



MARTINSON MESSENGER



**Weekly
Update**
Nov. 27 – Dec. 3,
2016

PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

I hope you had a nice Thanksgiving vacation. Monday is School Council meeting. Cook's Night Out-Cask 'n Flagon is Wednesday and Report Cards go home on Friday. The PTO is sponsoring a Tommy Strong Fundraiser on Friday. Read this Messenger for more details.

Have a wonderful week!

This Week's

Important Events at Martinson

MONDAY: Band Lesson, PROJECT REACH, School Council Mtg., 4PM

TUESDAY:

WEDNESDAY: Strings Lessons, Cook's Night Out-Cask 'n Flagon

THURSDAY:

FRIDAY: REPORT CARDS GO HOME, Tommy Strong Fundraiser, Student Council Mtg.

From the Library

The Book Fair is Coming!

Online shopping for this year's Scholastic Book fair will begin on Wednesday November 23rd and continue until Sunday December 4th. This is a chance for you to see what's coming and do some pre-fair shopping.

Visit <http://bookfairs.scholastic.com/homepage/martinson/elementaryschool> for more information.

The school Book Fair will be at the library Monday December 5th to Friday December 9th. Families are welcome to shop with their children during their regularly scheduled library time.

If you have any questions, need more info or would like to volunteer, contact me at kjelstrom-hamill@mps.org. Thanks and Happy Reading!



Follow me on Twitter at Dr. Leslie Scollins @MESPPAL.

Nurses Corner

If your child is absent or tardy-please send in a written note for their health record following an absence, even if you email or are in contact with the classroom teacher. If your child has an illness which could be contagious- please notify Nurse Mudge at 781-319-3985.

Vision and hearing screenings are still in progress through the month of November. During this time mindfulness/mental health and stress reducing techniques are discussed. This week we talked about our emotions and how the Peace Builder's Pledge to "seek wise people" can be helpful.



For the safety of our children

Anyone who enters MES must sign-in and wear a visitor badge. Do not be offended if:

- We ask for identification
- We ask you to sign-in
- We ask you to wear a visitor badge
- You don't have a on a badge we send you back to the office

Thank you!

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From the School Nutrition Dept.

School Nutrition Department has a NEW Electronic Free and Reduced applications please click on the link below to apply for Free and Reduced.

<http://nlappscloud.com/District.aspx?sdid=40&op=30dcb3efe164777986725f978cd9b4ba>

For more information click the links below:

[MES Website](#)

[The Recreation Department will offer a variety of programs](#)

Details on the above programs are listed in the Winter Community Brochure.

Student Council News:

This month, the Martinson Student Council ran a mock election. The results were: Clinton with 201 votes, and Trump with 165. In October, we raised over \$1600 in Trick or Treat for UNICEF. Next month, we're having a food drive to benefit the Marshfield Food Pantry, from December 1-16th.
By Will Arnone and Jack Wildes

Looking Ahead Mark Your Calendars

12/5-12/9: Book Fair-MES Library
12/6: CONFERENCES- 6-8PM, School Com. Mtg.- SV Bldg., 7PM
12/7: Kindergarten Registration- 9-12PM
12/8: CONFERENCES- 1:30-3:30PM
12/9: Student Council Meeting
12/12: HOLIDAY CONCERT-10:30AM-FAMILIES
12/14: 5TH Grade Holiday Breakfast, 10-11
12/15: Homeless Council Mtg.-10:00AM
12/16: Student Council Meeting
12/19: School Council Mtg.
12/23: Student Teacher Volleyball Game
12/26-1/2: SCHOOL VACATION
1/3: SCHOOL RESUMES

PTO NEWS

There will be a Tommy Strong fundraiser on Friday, December 2. Donate \$1 and wear your favorite hat or sports shirt. All proceeds will be donated to the Tommy Strong Fund.

We are launching a new Family Mentor Program and we are looking for volunteers. More details regarding this program will be posted on the PTO website. Please let us know if you have any interest.

Be on the lookout for new Box Tops incentives.

Our first Restaurant Night will be held on Wednesday, November 30th at the Cask 'n Flagon. Please save the date.

