

ECHS ANNOUNCEMENTS – March 20, 2018

Duty This Week: A.M. – Mrs. Simmers

P.M. – Mr. Swardstrom & Mrs. Cowling

TODAY

- FBLA full chapter meeting during RTI in the cafeteria
- Volleyball open gym 3:30-5:00 in Gym 1
- JV Baseball vs. Hamilton County – HOME
- JV Softball vs. Lawrenceville – AWAY

WEDNESDAY

- Envirothon practice in Mrs. Frankland's room at 7:30 am
- FFA meeting during RTI in the cafeteria
- Spanish Club officers meeting during RTI in Mr. Balding's room
- Softball vs. Clay City – HOME

THURSDAY

- Gracie Perkins, Ashten Brock, Maggie Hendricks, & Austin McWhirter please meet in the office during RTI.
- Envirothon practice in Mrs. Frankland's room at 7:30 am
- Baseball vs. North Clay – HOME

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

- Farmers Share Breakfast 6:30-9:30 a.m. @ Edwards County Farm Bureau
- V & JV Baseball vs. Flora – AWAY – 11:00 am
- JV Softball Tourney @ East Richland – 9:00 am

Students: There have been several issues the last few weeks that need addressed again. All of these were addressed at the beginning of the year and seem to have been dismissed by several students. There are still several weeks of school so please address the following issues:

- Please do not throw items in the cafeteria. There have been several instances of food being thrown on others. Please respect others and the custodians and stop throwing items.
- Reminder, there are to be no drinks in hallways or classrooms that are anything but water. No exceptions!
- Cell phones are also to be kept in lockers all day except RTI.
- Drivers, you must be in a marked parking spot in the student lot only. You must also stay out of the grass if you want to continue driving to school.
- Juniors, please stay out of the senior lot or face consequences.

Please refer to the handbook if you have questions. There will be discipline issued if these items do not get fixed per Mr. Julius.

Lost: Red & black ScanDisk flash drive. Please return to office.

Kyle Mewes, Erica Michels, Emily Nead, and Micah Rowe please stop by the office sometime today to pick up your Honor Marshall gowns.

FFA Students: Several of you have not yet paid your FFA dues. You will not be allowed to participate in any more FFA events until the dues are paid.

Students helping with the Farmer's Share Breakfast on Saturday need to arrive 5 minutes ahead of their scheduled work time and please park on the square to leave room for guests. Remember to wear your FFA t-shirts.

Prom Tickets Going On Sale Soon!

JUNIORS & SENIORS: Tickets for "The Roaring Twenties" will be sold on March 27th & 28th during both lunch hours. Prom 2018 will be held on April 28 in the Linda Oxby Gymnasium. Tickets are \$25 each – this includes your meal & an evening of dancing. Tickets are non-refundable/non-transferrable. Guest Request forms must be completed for guests who do not attend ECHS. Forms are available in the HS Office.

TIME TO ORDER YEARBOOKS! Order forms for yearbooks are available in the office. The deadline to order is April 3rd. Order forms can be returned to Charlene Lynch in the library or you may order online at www.iconikschools.com/yearbooks.

Mrs. Simmers & Mrs. Cowling's students please turn your field trip permission slips ASAP. You may not attend the field trip without a parent signed permission slip. The field trip is Friday, March 23.

SENIORS: If you are planning to attend Wabash Valley College or Olney Central College, you may now call to make advising appointments for Fall 2018. If you need help scheduling your appointment, see Mrs. Biggs.

We are hosting a Blood Drive called the "Pint-Sized Hero" Blood Drive on Monday, March 26th from 3:30-7:30 p.m. in the AGS cafeteria. This is where students at AGS recruit an adult to come in and donate blood and by doing so they earn a medal. We would like to take it a step further and encourage any student who didn't donate blood at our high school drive on March 1st to come in and donate. Here is what we are offering:

- Any high school student who donates blood will be put in a drawing to win a \$25.00 Subway gift card.
- Any Senior who donates blood will be given 1 hour in STAR points for their time donating.
- Any Senior who donates cookies to the refreshment table will be given 1 hour in STAR points.
- Any student who donates blood AND brings in another adult who also donates blood, your name will be entered twice in the Subway gift card drawing.

In order to donate blood, you must be at least 16 years old, weigh at least 110 pounds and it must be at least 56 days since your last donation. If you are interested in signing up to donate blood or cookies or both, please see Nurse Erica or Sandy in the nurse's office to pick up a consent form. Thank you in advance for helping save lives!

Seniors who have turned in pictures to be scanned for the graduation slideshow can pick up your originals in Mrs. Rotramel's room. Those who have not turned in pictures, please do so ASAP or we will use your yearbook picture.

Eastern Illinois University will be hosting one more Department Visit Day. Anyone can attend, but this would be especially beneficial to Juniors who are thinking about attending EIU after graduation. Please see Mrs. Biggs for additional information. The final visit day is Wednesday, April 4, 2018
College of Sciences 12:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Scholarships currently available (see Mrs. Biggs or the school website for more info and links to many of the scholarships).

Albion Moose Family Center Scholarship-due March 23rd
Albion Moose Family Center Career Technical Education Scholarship-due March 23rd
Nichols Memorial Grant for Education Majors-due March 24th
Genelle Jackson and Jessie Allhands Educational Trust Scholarship-due March 26th at noon
George H and Marguerite C Luthe Educational Trust Scholarship-due March 26th at noon
West Salem Fire Department- due March 29th
ECHS FFA Scholarship-due March 29th
Sons of the American Legion-due March 29th
Samaria Missionary Baptist Church Scholarship-due March 29th
Edwards County Teachers' Association-due March 29th
Russ Beadles Memorial Scholarship-due April 1st
Olney Central College Academic Scholarships-due April 2nd
Olney Central College Music Tuition Waivers-see Mrs. Biggs for more info
Forest Jostes Memorial Scholarship-due April 3rd
Wayne Pollard Memorial Scholarship-due April 6th
Kenneth L Cunningham Memorial Scholarship-due April 6th
Reed Kelsey Memorial Scholarship-due April 6th
Hermitage Masonic Lodge #356 Paul S & Molly Nierenburg-due April 15th
Hermitage Masonic Lodge #356 Floyd & Mary Katherine Beuchat-due April 15th
WADI Scholarships (need based)-due April 26th