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Spring Event Update!

Art Appreciation Week

The Panther Pride Club is pleased to announce, that in collaboration with the Climax-Scotts Elementary teachers and staff, we will be celebrating Art Appreciation Week during the week of April 18-22. Please save the date on Friday April 22 from 6:30-8 for a Student Art Exhibit which will take place at our school. Our teachers are busy planning the activities that will take place in their classroom. If you love art, or just want to help our teachers with this fun event- we encourage you to contact them and see if they need any additional help that week!

Next Meeting

The next Panther Pride Club meeting will be Thursday March 17th in the Elementary Library at 5:45 pm.

We will work on Art Appreciation Event planning, Fun Run details and more!

Save the Date!

March 17th- Panther Pride Club meeting
5:45 pm

April 22 -Student Art Exhibit

May 2-6 Teacher Appreciation Week

May6- Panther's Run for Fun'ds Fundraising event!

May 20- Grandparent's Day

Panthers Run for Fun'ds

As many of you know, our school continues to lose funds through state cuts and even loss of students as parents move for job relocation.

While the Panther Pride Club did conduct the magazine sales fundraiser at the beginning of the school year, we have made every effort to NOT go to our parents asking for money unnecessarily. As we have continued through the school year, we have continued to pay money out for a variety of worthy causes including (but not limited to) :

The School Open House in the fall, a fan for our kitchen staff, Walkie Talkies for recess monitors to have fast access to the office in the case of an emergency on the playground, teacher supplies, 3 free books to EVERY Y5-5th grader throughout the year, Grandparent's Day, 5th grade camp, school enrichment activities (Art Appreciation Week etc); Fun Day at the end of the school year etc. We continue to discuss many ideas that we would love to bring to fruition over the next school year including such possibilities as Family Movie Night; Santa Workshops; Spanish clubs and more school assemblies etc. In our efforts to bring more opportunities to your children, it is imperative that we have one final fundraiser this year to be able to afford these additional events.

The Panther Pride Club is planning a Fun Run for Friday May 6th which will occur during the school day, on school grounds. We hope that when information is sent home in April, you will consider supporting our efforts in any way possible. 100% of all money collected is spent right here on our own school and students.

Just for Fun!

Did you know that the Panther Pride Club has a website? We do! Visit the district website at cssschools.net and click the "Parents" link in the upper right. Scroll down to the Panther Pride Club link. You can view our past newsletters and even meeting minutes!

The following events are not endorsed or planned by the Climax-Scotts Elementary School or staff or the Panther Pride Club- they are only included for your possible enjoyment.

3/19-3/20 Kalamazoo Living History Show- Kalamazoo county fairgrounds and expo center. 36th annual event with over 10,000 re-enactors from the French & Indian War through the Civil War are featured along with the finest craftsmen, dealers and history buffs from across the Nation. Admission: Adults \$7 for 1-day pass, \$10 for weekend pass. Children under 12 are free. For more information contact Leslie Martin Conwell at 765-563-6792 or klhs@dcwi.com www.KalamazooShow.com (9am-5pm Sat or 10a-3pm Sunday)

In honor of Reading Month in March... here are the times and locations for our local library! You will find the Climax branch across the road from the Climax Post Office.

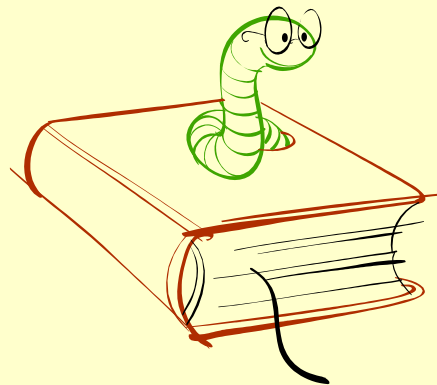
Lawrence Memorial Library

Lawrence Memorial Public Library
107 North Main Street
PO Box 280
Climax, Michigan 49034

Phone & Fax: (269) 746-4125

Main Branch

Day	Hours
Sunday	Closed
Monday	2:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Tuesday	2:00 – 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday	2:00 – 7:00 p.m.
Thursday	2:00 – 7:00 p.m.
Friday	Closed
Saturday	9:00 – 12:00 noon



Scotts Branch (Located in Pride of Scotts Building)

Day	Hours
Wednesday	2:00 – 5:00 p.m.