2018 Summer Newsletter

K-8 Gifted Support

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Dear Parents,

It has been a fantastic year in Gifted Support. I am so proud of the hard work that students have put into their projects.

Summer is a great time to recharge, but it is important that students avoid the "summer slide." I would like to encourage all students to read this summer, review math facts, and engage in any other educational learning experience. These are great ways to bridge summer learning.

Thank you for your continual support. I had a great year working with your children. I will be checking my school e-mail this summer, so please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

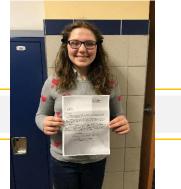
I hope that you and your family have a wonderful summer!

Take Care, Mrs. Welty ☺











Congratulations!

The Mathematics Council of Western PA First Year Algebra Contest Finalist:

Autumn Zerfoss

STEM Design Challenge

Middle School 2nd Place Elizabeth Kott Sierra Blystone Mara Lewis Troy Clark Elementary **2nd Place** Ella Sylvis Kayla Enos Regan Repak Alex Mullen

Primary 2nd Gr. 1st Place ElleighAnn Schall Jenna Vargulish Primary 3rd Gr. 1st Place Nate Cox Aspen Blystone Nick Stephenson Emily Laughlin

The Stock Market Game <u>1st and 2nd Place</u>

1st Place: Regan Repak Kayla Enos Ella Sylvis 2nd Place: Sophia Doherty Haley Glitsky Kendrik Jones

DAR Essay Contest Winner

Sophia Doherty

Best Wishes!

Best Wishes to the 8th Graders! Please come back and visit us!

Kelly Burd Miah Grindle Jonathan Hugus William Hugus Morgan Sobota Carissa Stipcak Nick Thomas Nick Valerio Autumn Zerfoss

Summer Enrichment

- * Challenge Program at St. Vincent College (Pre K-4 & 5-12) <u>https://www.stvincent.edu/community-events/outreach-programs/challenge-program</u> REGISTRATION IS ENDING SOON!
- * Summer Environmental Programs (County Parks & Rec) More information and registration is on the website. <u>www.co.westmoreland.pa.us/index.aspx?NID=1003</u>
- * Stage Right Musical Theater Camp (ages 4-7 & 8-18) For details call 724.832.7464 or check out: <u>www.stagerightgreensburg.com</u>
- * College for Kids at WCCC (ages 6-17) <u>https://westmoreland.edu/collegeforkids</u>
- * S.T.E.M. Camps at Norwin Schools (gr. K-12) Registration is open to Norwin students only until May 7th and then open public until May 14th <u>http://www.norwinsd.org/Page/7847</u>
- * Young Writer's Institute at West Hempfield Elem. (gr 4-8) https://writersofwestmoreland.com/upcoming-workshops/
- * Powdermill Nature Reserve (ages 5-8) <u>https://camps.artandnaturalhistory.org/calendar/?week=-</u> <u>1&event_category=0&event_audience=45</u>

(ages 9-12) <u>https://camps.artandnaturalhistory.org/calendar/?week=-</u> <u>1&event_category=O&event_audience=46</u>



Watershed: "Bats and Owls"



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LittleBits R2-D2



Ozobots



Speedometry