

WHAT'S GOING ON AT FORT CHERRY ELEMENTARY IN OCTOBER:



10/1	School Picture Day
10/8	PTO Meeting
10/11	ACT 80 Day (1/2 day for students)
10/14	NO SCHOOL-Columbus Day
10/16	Helping Hands
10/21	Picture Makeup Day
10/21-11/1	School Bus Safety Week
10-2-11/1	Red Ribbon Week (more details to come)
10/28	School Board Meeting
10/30	End of 1st 9 weeks
10/31	Halloween Parties



October 1st FCEC PICTURE DAY

	Photographer 1	Photographer 2	Photographer 3
9:00-9:10	Mrs Kreefer	Mrs Kelley	Mrs Gallagher
9:15-9:25	Ms Stewart	Mrs Zofchak	
9:30-9:40	Mrs Kampian	Mrs Evans	Mrs Klobichur
9:45-9:55	Mrs Walker	Mrs Putt	Mrs Lewis
10:00-10:10			
10:15-10:25			
10:30-10:40	Mrs Cortese	Mrs Biagini	Mrs Gilbert
10:45-10:55	Mrs Kirby	Mrs Renz	Ms Zibert
11:00-11:10	Mr Kramer	Mrs Lieb	Mrs Deveaney
11:15-11:25	Mrs Welsh	Mrs Shea	Mrs Newman

**JUST A REMINDER TO ALL
PARENTS/GUARDIANS:**

There is to be **NO STUDENTS
dropped off before 8:45 a.m.**

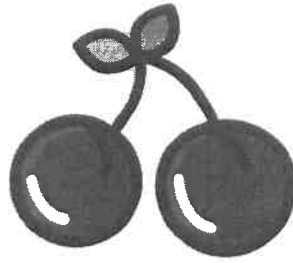
We do not have the staff to
monitor students before that
time.

This is for the safety
of all
children.

8:45 a.m.

Fort Cherry Elementary Center

Tutoring Assistance Program



110 Fort Cherry Road
McDonald, PA 15057
724.796.1551 phone
724.356.2770 fax

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Once again, the Fort Cherry Elementary Center will be offering morning tutoring to students who qualify for additional academic instruction. **The tutoring program will begin the week of October 7, 2024.** Tutoring is scheduled from **8:15 to 8:45** on **Monday** or **Wednesday**, depending on the individual teacher's schedule.

A student may qualify for morning tutoring if his/her academic average within a specific curricular area is **below 70%** or if a teacher recommends it. Furthermore, participating students must have access to continual transportation from parents and a commitment to regular attendance.

A participatory form has been made available on the reverse side of this letter. If you are interested in enrolling your child in this tutoring opportunity, please complete the form and return it to the Elementary Center Office. The Student Support Office will review your request and provide verification of participation with the day of tutoring noted (Monday or Wednesday).

If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact Brianne Eiler, Student Service Coordinator, at 724.796.1551 ext. 2003. We appreciate your support regarding your child's educational success.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink. The signature is stylized, starting with a large 'D' and 'S' followed by a period and a long, sweeping horizontal line that ends in a small hook.

Mr. Daniel S. Mayer
Elementary Principal

Elementary Tutoring Assistance Program Participatory Form

Please complete the following information and return this form to the Elementary Center Office.



Student's Name _____

Grade _____

Homeroom Teacher _____

Teacher Tutoring _____

Area of Tutoring _____

(Reading, Language Arts, Math, Science, and/or Social Studies)

Request By _____

I am interested in my child participating in the *Fort Cherry Elementary Center Tutoring Assistance Program*.

I understand that in order for my child to qualify for this program the following must be true:

- a. Meet the criteria set forth for this program
- b. Have accessibility to continual transportation
- c. Remain committed to attend

I understand that my child must meet the criteria for the *Fort Cherry Elementary Center Tutoring Assistance Program*. I am also aware that I must provide transportation on a regular and consistent basis in order for my child to remain a participant in this program. Further, I understand that only the child enrolled in the program may be dropped off at 8:15 AM. If my child is absent for three consecutive sessions or displays any disciplinary issues of concern, dismissal from the program may occur.

In reading and understanding the above information, I grant my child permission to participate in the *Fort Cherry Elementary Center Tutoring Assistance Program*.

Parent Signature

Date

Office Use Only

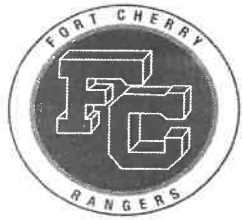
Student Meets Program Qualifications:

____ Students with academic averages under 70%

____ Teacher Recommendation/Student Service Recommendation

Parent/Teacher Notification Distributed _____ (date)

Start date _____ (date)



Fort Cherry Elementary Center GROUP PERMISSION

We are pleased to share that Emma Neel, elementary center mental health consultant, is able to meet with our elementary students in small groups during the school day.

Throughout the school year, groups will be offered to our students during their AIRE, recess, lunch or another time agreed upon by you.

The **PERMISSION** form is on the bottom of this letter. If you feel your child would benefit from any additional support, please fill in your child's name and check off the topics in which you would like them to participate. **Please return the permission form to your child's homeroom teacher.**

Sincerely,

Amy Oberly, M.S.Ed

Elementary School Counselor

- _____ Social Skills (K-2: understanding feelings and behavior; 3-6: empathy, conflict resolution and peer pressure.)
- _____ Expectations (K-2: listening skills, following directions and self-control; 3-6: organizational skills, setting priorities and goals.)
- _____ Self-Management (Self-esteem, impulse control and self-regulation / coping skills)
- _____ Changing family (grief / death / divorce / new sibling - moved sibling / blended families)
- _____ Anxiety (dealing with worries, separation anxiety and stress management.)
- _____ Friendship (making friends, keeping friends, dealing with unkind friends and what to do when we fight with a friend.)

Parent / Guardian

Childs name

Grade / homeroom

If you have any questions, feel free to contact, Amy Oberly at aoberly@fortcherry.org. You may also call at: (724) 796-1551 ext. 2007 or 2000 . You may also email your permission, indicating your child's name and group(s) topic.



T-SHIRT PRESALE



2024 *Dig Pink* T-shirts are on sale until
Friday, 10/4!

\$20 for all sizes

Payment is due when ordering - Cash or checks
payable to "FC Volleyball Boosters-Dig Pink"

Dig Pink Game Day

Wednesday, Oct. 16 - FC vs. Lincoln Park at 6 PM



Support the Fort today!



Want to support our FCEC PBIS program?



Check out our
Amazon wishlist!



We are excited to share with you our school-wide behavior system that we are implementing! PBIS (Positive Behavioral Interventions & Support) is a framework to promote and maximize academic achievement and behavioral competence. It is a school-wide strategy for helping all students achieve important social and learning goals. We know that when good behavior and good teaching come together, our students will excel in their learning.

We will teach and reteach these expectations to the students throughout the school year. Our staff will verbally and visually acknowledge students' appropriate behaviors by giving them a RANGER PRIDE TICKET for being RESPECTFUL, RESPONSIBLE and RESILIENT. Students will add their ticket to the Rangers' 200 Club poster. When 10 students are in a row, students will have a chance to spin a wheel for a prize.

JOIN CUB SCOUTS!

**PACK
1365**

Cub Scouts provides an enriching experience for kids in grades K-5, promoting character growth, values, and leadership abilities. Come join us every 2nd and 3rd Wednesday night for a memorable journey!

SEPTEMBER 25TH 7PM

📍 Hickory United EPC Church
210 Main St. Hickory, PA
15340



CUB SCOUTS ACTIVITIES

- Outdoor Adventures
- STEM Challenges
- Character Development
- Skills for Life

ONLY FOR

\$143

*Does not include uniform,
or handbook*

Scan our QR code
for registration



For More Information Please Call/ Text
Tim Growden 412-721-5284 or
MegAnn Warren 724-469-0922

GRADES K - 6TH - SIGN UP NOW ONLINE!



FORT CHERRY
WRESTLING

Register Online Only
FCRANGERSYOUTHWRESTLING.COM

Early Registration

August 15th - September 20th

\$100 (additional wrestlers in family \$75)

Regular Registration

September 21st - September 30th

\$125 (additional wrestlers in family \$100)

SINGLET DEPOSIT: \$75

(check, fully refundable upon
return of singlet)

Mark Your Calendars:

- **August 15th - September 30th**

Registration - online only @ FCRANGERSYOUTHWRESTLING.COM

**** We will have a table at open house, stop by to see us and ask questions!**

- **September 20th - September 30th**

Gear / Fan Store - Online - website to be shared soon

****Items purchased will be received before the season starts**

- **Wednesdays, October 9th, 16th, 23rd & 30th**

Open Mat - 6pm - 8pm @ Fort Cherry High School Wrestling Room

- **Sunday, October 27th**

Cornhole Tournament Season Kick Off @ Celebrations, Imperial, PA

- **Week of November 4th - Practices begin**

McFall Fest



Saturday, October 12, 2024
11 am - 4 pm

Good old-fashioned fun for the whole family!
Bake Sale & Homemade Food, Vendors & Crafters,
Games for Children, Mums for Sale,
Sandi's Treasure Chest Resale Shop,
Basket Raffle & More!

Treasure Chest Resale Hours :
Saturday, October 12th, 8 am - 4 pm
McDonald Presbyterian Church
119 Station Street, McDonald, PA 15057
724-926-8561 www.mcdonaldpres.org

100% of proceeds benefit mission & ministry



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TRUNK OR TREAT



THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24TH • 5PM TO 6:30PM



**NOW LOCATED AT CANON MAC HIGH SCHOOL
314 Elm St Ext. Canonsburg**