

**Book Fair**  
**Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup> – Dec. 6<sup>th</sup>**

**Today is a**  
**"A" Day**



### STUDENTS' CORNER

**Malak Said**, a 6<sup>th</sup> grader, had this quote about things that drive us to work harder:

*"Fear is just another reason to try harder."*



### Girls Swimming Team defeated UNIS 88-66

Hurray to our **Girls Swimming Team**. They emerged as winners defeating UNIS by a score of **88-66**. Congratulations girls and let's keep the great work going!

### Alternative High School programs meeting: Wednesday, December 5<sup>th</sup>

HENRY FORD  
*Early College*

There will be a meeting explaining enrollment to **alternative high school programs** for all 8<sup>th</sup> grade students on **Wednesday, December 5<sup>th</sup>** from **8:00 A.M. to 9:00 A.M.** Information about the Dearborn Center for Math, Science, and Technology (DCMST) and the **Early College Program** will be presented



in the **Stout auditorium**. All 8<sup>th</sup> grade students will be attending.

### Battle of the Books is back!

"BoB" is baaaaaacckkk!!! This year's **Battle of the Books** competition is ready to begin. If you would like to participate, do the following:

1. Assemble your team;
2. Fill out a **registration form** from your Language Arts teacher or Media Center;
3. Turn it in to Mrs. Acker on **Thursday November 29<sup>th</sup>**, or by the end of the day on **Friday, November 30<sup>th</sup>**.



We have limited copies of the books, so don't wait until the last minute. Happy reading

**Mrs. Cassie Acker, Teacher-Librarian**



### Book Fair: Dec. 03 – Dec. 06

Our **Book Fair** will run from **December 3<sup>rd</sup> – December 6<sup>th</sup>**. It will be available to students to visit and purchase **during language arts class**. Your parents can purchase online at this link [Stout Middle School Book Fair](#) or in the **Media Center** on **Wednesday the 5<sup>th</sup>** during the **PTA meeting**. The Media Center will open at 5:00 pm while the PTA Meeting will start at 6:00 pm.

### GeoBee is back: Friday, January 25, 2019

Get ready and register to **GeoBee** by **Friday, January 18, 2018**. Take part in the contest on **Friday, January 25, 2018**. Bring your skills to the **Team Meeting Room** and become the **School Champ**!

**Participants get free pizza**. The **Champ** gets a **T-shirt**, a **Medal**, a **Certificate**, and competes with other schools' champs to become the **State of Michigan Champ**, and later, the **National Champ**.



School GeoBee	State GeoBee			National GeoBee		
Friday, Jan. 25	Friday, March, 29			Sunday, May 19 – Wednesday, May, 22		
Champ	Champ	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Champ	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>
T-Shirt	\$1,000 cash	\$300 cash	\$100 cash	\$25,000 scholarship	\$10,000 scholarship	\$5,000 scholarship
Certificate	Medal	X	X	\$1000	\$1000	\$1000
Medal	Champ and 1 parent get Free Transportation & Accommodation in Washington DC			\$1,000 cash for each of 7 runner-ups		
Pizza for all	T-Shirts for everyone			Champ gets Lifetime subscription in National Geographic Society		