

Just a reminder.....

There is a **1 hour early dismissal**
on **March 6th** due to the FC
Family Festival at the high school.

Buses will start loading at 2:25.
Students not riding the bus will be
dismissed at 2:40.



NOTICE TO PARENTS

Just as a reminder.....there will be an early dismissal on Friday, March 15th due to an ACT 80 day for teachers.

Dismissal time for the elementary students will be at 12:15 PM.

Please make sure a parent/guardian is home for mid-day bus drop off.

If your child is going to be picked up or ride a different bus, please make sure he/she has a note with specifics listed.

Breakfast will be provided, lunch will not.





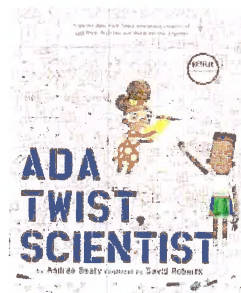
March 4th - 8th 2024

Read Across America Week

MONDAY

Lesson: Be Curious - Ask Questions

Dress like a scientist or
Mad Scientist Hair Day



Lesson: Everyone must work together
for things to get better.

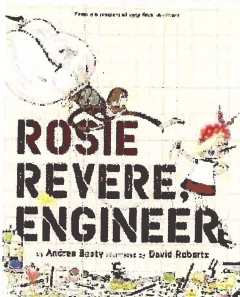
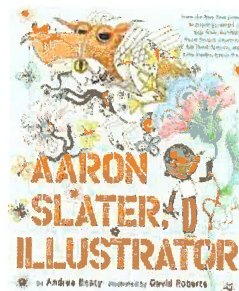
Dress to Impress:
Wear an outfit
that makes you stand out.

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

Lesson: We're all good at something,
just not all the same thing.

Honor the illustrators:
Dress as your favorite
illustrated character.



Lesson: Failure is part of success.

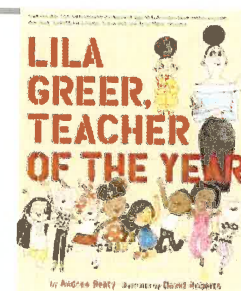
Builder Day:
Dress as a construction worker,
architect, or engineer

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

Lesson: What if some "What if's"
aren't bad at all?

Dress like your favorite teacher, principal,
custodial staff, or school personnel.



Fort Cherry Baseball



Fort Cherry Baseball will be
selling Ranger Nation bracelets
for \$1 at breakfast on Tuesday,

March 12, 2024

Proceeds will support Fort Cherry Baseball



March 18th through March 26th 2024

Monday 3/18 – Whalen, Kreefer, Stewart and Deveaney

Tuesday 3/19 – Walker, Newman and Zibert

****ART SHOW 6 p.m. – 8 p.m.****

Wednesday 3/20 – Putt, Gilbert, Lieb, Kelley, Brucker and Kirby

Thursday 3/21 – Ellis-Lewis, Cortese, Kampian, Narigon and Renz

Friday 3/22 – Zofchak/Obarsky and Kramer

Monday 3/25 – White, Gallagher/Klobuchir, Welsh and Biagini

Tuesday 3/26 – **MAKE-UP DAY** – for anyone who missed their above class time or would like to purchase additional items.

If you can't make it to the Fair, you may also shop our school's Online Book Fair. All orders ship directly to your home and shipping is free for book orders over \$25. Your online orders (25% of the total) will also benefit our school.



SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

Your student will have the opportunity to purchase books, bookmarks, pens, pencils, etc. during their library class! See the classroom schedule on the reverse side of this flyer for your reference.



The above QR Code will redirect you to our Book Fair Website

<https://www.scholastic.com/bf/fortcherryelementarycenter2>

****You may set up an e-Wallet via the above QR code or send cash or check (made payable to FCEC PTO) with your student on the date they visit the fair.****

You will also have the opportunity to visit and purchase items from the Book Fair during Art Show Night on Tuesday, 3/19/24 from 6 p.m to 8 p.m. in the Library.

If you are able, and would like to further support your child's teacher, please consider a donation via the following two options:

- Sending in money for your student's teacher to use at the bookfair. Any amount is greatly appreciated.
- During Art Show night our teachers will have book bins filled with wish list items that you may purchase to donate back to that Teacher's Classroom.

Lastly, during the Art Show we will be participating in the Share the Fair Charity Donation Program. This program asks if you'd like to round up your total to the nearest dollar. That change is then collected to use in purchasing new books for our School Library for all students to enjoy in the future.

Happy Reading!



SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR
SCHEDULE

Fort Cherry Elementary

ART SHOW

March 19, 2024

6:00-8:00 pm

Food Trucks
will arrive
early!

Visit the

BOOK FAIR

in the Library!

Art and the Love of Reading with food, could
you ask for anything more?

Fort Cherry School District Presents

DRONES | SPHEROS | MICROBITS
STEAM After-School Education



Grades 4-8

Flight SCHOOL

Flight School Dates

DATES: April 8, 9, 15, 16, 22, 23, 29, 30
May 6, 7, 13, 14
Mondays & Tuesdays @
3:45pm-5:15pm

Race Date

DATE: May 14th
3:45pm-5:15pm
Families are invited to attend
race day festivities.

JOIN THE FUN

Additional information to be found in the
Tuesday Packet starting on 2/27.





Fort Cherry Flight School

Fort Cherry School District is pleased to offer an after-school STEAM program for students in grades 4th - 8th, generously funded by IU1 Innovation Mini Grant.

- ★ During our after-school program students will learn how to program with Microbits, drive and manipulate Spheros, and how to pilot VR Drones at the Elementary Center.
- ★ Students will be expected to be on time for Flight School, display cooperative, appropriate behavior, follow all instructions of the instructors, obey all school rules and guidelines, and remain in good academic standing (i.e. not missing homework, keeping grades at a passing level, timely completion of classwork.)
- ★ Return the registration form attached to this notice to your school's office by **Friday, March 15, 2024.**

Flight School Schedule

Monday, April 8th	Flight School 3:45 – 5:15
Tuesday, April 9th	Flight School 3:45 – 5:15
Monday, April 15th	Flight School 3:45 – 5:15
Tuesday, April 16th	Flight School 3:45 – 5:15
Monday, April 22nd	Flight School 3:45 – 5:15
Tuesday, April 23rd	Flight School 3:45 – 5:15
Monday, April 29th	Flight School 3:45 – 5:15
Tuesday, April 30th	Flight School 3:45 – 5:15
Monday, May 6th	Flight School 3:45 – 5:15
Tuesday, May 7th	Flight School 3:45 – 5:15
Monday, May 13th	Flight School 3:45 – 5:15
Tuesday, May 14th	Flight School 3:45 – 5:15

>>>>>>> Race Day

>>>>>>> Families are welcome to attend race day festivities (more info to come)



Fort Cherry Flight School

***** RETURN BY Friday, March 15th *****

Student Name _____ Grade _____ HR Teacher _____

T-Shirt Size (circle one): Youth Med Youth Lg Adult Sm Adult Med Adult Lg Adult XL Adult 2XL Adult3XL

Parent/Guardian(s) (1) _____ (2) _____

Phone _____ Phone _____

Cell _____ Cell _____

Email _____ Email _____

Emergency Contact Name/Phone: _____

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Please list any medical concerns / allergies / or other conditions that you consider important for staff to know:

Please list any custody issues, adults not permitted to pick up your child, etc. that you consider important for staff to know:

Please list the name(s) of other parents who are permitted to transport your child home (if any):

I am the parent/guardian of the above-named student and I permit my child to participate in the 2024 Flight School After-School Program. Please be advised that promotional photos and videos will be taken and published online and displayed at educational presentations per Grant requirements.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Student Signature _____ Date _____

BENEFITS FORT CHERRY
CLASS OF 2025

MARCH 9TH
6-9PM
HS GYM

PARENTS *Night Out*

**SCAN
HERE!**



STUDENTS IN GRADES
K-4 ARE INVITED TO BE
DROPPED OFF FOR THE
EVENING WITH THEIR
FAVORITE HIGH
SCHOOLERS

Activities :

- Games
- Movies
- Dinner
- Snacks

Click Here

\$20
PER CHILD

contact lshoup@fortcherry.org with questions



March 22nd

&

23rd



EASTER EGG HUNT



DELIVERED STRAIGHT TO YOUR YARD

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**SUPPORTS
FORT CHERRY
CLASS OF 2024**
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Scan QR Code
for more info
and to sign up!
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**"Chick-fil-A Chicken Nuggets & Mac & Cheese",
Carrots/Ranch, Fruit Cup, Drink & Cookie**

\$10

13 & older

\$8

12 & under



LUNCH WITH THE BUNNY

Saturday, March 16th

11:00 - 12:30 OR 1:00 - 2:30

HERITAGE PUBLIC LIBRARY

52 FOURTH STREET - MCDONALD, PA 15057

Join the Easter Bunny for lunch! We will have crafts, games, giveaways, facepaint, basket raffles and a chance to get your photo with the bunny! Don't miss this awesome event!

**Registrations/Payments are due
by Monday, March 11.**

724-926-8400

www.heritagelibrarypa.org

Space is Limited...
Call Today to Register!

Parents - Grandparents - Aunts & Uncles
Cousins - Friends - Everyone is invited!

A Geary Eggstravaganza

EGG HUNT @ 2:00

\$ 5.00 PER CHILD

MARCH 16TH & 17TH

12:00 P.M - 5:00 P.M

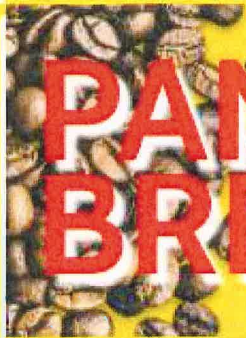
BUNNY PHOTO

FOOD TRUCK

RAFFLE

CRAFT





PANCAKE BREAKFAST

**SUNDAY
MARCH 17th
9 AM - 1 PM**

**FC HIGH SCHOOL
CAFETERIA**

**BENEFITS
FORT CHERRY
FOOTBALL & CHEER**

Raffle Baskets

**Beat the Linemen
Pancake Eating
Contest**

**pancakes
sausage
coffee & OJ**

ADULTS \$10
CHILDREN under 10 \$8
CHILDREN under 5 eat free



Questions: email fortcherryfootball2018@gmail.com

Midway Community Easter Egg Hunt



When: **March 30, 2024 at Noon**

Where: Midway Community Park at 304 Noblestown Road, Midway, PA (*Rain or Shine*)

What: Easter Egg Hunt for children up to age 12
Hot Dogs, Nachos, French Fries, and Popcorn
Drawing for one of many Gift Cards
Bouncy Houses
ALL FREE!!

Who: All are invited!

If you have any questions, please contact Ben Robinson at 724-255-1695

Sponsored by First Baptist Church of Midway
www.fbcmidway.com





THE RONALD MCDONALD CARE MOBILE

As a collaboration between UPMC Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh, and Ronald McDonald House Charities of Pittsburgh and Morgantown, Inc., the Care Mobile offers medical care to children throughout the Pittsburgh region for no out-of-pocket costs.

Have any questions or need more information?

Call 412-352-1059 or visit us at www.chp.edu/our-services/mobile-medical-clinic

Follow and like the Care Mobile on Facebook at www.Facebook.com/CHPCareMobile

SERVICES PROVIDED:

- ▶ Immunizations
- ▶ Routine physical exams
- ▶ Sick child visits
- ▶ Adolescent and young adult health care
- ▶ Referrals for specialty care
- ▶ WIC (Women, Infants & Children) form assistance

THERE ARE NO OUT-OF-POCKET COSTS FOR CARE MOBILE SERVICES.

SERVICES ARE COMING YOUR WAY! LOOK FOR THE CARE MOBILE:

LOCATION: Crossroads Church 1000 Crossroads Dr Oakdale, PA 15071

DATE: April 17, 2024

TIME: 9:30am - 2:00pm

Registration will close at 1:30



THANK YOU TO OUR SUPPORTERS

- Armada
- Aldi Giving
- Allegheny County Medical Society Foundation
- Andersen Corporate Foundation
- Bank of America
- G.C. Murphy Co Foundation
- Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank
- The Pittsburgh Foundation
- Richard Donchian Foundation
- Walmart Community Grants



FORT CHERRY ELEMENTARY CHALKBOARD

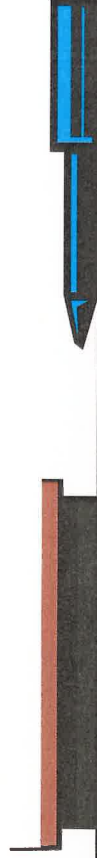
~~ TO ALL PARENTS ~~

The school day at Fort Cherry Elementary starts
at 8:45 a.m.

*Students not riding the bus are not permitted to
be dropped off before 8:45 a.m.*

**The drop off area for the elementary is the
parking lot by the water tower. DO NOT drop off
students anywhere around the circle or flagpole.**

**DO NOT enter the bus lane (front of school) until
after 9:00 a.m.**





Food Collection

The Fort Cherry School District is collecting canned goods, non-perishable foods, and toiletries for our ***FC Helping Hands Program***. This program provides qualifying Fort Cherry families with monthly boxes of food and self-care items. If you wish to donate, we would greatly appreciate it.

Elementary Drop Off: Fish Bowl/Lobby - buzz and a secretary will accept the donations

Examples of needed items:

Pasta Noodles
Pasta Sauces
Macaroni & Cheese
Spaghettios
Granola bars
Syrup
Dried fruits
Applesauce
Protein shakes
Breakfast bars
Poptarts
Tissues
Toothpaste
Toothbrushes

Raisins/Craisins
Cereal
Pretzels
Trail Mix
Oatmeal
Crackers
Dental floss
Hand soap
Canned /pouch meats
Peanut Butter
Body wash
Shampoo/conditioner
Band-aids
Peaches

Pears
Fruit cocktail
Mandarin oranges
Applesauce
Corn
Peas
Green beans
Carrots
Popcorn
Rice Cakes
Juice
Lysol Wipes

