



# MAPLE CREEK HUSKIES Chronicle

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For the Week of November 6, 2023

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Monday 11/06	Tuesday 11/07	Wednesday 11/08	Thursday 11/09	Friday 11/10
<p>HOC - Respect HOC Donut Party 8:15-9:15 (MPR)</p> <p>CSI 3rd &amp; 4th Grade 12:00-12:50 (Rm 8)</p> <p>Athletic Practice 3:00-4:00</p>	<p>History Day 7:20-7:55 (RM 15)</p> <p>4th Grade Learning Club 7:15-7:55 (RM 13)</p> <p>Fall Choral Showcase 10:00-12:05 Shagoian Concert Hall - CN</p> <p>CSI 1st &amp; 2nd 11:30-12:20 (RM 1)</p> <p>Kindergarten Learning Club 11:30-12:00 (RM K2)</p> <p>Learning Club Grades 1st -3rd 2:50-3:50 (RM 1, 4, 10)</p> <p>ECL 2:45-3:30 (RM 3)</p> <p>Supervised Study Grades 3-6 3:00-4:00 (RM 8)</p> <p>Athletic Practice 3:00-4:00</p> <p>Athletic Parent Meeting After Practice (4:05)</p>	<p>AR Party for top primary and upper grade class Library Morning Recess</p> <p>Early Release Day Kinder AM 7:55-10:40 Kinder PM 10:40-1:25 Early Dismissal Grades 1-6 8:00-1:15</p> <p>Leadership Meeting 12:30-1:30 (RM 17)</p> <p>CSI 5th &amp; 6th Grade 12:30-1:20 (Rm 19)</p> <p>Game Cheer Practice 3:00-4:00</p> <p>*Optional 30 min extra practice (4:30 ending time)</p> <p>Comp Cheer Practice 3:00-4:30 MPR</p> <p>CUSD Board Meeting 6:30-8:30</p>	<p>Pastries with Parents 7:00-7:55</p> <p>History Day 7:20-7:55 (Rm 15)</p> <p>No 4th Grade Learning Club Today</p> <p>Kinder Learning Club 11:30-12:00 (Rm K2)</p> <p>CW Basketball Shootout 12:00-3:00 CW Gym</p> <p>SOAR Pizza Lunch 12:30-1:20 (RM 8)</p> <p>Supervised Study Grades 3-6 3:00-4:00 (RM 8)</p> <p>Learning Club Grades 1st -3rd 2:50-3:50 (RM 1, 4, 10)</p> <p>Athletic Practice Wrestling only 3:00-4:00</p>	<p><b>NO SCHOOL</b></p> <p><b>VETERAN'S DAY</b></p> 

## LUNCH

Beef Taco Stick Cheese-filled Breadsticks	Pepperoni Pizza Pocket Grilled Cheese Sandwich	Chicken Patty Sandwich Torilla Chips w/ Cheese	Orange Chicken Rice Bowl Bean & Cheese Burrito	NO SCHOOL
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## PTC CORNER

PLEASE JOIN US AT OUR NEXT PTC MEETING ON  
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14TH AT 7 PM IN THE  
LIBRARY.

## Upcoming Events

11/16/23 Game Day at Tarpey  
11/17/23 Kinder Feast (AM and PM)  
11/18/23 Robotics Challenge Team 1  
11/19/23 Robotics Challenge Team 2  
11/20/23 Thanksgiving Break  
11/27/23 Fall Book Fair  
11/28/23 Orchestra Concert  
11/29/23 Band Concert

## ORAL INTERPRETATION

ORAL INTERPRETATION IS A FUN, DRAMATIC PRESENTATION OF A POEM OR SHORT STORY. EVERYONE INTERESTED IN JOINING IS WELCOME! THERE ARE NO TRYOUTS. ALL STUDENTS WILL DEVELOP AN APPRECIATION OF LITERATURE INTERPRETATION AND ORAL LANGUAGE, AS WELL AS THE SKILLS NEEDED TO WORK TOGETHER AS A GROUP. PLUS, STUDENTS WILL EARN BLOCK H POINTS AND HAVE A LOT OF FUN ALONG THE WAY!

STUDENTS INTERESTED IN JOINING THE MAPLE CREEK GROUP ORAL INTERPRETATION TEAM (GRADES 4-6) NEED TO COMPLETE AND RETURN THE PERMISSION SLIP BELOW BY THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9TH. PERMISSION SLIP: [HTTPS://FORMS.GLE/JVZYHSX20GZJ4UW6](https://forms.gle/JVZYHSX20GZJ4UW6)

## Cultural Corner

### Guy Fawkes Day

Guy Fawkes Day is celebrated in England on November 5. It is also called Bonfire Night. It is celebrated in remembrance of the failure of the Gunpowder Plot. Guy Fawkes is a famous traitor. On Nov. 4, 1605 thirty-six barrels of gunpowder were discovered in a cellar beneath the houses of Parliament in London. People were unhappy with the way King James I of England treated Catholics. They came up with a plan to blow up Parliament, and the King and Queen on the opening day of Parliament. Guy Fawkes was chosen to set off the explosion. One of the conspirators was scared and warned Parliament. Fawkes was caught and arrested along with the other conspirators. On January 31, 1606 eight of them were beheaded. Guy Fawkes' head was displayed with the others on pikes at London Bridge! Today children make images of Guy Fawkes and ask passers-by for money. They chant the phrase, "penny for the guy." The images are burned in huge bonfires that night. Fireworks fill the skies. November 5 was made a national day of Thanksgiving in 1606. It was celebrated with a Thanksgiving church service until 1859. After that, the image burning has become the main attraction. Yeomen of the guard reenact the plot each year. They dress in traditional costumes and search the cellar of Parliament. At the bonfire special foods are eaten. Sausages and potatoes may be cooked in the bonfire. Bonfire Parkin, a cake made of oatmeal, molasses, and ginger, and Plot Toffee are also eaten.



## Positivity Project

This week we are learning and celebrating

### Kindness

You are generous to others and you are never too busy to help out. You enjoy doing good deeds for other people.

*"No act of kindness, no matter how big or how small, is ever wasted."*  
~ AESOP



### Musical Instruments

Maple Creek is so fortunate to be able to provide high level instrumental music classes for our 5th and 6th grade students. To help ensure your child's success in these classes, please remember that instruments should be brought to school every Tuesday and Thursday. Instruments should be brought to school by the student at the start of the day. Parents, please help support this by reminding students to bring their instruments with them to school, rather than you bringing them to the office later in the day. The office will not be able to accept late instruments on an ongoing basis. Thank you for your support!