office for Halloween all dressed up and sang, "Stirring the Brew" to us ©



Dear Families and Friends of Erving Elementary School,

Thank you to those parents who turned up at our first PTO meeting a couple of weeks back. Our next meeting is on Monday November 13th, starting with dinner at 5:30pm. Our goal for this next meeting is to elect new officials (President, Secretary, Treasurer) for the PTO. Over the years, traditions at Erving Elementary School have been honored and support by the many dedicated parents who have stepped up to serve the PTO in a variety of ways. Unfortunately, as time goes by, these parents move on in support of their children's next school. We need to generate that same enthusiasm and commitment among our current parents, in the hope that we can make a difference in the lives of our students. We can make this difference if we work together, take responsibility, and share of the load. We all want to make decisions that best fit the needs of our students in today's environment. These decisions may involve a change in direction, possibly a new way to look at how we best support our students. The PTO is a great way to help make those changes become reality. I hope you will come along for an hour on the 13<sup>th</sup> to share your talent, time, and enthusiasm for your child's school. I look forward to meeting you on the night.

Phase 1 of the walking/running track has been completed. Thank you to the team at the Town of Erving Highway Department for working on this project. During these past two weeks, the track was marked out, excavated, and material laid and compacted. Phase 2 will occur next spring. This second phase will include; re-compacting of material, surrounding grass verges will be manicured, and the track will be lined. During this first winter we do expect some shifting of material, along with a possible encroachment of the grass verge, while everything settles in. Students, staff, and members of the Erving community are free to walk on the track in its current state. All we ask is that you clean the soles of your shoes when exiting the area. On behalf of the students and staff, we wish to extend a special thank you to the Erving Recreation Commission for their support in providing our students with a wonderful opportunity to live a healthy lifestyle.

Remember to change your clocks this weekend! Time fall back one hour on Sunday.

Have a lovely weekend.

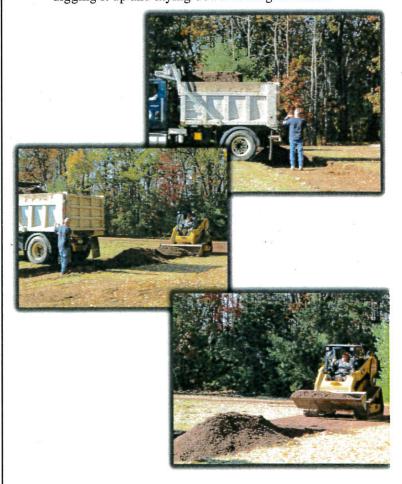
Sincerely,



Jim Trill



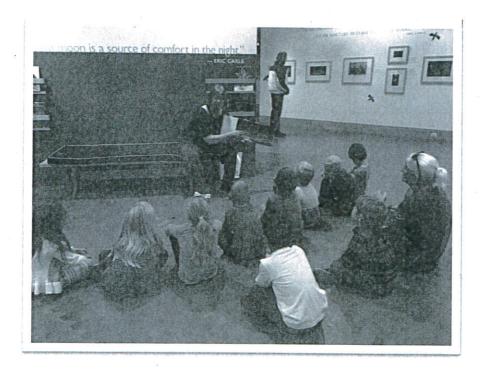
Thank you to the Town of Erving Highway Department for getting the 100 Mile Club Track all ready for us to use. The guys have been working for the past 2 weeks digging it up and laying down some gravel turf.



\*Please be sure to wipe your feet prior to coming into the school as the track need time to settle and the dust will travel in on your feet.

### KINDERGARTEN NEWS November 3, 2017

Greetings from Kindergarten! What an exciting field trip we had on Friday to the Eric Carle Museum and Groff Park. We also had an awesome visit with the author Tad Hills. He read one of his Duck and Goose stories for us and then drew some of his characters from his stories right there in front of us! It was very interesting to see how he makes them out of everyday shapes and suddenly there's a duck! Thanks Mrs. Urban for this wonderful trip. We have been very busy measuring everything we can in our classroom. We will be wrapping up this *Investigations* unit next week. Each student created their own ten



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back to measuring a few times. Echo the Owl now has 18 letters she has introduced and is working with. Her baby, Jackie, also has shown the kindergartners what the lowercase versions could look like in print

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# After School Program

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After School Program had a busy week this week. Our Halloween festivities involved pumpkin painting, a treat guessing game and scavenger hunt. Some of the kids did a cooking class with Mrs. Flaherty and made English muffin pizzas. On Wednesdays a group of kids will be selected to do some cooking. Next week the children will be making pepperoni and cheese melts. ©

We kicked off the next holiday with a Thanksgiving day Bingo themed game. Finishing our week with making some glow in the dark bouncy balls and Balloon Rockets. Looking ahead we will be putting together a STEAM run program of Robotics with Mr. Smith. This program will run for about a month on Thursday afternoons for about an hour. Have a Great weekend.





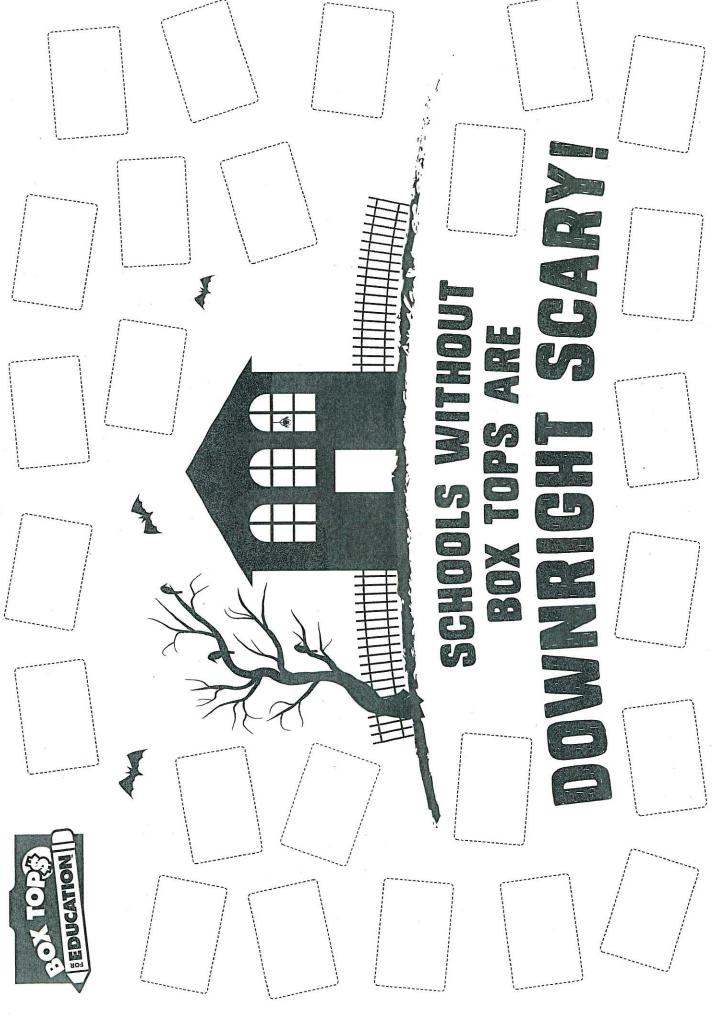












should not be attached to this sheet – please submit them separately. To see more ways to earn cash for Thank you for helping! Clipped Box Tops are each worth 10¢ for your child's school. Bonus certificates your child's school, go to BTFE.com. See more collection sheets at BTFE.com/collectionsheets.

# Erving Eagles Basketball Sign-Ups Ongoing Now thru November 30<sup>th</sup>



Sign Up Online: https://ervingrec.wufoo.com/forms/basketball-2017/

Kindergarten, 1st and 2nd Grade - Instructional

3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys and Girls Teams

5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys and Girls Teams

### \$25 per child

Sign up online or fill out the registration form and drop it off with payment in the Rec EES Drop Box or the Rec Town Hall Drop Box. Final registration forms are due by November 30<sup>th</sup> at 3:15pm!! If you miss sign-ups, your child still may be eligible to play, but will not receive a uniform.

Practices start in mid-December, and are generally on weekday evenings at the Elementary School.

Games for 3-6 grades are played on Saturday mornings.

### Erving Recreation Commission Child Registration Form

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### 100 Mile Club® Wednesday Afternoon Walking Club

Every Wednesday through November the Erving Recreation Committee is offering an opportunity for students to gain miles for the 100 Mile Club®. Every Wednesday afternoon from 1:30-2:30 will be designated to allow kids to walk and log miles toward their incentives! Families are also strongly encouraged to join their student and log their own miles. Remember that incentives are given for walking 25, 50, 75 and 100 Miles.

If your child is interested in walking on Wednesday afternoon, please complete the permission slip below and have your child turn it in to the office no later than Wednesday morning. Children cannot participate without a signed permission slip. Participants will meet in the gym at the end of the day for instructions from the adult responsible for the group. The plan is to walk outside whenever possible so please be sure that your child comes dressed appropriately. A water bottle is strongly encouraged. New this year, students can be picked up at 2PM or 2:30PM. Students must remain with the walking group until an adult picks them up. They will not be allowed to play on the structures or blacktop due to limited adult supervision in these areas.

Parent Signature:

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