Today is "A" Day



Holiday Toy Drive Dec. 4 - Dec. 13

Students' Corner



"Good friends are like stars; you don't always see them in the sky, but they are always there!!!"





Hoverboard Raffle: Friday, Dec. 15

The **Stout Theatre Company** is - and has been - selling tickets for a brand new **hoverboard**. The raffle will be held on **Friday**, **December 15**th. Tickets are still available until that date. Try your luck!

8th GradersCheck in and head to the auditorium: today

This Wednesday, Dec. 13th, instead of circling it up, Grade 8 students (only) should check in and head to the auditorium at 8:00 am.





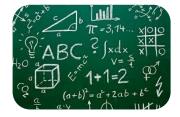
Student Council Meeting: Today

The Student Council will have the next meeting today, Wednesday, Dec. 13th. Students attending should bring snacks for themselves. We will meet from 3:00 to 5:00 pm in Mrs. Woolley's room, G-3

Annual Ugly Sweater Day: Dec. 20, 2017

Here we go again! On Wednesday, December 20th (Late Start), please wear your ugliest holiday sweater for our Annual Ugly Sweater Day! Thanks - Mrs. Crechiolo





Math League Contest is back: February 27, 2018

The 2017-2018 Math League Contest at Stout Middle School is back. It will be held at 8:30 am, Tuesday Feb. 27, 2018. Please register by Friday, Feb. 16, 2018 with Mr. Sabra. As well, you can ask your teacher to send your name to Mr. Sabra. Last year you did well. Let's do better this year.

Click on selected-math-league-rules to see main rules of this contest. Here are

some samples to practice:

<u>grade 6 2004-2005 Sample</u> <u>grade 7 2004-2005 Sample</u> <u>grade 8 2004-2005 Sample</u>

grade 6 2012-13 Sample grade 7 2012-13 Sample grade 8 2012-13 Sample

Holiday Toy Collection

Holiday Toy Collection will begin on Monday, Dec. 4th and run through Wednesday, Dec 13th. Please bring your donation of new toys for the Salvation Army to your 1st hour teacher. The class that collects the most toys will win a special treat! Thanks - Student Council





GeoBee is back: January 25, 2018

GeoBee is back, so get ready on Thursday, January 25, 2018 to bring to the Team Meeting Room all the countries, cities, mountains, rivers, volcanoes, planets, and all other things that you know about the world we live in and work your way to be the School Champ. From there, you can compete to be the State of Michigan Champ, and later, the National Champ. Here are some of the prizes are:

1st Prize: \$50,000 College Scholarship and \$500 in Cash

Lifetime subscription in National Geographic Society

2nd Prize: \$25,000 College Scholarship and \$500 in Cash
3rd Prize: \$10,000 College Scholarship and \$500 in Cash

Runner ups: \$500 in Cash for 7 runner-ups.

For more information, please download <u>GeoBee-Bilingual-2017-2018.</u>

STC Presents "The Bullies Christmas Carol" on Dec. 14-15

STC (Stout Theater Company) is having the Winter Play entitled "The Bullies Christmas Carol" on Thursday, December 14th and Friday, 15th, 2017. A flyer will be available soon.





Strolling Winter Concert: Wednesday, Dec. 20, 2017

Stout Middle School Strolling Winter Concert will be held on Wednesday, December 20 from 6:00-8:00pm. The entire school will be used as parents and guests stroll from one performing ensemble to another. Guests can purchase hot chocolate, candy canes, and lots of sweets to eat.

Some Dates to Remember

Late Arrival Days	Half Day	Parent Teacher Conferences	No School
Wednesday October 18, 2017	Friday October 13, 2017	Monday November 13, 2017	Tuesday November 7, 2017 Professional Development Day
Wednesday November 15, 2017	Friday January 26, 2018	Tuesday November 14, 2017	Wednesday - Friday November 22, 2017 –November 24, 2017 Conference Release Day Thanks Giving
Wednesday December 20, 2017	Thursday June 14, 2018 Last Day of School	Wednesday March 07, 2018	Monday – Friday December 25, 2017 –January 5, 2018 Winter Break
Wednesday January 17, 2018	N/A	N/A	Monday January 15, 2018 Martin Luther King Day
Wednesday February 07, 2018	N/A	N/A	Monday - Friday February 19, 2018 – February 23, 2018 Mid-Winter Break
Wednesday March 14, 2018	N/A	N/A	Friday – Friday March 30, 2018 – April 06, 2018 Spring Break
Wednesday May 16, 2018	N/A	N/A	Friday – Monday May 25, 2018 – May 28, 2018 Conference Release Day Memorial Day