

Friday Note 10/13/2017

**BESSEMER AREA SCHOOLS WILL HAVE AN EARLY DISMISSAL
AT 11:17 AM ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 8TH
DUE TO PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES.
BUSES WILL RUN THEIR NORMAL ROUTES.**

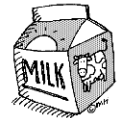
REMINDER: The back of the school is a **NO PARKING AREA** due to our buses dropping off/picking up students. Only buses are allowed in the back parking lot after school. Our buses park there to wait for students after school. If you are dropping your child(ren) off in the morning, please do not park in the back. If you need to walk your child into the school or unload items from your car, please park on one of the side roads or in the front of the building. This is a safety issue for students.



LUNCH MENU CHANGE: On Monday, October 23rd, lunch will now be: Teriyaki Beef Stir Fry over rice with fruit and milk.

We are currently looking for a recess monitor at the Washington School. The hours would be 11:15 am until 12:35 pm. If you are interested in this position, please contact the Business Office, Washington School, 301 E. Sellar St., Bessemer, MI 49911. All applicants must be able to pass a criminal background check.

Money for snack milk (grades K-3) in the amount of \$9.00 was due today, but may still be paid on Monday if you forgot to send it to school.



If you have not already returned an Application for Free and Reduced Lunch Benefits and believe your family may qualify, please contact the school office for a new form if you need one. Applications may be turned in at any time during the school year if your financial situation changes. You may also visit www.lunchapp.com to fill out an application online. If you do NOT qualify for free benefits, please be sure to check your child's lunch account balance often to be sure there is a positive balance in the account.



The Junior Class will once again be holding their annual "Fun Frolic" on Halloween night from 6-8 pm in the Washington School gym. Tickets for games are 25¢ each and can be purchased at the door. Some games require more than one ticket. There will also be a 50/50 raffle, a costume contest, and prize giveaways. You must be present for the costume contest and prize giveaways in order to win. It is a fun time for the kids and a great fundraiser for the junior class.

The Great Start to Quality Upper Peninsula Resource Center has once again made a Lending Library available to students at Washington Elementary. The package contains one or more books- usually about animals- and a puppet that goes along with the story. There is no cost to borrow the package but it must be returned in the same condition you took it with. For more information, please contact Crystal Suzik at csuzik@goisd.org.