

Dear Harwinton Consolidated School Families,

This past week we really focused on kindness in our *Start with Hello Week* activities. Each day had a different kindness quote on our morning announcements. One of our favorites was “Never look down on anyone unless you’re helping them up!” We talked with students about making new friends, being nice to others and performing random acts of kindness. It was a great week!

All students in Grade K-4 should have brought home a PLD agreement. If you haven’t already, please complete the last page and return it to school. Please remember to include your student’s first and last name on the form. Kindergarten families, please also return the PLD insurance fee of \$30.00 cash or check made out to Regional School District 10. Students new to Region 10 this school year will have a different fee depending on grade level. Please review your agreement regarding the fee. Please contact me if you need financial assistance.

Have some free time? Region 10 is in need of substitute teachers and para-educators! You can apply on the Region 10 website, under ‘District Information’ and then ‘Employment Opportunities.’ Substitute teaching gives you a great deal of flexibility in your schedule!

We completed the verbal bus evacuations so student will know what to do in case of an emergency. We also also collected positive behavior enforcement “dog-bones” and once our dog house is filled we will have a school-wide reward.

Enjoy the rest of the weekend!

Bob

Friday, October 8 – No school, teacher professional development

Monday, October 11 – No school, Columbus Day

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Tuesday, November 16 or Thursday, November 18 or Friday November 19 - Home/School Conferences (more info to come)

Friday, November 19- 1:00 pm Dismissal for Home/School conferences

November 24, 25, 26 - No School, Thanksgiving Recess

COVID ATTENDANCE GUIDELINES

We appreciate everyone's adherence to the guidelines below. It is essential that students do not come to school if:

- They have had close contact (at least 15 minutes, within 6 feet) with a person that has tested positive for COVID-19 and are quarantining for the required number of days
- They, or a member of your household, has been tested for COVID-19 because of symptoms and/or potential exposure and you are awaiting results
- You screen them in the morning before school and they have any of the symptoms below:
 - fever of 100.4 or higher
 - chills
 - a new uncontrolled cough
 - difficulty breathing
 - a sudden loss of taste or smell

If your family has traveled, we recommend testing upon returning. Please be vigilant and check for any symptoms daily for 14 days after travel. Even mild symptoms can be the first sign of COVID. If the traveler, family member or student, develops any symptoms, keep all family members home from school until the traveler has been tested.

In all cases, we ask that you always err on the side of caution. If your child has any signs of illness, please keep them home and contact our school nurse, Kristen Sullivan, sullivank@region10ct.org or by phone at (860) 485-9029 ext. 12103

Thank you for all the clothing donations that were sent to the nurse! It is very much appreciated! At this time, we are all set on donations and will let you know if we need anything in the future.

FLYERS:

The Burlington Parks & Recreation Department presents



Outdoor Yoga

at Johnnycake Mountain Park

Instructors: Wendy Haller and Stacey Barber

Enjoy the peace and serenity of yoga outdoors in the beauty and nature at Johnnycake Mountain Park. Yoga is an excellent form of exercise regardless of your age or practice level. It combines body movements, breath work, and mental relaxation all while relieving stress and maintaining health and well-being. Learn moves to strengthen your body and increase your flexibility.

Classes are scheduled for one hour and are designed for all fitness levels.

Participants may choose to attend another day (Saturday or Sunday) during the same session if they are unable to attend the day registered for.

- **Saturdays:** October 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30 8:00 – 9:00 am
Program for ages 18+
or
- **Sundays:** October 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31 9:00 – 10:00 am
Program for ages 16+
8+ with parent or guardian

Fee: \$50 per each participant for each 5-week session
\$60 for Non-Residents

❖ *One-day registration available on website. Must register for these classes by noon on Friday before chosen Saturday/Sunday class.*

Register online @ myburlingtonrec.com

All Covid-19 protocols and modifications can be found on the website.

HARWINTON FAIR

\$10 admission,
12 and younger free

Free parking!

New!
Hot Saw
Contest

Friday night ride special!

Nick Fradiani
Oct 3rd 2 pm

Harwinton Fairgrounds
Locust Road Off Route 4
1 Mile S.E. of Harwinton Center
www.harwintonfair.com

164th
Annual

HARWINTON
FAIR 2021

4-9 pm 8 am-8 pm 8 am-5 pm
FRIDAY • SATURDAY • SUNDAY ~ OCTOBER 1, 2 & 3, 2021

This event is sponsored by the Harwinton Agricultural Society, a registered nonprofit organization. It is not sponsored or endorsed in any way by the Board of Education for Regional School District #10. The Harwinton Agricultural Society retains sole legal responsibility for the conduct and safety of this event.

Helpful Hints:

If your child's normal dismissal plan at the end of the day is to take the bus home and you plan on picking them up instead, please send in a note with your child with the following information:

Teacher's Name:

Date:

Student's First AND Last Name:

First and Last Name of the Person picking up your child:

Time that you will be picking up your child:

A NOTE TO SCHOOL

To: _____

From: _____
(parent's signature)

Date: _____

Subject: _____
(student's name)

(Check Applicable)

is late due to _____

will be picked up by _____
at _____ AM/PM.

will be picked up at dismissal area at 3:35 by _____

is returning to school after an absence of _____
days due to illness.

(other) _____
