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Weekly News - 10/4/18



Spotlight of the Week!

Movie Night Is Tonight!

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Dates to Remember

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| ★ Thu. Oct. 4th | PTO Meeting 6:00 - 6:30 PM |
| ★ Thu. Oct. 4th | PTO Movie Night 6:30-8:30 PM |
| ★ Fri. Oct. 5th | No School for students. Teacher Inservice Day. |
| ★ Mon. Oct. 8th | Columbus Day. No School! |
| ★ Wed. Oct 10th | Walk to School Day (See info below for details) |
| ★ Thu. Oct. 18th | Picture Retakes :) |
| ★ Tue. Oct. 23rd | McAlisters Deli Fundraiser 5:00-8:00 PM |
| ★ Thu. Nov. 1st | PTO Meeting 6:00-7:30 PM |



From the Principal's Desk

Hello Anderson Parents/Guardians,

Performance Series Assessments

This week your child will be bringing home an envelope that contains the results from their recent Performance Series Reading and Math Assessment. This assessment is given three times per year and helps us identify students strengths and areas of needed growth. We administer this assessment to all students, Kindergarten through 5th Grade, so we can track their progress from year to year as they learn through elementary school. Please open and read the following two documents from D303 explaining the Performance Series assessment and explaining how to interpret the results. Both of these letters were also sent home with your student.



[Performance Series Assessment Results letter to Parents from D303](#)

[Performance Series Assessment Results Explained](#)

Erins Law

The information here and links below are to inform you about Erin's Law, an Illinois law that requires public schools to provide a prevention-oriented child sexual abuse program in grades PreK-12. Named after sexual abuse survivor Erin Merryn, Erin's Law will be implemented again this year in all District 303 Schools utilizing the Child Protection Unit of the Second Step resource.



Between now and the end of the school year, several lessons will be facilitated by Mrs. Yatchak (School Social Worker) along with the classroom teacher. The lessons will address identifying safe and unsafe touch, private body part rules, and learning ways to stay safe.

For more information about Erin's Law, you can access a short video at the link below or visit the website.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-nxPcB8sWBk>

<http://www.erinslaw.org/>

If you have any questions, please contact your building principal Nathan Jarot at nathan.jarot@d303.org or by phone at 331-228-3300.



Who: K-5

When: October 10th, 8:25-8:40

Where: Anderson back playground

Anderson Elementary will be participating in national walk to school day Wednesday, October 10th. This is a great event to promote an active lifestyle. Most of our students are bus and car riders so we will be walking at school. Please send your student to school their normal way. If you would like to attend please meet us on the back

playground with your walking shoes on. Our students will simply take a quick walk around the back of our school, get a little bonus exercise and then head into the school and go right to class.

Sincerely,
Mr. Jarot - Principal
nathan.jarot@d303.org



PTO News from the PTO



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No school? No cooking! Eat dinner at **Portillo's Monday, October 8th** and support our school. [Click here for the flyer](#) to show when you place your order. You can also show it in the drive thru!



SPOOKTACULAR: Our Spooktacular event will be held on Friday, October 26th 5:30-8:00. This is a fun Halloween event for the whole family! Come dressed in costume. We will have games, raffles, food, and fun! Would you like to help or donate to the event? Click the link to access the sign up genius site. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080b45adad22a6fa7-spooktacular1> There are three tabs at the top of the page: donations, volunteers, and bakers. If you have any questions about the event please email Lisa Cook at: lilimarie82@gmail.com. Thanks to everyone that has already sent in donations for our classroom raffle baskets. Keep them coming! Please turn in all donations by Friday, October 19th [See linked letter with list of classroom themes.](#)

Butter Braid Update: Thank you for all your support with our Anderson PTO Fundraiser! We sold 370 Butter Braids and earned almost \$2,000! Hope everyone enjoys their yummy treats! Also thank you to Morgan Mejdrich for organizing this successful fundraiser.



Everything is awesome, everything is cool when you're part of the PTO team! The PTO depends on help from ALL our families to create a fun and memorable experience for ALL students throughout the year. If you have already paid your \$10 donation through Push Coin, thank you! If you still need to do that, [click here](#).

Don't forget to keep clipping those **BOX TOPS!** Our first submission deadline for



the school year is **Monday, October 22nd**. Need an extra collection sheet? [Click here](#)



Community Events

CrossRoads Kids Club will be running a program at Anderson School Tuesday Afternoons starting mid October. [For more information about this free club click here](#). You can also check out the CrossRoads flyer that was sent home last week in your child's backpack. [Click here to register online](#), or fill out the paper registration form and drop it off in the front office.



Our local Fire District (Fox River Countryside Fire Rescue District) is having a Open House Touch A Truck Event Sunday, October 14th 11am - 3pm. This is an open event for all residents of the community and a great way to promote fire safety, especially for children. [Click here for all the details](#).

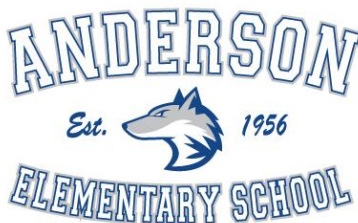


Showing & Discussion of the film *Angst*
10/10/18 - 6:30-8:30 p.m.
St. Charles North High School Auditorium



The purpose of the film *Angst* is to raise awareness and have conversations about anxiety. It features candid interviews with kids who have struggled with anxiety, as well as discussions with mental health professionals. At the end of the film there will be a 30 minute panel discussion led by the D303 Counseling Team.

As part of our agreement with the production company, we are able to show the film in both middle schools and both high schools during the week of October 8. This will provide parents and students an opportunity to have conversations at home about what they saw. To register for this event, [click here](#).



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