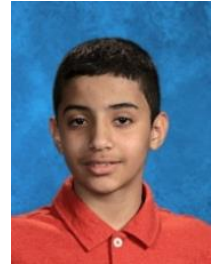


Today is "B" Day



PBIS Reward Day  
Friday, Feb. 16

Ali Alhadheri shared this wise quote:  
"Learn from the mistakes of others. You can never live long enough to make them all yourself."



Duct-Tape the Principal Fund Raising  
Friday, Feb. 16 (PBIS Reward Day)

Imagine that you can duct-tape Mr. Oke to the wall!  
Well, now you have your chance. As a part of the PBIS Reward Day, that will be held on Friday, Feb. 16, 2018, students have their opportunity to pay \$1:00 for each piece of duct-tape they use to tape the principal to the wall!!!

On the same day, students can also have any of the following choices:

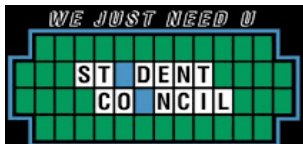
- 1. Dodgeball tournament (4 teams per grade, 10 kids per team)
- 2. Computer time for 2 hours
- 3. Movie for 2 hours

Good behavior pays off.



Mid-winter Break: Feb. 19 – Feb. 23

Mid-winter Break is looming soon. School closes by the end of the day on Friday, Feb. 16<sup>th</sup>, 2018 and reopens on the morning of Monday, Feb. 26<sup>th</sup>, 2018. Enjoy the break and have fun.



Next Student Council Me: Tuesday, February 27<sup>th</sup>

The next Student Council meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 27<sup>th</sup>, from 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. in room G-3. Activity buses will take students home.

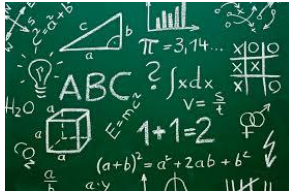
Pizza for GeoBee Participants: Monday, Feb. 26

All of our students who participated in the GeoBee 2018 Contest will be enjoying on Monday, Feb. 26 at 1:00 p.m. in the Cafeteria. The students' names will be announced just after the 8th grade lunch. Mark it on your calendar.



Edsel Ford coming to Stout: Wed. March 21

Edsel Ford reps will be coming to Stout Middle School on Wednesday, March 21st at 8:00 am to talk about scheduling and opportunities at Edsel Ford. Mark on your calendar that Edsel Ford's SPRING ORIENTATION for all incoming ninth graders and parents will be held at Edsel Ford High School on Wednesday, March 28<sup>th</sup> at 6pm.



**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. You can also ask your teacher to send your name to Mr. Sabra.

Last year you did well. Let's do better this year. For the **main rules** of this contest, click on [selected-math-league-rules](#). To practice, click on the samples:

[grade 6 2004-2005 Sample](#)

[grade 6 2012-13 Sample](#)

[grade 7 2004-2005 Sample](#)

[grade 7 2012-13 Sample](#)

[grade 8 2004-2005 Sample](#)

[grade 8 2012-13 Sample](#)

**HFEC applications are Due March 31, 2018**

On Dec. 22<sup>nd</sup>, letters Dearborn Technology & Manufacturing Early College emailed to all students all the information needed along with a link to fill their applications on-line. APPLICATIONS ARE DUE MARCH 31, 2018.



The Dearborn Technology & Manufacturing Early College, located on the campus of Henry Ford College, provides students with the opportunity to learn, experience, and achieve the level of education required, not just to get a job, but to start a career in the new technology or manufacturing field. Students can earn both a high school diploma and a two year college degree or earn an associate's degree – as that could lead to immediate employment. All of this is provided at no cost to students or parents!

**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	Monday January 29, 2018	Wednesday March 07, 2018	Monday – Friday December 25, 2017 – January 5, 2018 Winter Break
Wednesday January 17, 2018	Thursday June 14, 2018 Last Day of School		Monday January 15, 2018 Martin Luther King Day
Wednesday February 07, 2018			Monday - Friday February 19, 2018 – February 23, 2018 Mid-Winter Break
Wednesday March 14, 2018			Friday – Friday March 30, 2018 – April 06, 2018 Spring Break
Wednesday May 16, 2018			Friday – Monday May 25, 2018 – May 28, 2018 Conference Release Day Memorial Day

**National Student Poetry Contest: Monday, April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

The 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual National Student Poetry Contest Entry Deadline is on Monday, April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2018. The Grand Prize is \$500.00. There will be 36 prizes awarded. Each student may submit ONE poem, via an INSTANT ONLINE ENTRY FORM at [www.libraryofpoetry.com](http://www.libraryofpoetry.com) or by regular mail with entry being typed rather than written if possible. Poem must be NO MORE THAN 20 LINES.

Please mail your entries to:

“REVIEW COMMITTEE” c/o THE AMERICA LIBRARY OF POETRY  
P.O. BOX 978  
HOULTON, ME 04730

Make sure you include a copy of the cut out portion of the attached official entry form.

**CUT OUT AND RETURN THIS OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM**  
(must be cut out and stapled to top left corner of poem)

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student’s Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Apt# \_\_\_\_\_  
(Do Not Use School Address)

Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Poem Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student’s Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
(For contact information regarding contest, winning entries, or publication)

**TEACHER SUBMISSION FORM**

Teacher’s First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

School’s Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher’s Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
(For Top Educator Award Notification, Poetry Contest Winners, And Future Contest Information)

Grade Levels I Teach: \_\_\_\_\_

To be considered for a Top Educator Award, please check the appropriate boxes below:

I Certify Full Class Participation Of All Students In # \_\_\_\_\_ Classes

Partial Class Participation Of # \_\_\_\_\_ Classes