Admit your mistakes: they are your best teacher ever!



Today is "B" Day

Late Arrival Day: Wednesday, Nov. 16

Wednesday, Nov. 16, 2016 will be a Late Arrival Day. Students get to arrive to school one hour late. Watch an extra hour of TV the night before or sleep in longer in the morning, but remember that your poor teachers arrive as usual and expect to see your homework done and assignments completed.



Girls Basketball Team: YOU MADE US PROUD

It was as close as the Presidential Elections! With 16 seconds left on the clock, Stout girls were down by one point. They got the ball, but Bryant girls – to their credit – defended well and wouldn't allow Stout to take a shot. It made the loss more painful. Yet our girls fought hard and did their best! So keep your chins up and feel

proud; after all, you made us proud!

Pajama Day: Nov. 16

On Wednesday November 16th, Stout will be having a Pajama Day! YES! You can actually come to school in your comfortable PJ's!!! Pay \$1 as a donation to Stout's Be1 AntiBullying Club and wear your favorite pajamas. Of



course the dress code still applies so make sure your tops have sleeves, and if you are wearing a nightshirt, make sure to wear pants underneath or your parent will have to bring you a change of clothes. Students participating in the Pajama Day will need to pay \$1 to their AA teachers Wednesday morning—just don't fall asleep in 1st hour! Thanks—Ms. Alasry



Girls Swimming Tryouts: November 14 and 15

Girls who would like to be a part of **Stout Girl Swimming Team** can tryout on the following dates:

Monday, November 14

6th and 7th grade (yes! 6th graders can

be on the swim team this year!)

Tuesday, November 15

8th grade

Please bring a bathing suit, goggles, and towel. Tryouts will be from 3:00-4:50 pm. The activity buses can take you home at 5pm.

Testing Out of High School Classes Applications Due Date: Nov .16



This semester's opportunity to test-out of High School classes will take place in December 2016. Applications will be available during lunch hours and should be delivered to Mr. Tindall by Wednesday, Nov. 16, 2016.

The typical class for middle school students to test out of is a World Language.

Dentists R Us at Stout: Dec. 16, 2016

Starting at 9:00 am, Friday, Dec. 16, 2016, Dentists R Us will be performing some free dental services in the Team Room at Stout Middle School. So please take advantage of this opportunity, and visit Mr. Sabra who will print the required form for your parents/guardian to fill in.





Boys' Basketball Tryouts: Nov. 14, 15

- 7th grade tryouts: Monday, November 14th
- 8th grade tryouts: Tuesday, Novembes 15th 3:00 pm-4:55 pm.
- Activity buses will take you home after the tryout.
- Please have a physical on file.
- If you turned one in for football, you will not need one for basketball.
- If you need a physical form, please see Mr. Haddad in room F4.
- Dress in gym clothes and gym shoes.
- Meet in the gym after you have changed.

The Falcon Fund Winners: Nov. 07 - Nov. 11

The Falcon Fund winners for the week Nov. 07 - Nov. 11 are:

Nour Shokr	Grade 8	
Hawra Alhajim	Grade 8	
Hamza Elbaneh	Grade 8	
Hashed Alsaidi	Grade 8	See Mr. Lambdin in
Rabob Sobh	Grade 7	
Asma Sofian	Grade 7	
Jenna Mahmoud	Grade 7	See Mr. Bloye in F2
Ahmed Omar	Grade 6	
Sheryn Hachem	Grade 6	
Sabena Alhakash	Grade 6	See Mr. Bloye in F2



These students can choose wear-a- hat pass, Lunch-with-headphones pass, or Front-of-the-Line pass.



Math League Registration Deadline: Jan. 20

Our Math League 2016-2017 contest will be here soon. It will be held on either Feb. 21, or Feb. 28, 2017. The registration deadline is on Friday, Feb. 17, 2017. Stout results last year were not bad, but we can still do better. Let's have an early start and prepare a little better. Top scorers will get a Math

League T-shirts along with Certificates of Merit, and other prizes, while all participants will get Certificates of participation and a Pizza Lunch.

Let your teacher know if you want to participate, or contact Mr. Sabra.

Make sure you visit the school's blog to download samples of the questions and practice them.

GeoBee Registration Deadline: Jan. 20

Our GEOBEE contest will be held in the last week of January 2017. Certificates of Merits and a Pizza Lunch will be provided to the top scorers of each grade. The top prizes in the National Championship are \$50,000, \$25,000 and \$10,000 scholarships plus seven \$500 cash prizes.

Let your teacher know if you want to participate, or contact Mr. Sabra. Last year was a good start for Stout. Let us make this year better. Please keep these dates in mind!



Jan. 20, 2017	Deadline for Registration
Jan. 23 – 27, 2017	Stout School Bees
Feb. 6, 2017	Deadline for completion of state bee qualifying tests.
Mar. 31, 2017	State Bees
May 15-17, 2017	National Championship at National Geographic Society Headquarters, Washington, D.C.
May 19, 2017 p.m.	National Geographic Channel & Nat Geo WILD broadcast championship at 8 EDT