February 2019 Newsletter

THUMBS UP FOR Whitmore-Bolles

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Education is a shared commitment between dedicated teachers, motivated students and enthusiastic parents with high expectations.

Leadership is our Superpower! Leadership Day, March 15, 2019!





Upcoming Events

February 27:

Leader In Me Family Night

March 1:

Parent University

Pasta for Pennies Assembly

March 5:

Yearbook Candid's and Group Photos

March 7:

Music Concert 1st-3rd Grade 6:30pm

March 15:

Leadership Day!

March 19:

4th Grade Symphony Concert

March 30-April 7: BREAK

In the Community

November 23: Blessings in a Backpack Fundraiser

Placeings in a Racknack

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You're Invited to Witness Our **Superpowers!**

Whitmore-Bolles Elementary 4th Annual Leadership Day! Friday, March 15, 2019 8:30-11:30 AM

Whitmore-Bolles Elementary
21501 Whitmore St Dearborn, MI 48124
No cost to anyone, in or out of district.
Please RSVP by Friday, March 1, 2019 to
Katharine Johnston at johnstk@dearbornschools.org

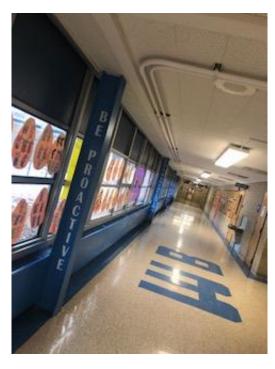
Schedule 8:30 - 8:55 - Breakfast/Registration 8:55 - 9:15 - Welcome/Student Essays

9:15 - 10:00 - Classroom visits and hallway stations

10:00 - 11:00 - Habit Time

11:00 - 11:15 - Q&A Panel

11:15 - 11:30 - Closing



Building Beautification Committee

labeled poles to remind of us of some of our Leadership words!

BE PROACTIVE

BEGIN WITH THE END IN MIIND

PUT FIRST THINGS FIRST

THINK WIN WIN

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Special science event set for girls, parents/educators

The Society of Women Engineers is holding its 11th annual Girls Exploring Engineering event on Saturday, March 9 at the Michigan Science Center. The free event welcomes girls in grades 4, 5 and 6 to attend that day from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Lunch is provided. Parents and teachers are also invited. Please register by Feb. 23 at tinyurl.com/GEE2019.



GIRLS ENGINEERING EXPLORATION

WHEN: SATURDAY,
MARCH 9, 2019
9AM – 4PM
WHERE: MICHIGAN
SCIENCE CENTER
COST: FREE!
LUNCH PROVIDED

TO REGISTER:

Visit tinyurl.com/GEE2019 Complete all sections and submit by February 23, 2019



We have a fun-filled day planned for you!



Learn how engineers use math and science in their everyday careers!

Talk to female engineers! Do hands-on activities!

Take home a backpack filled with goodies!

QUESTIONS?
Contact us at
SWEdetroitGEE@gmail.com



PLAYWORKS!

This year we brought a "program of play" to our school through the *Playworks TeamUp* program!

We are proud to partner with Playworks to make recess a fun, inclusive time for every student in our community. Playworks is the leading national nonprofit using play to transform schools. A Playworks recess creates a place for every kid on the playground to feel included, be active, and build valuable social and emotional skills. You can learn more at www.playworks.org.



Our Junior Coaches, **Emanuel, Garyn, Mahdi, Bethany and Mariah** pose for a picture with Coach Toya.

GET EXCITED!

A Playworks site coordinator, Coach Toya, worked with us to create a safe, inclusive, and fun recess for all students at our school. The coordinator will continue to spend one week out of every month at our school to train, build, and sustain a high functioning recess.

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 ${\it Mrs.\ McCuaig's\ posing\ for\ a\ picture\ during\ PLAYWORKS\ TRAINING!}$



Students running and playing tag during PLAYWORKS!



Coach Toya talking to students in a circle during PLAYWORKS training!



More PLAYWORKS games; 3 students holing hands while another looks to tag!

MAC n' CHEESE DINNER!

Please join us for a dinner fundraiser to benefit

BLESSINGS IN A BACKPACK!

When: March 5th

Time: 5-7pm

Where: Christ Eposcopal Church, 120 N. Military

Why: Fundraiser for Blessings in a Backpack, 100% of donations benefit Dearborn Blessings

in a Backpack

Suggested Donation: \$8 Adults, \$3 Child 6-12, 5 & Under Free

Dinner Includes: Mac n' Cheese (gluten free/vegan option), beef meatballs, salad, homemade

desserts, and choice of beverage

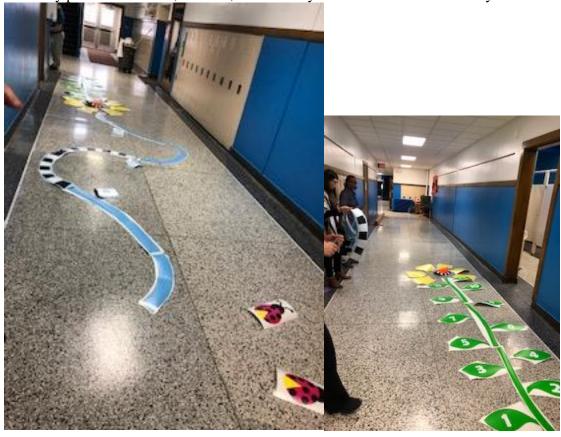
**Please note that donations are not mandatory, and the vent organizeres would be very happy to have families attend even if they are not able to financially contribbute.



Pictures of Mac n' Cheese and a backpack full of food.

EARLY CHILDHOOD SPECIAL EDUCATION (ECSE) HAS BEEN APPROVED FOR A **SENSORY PATH**!

Our sensory path will be a fun, creative, colorful way for students to build sensory connections!



Left: Picture of a path laid out on floor Right: Flower/Petal path with numbers laid out on floor

You're Invited to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Grade Music Performance on March 7th

Dear	Wh	itmore	Parents,
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The first, second, and third grade students at Whitmore-Bolles have been working very hard in Music class and are excited to perform for you next **Thursday, March 7th at 6:30 pm**. Hope to see you then!

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