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# THE HERITAGE E NEWS

Heritage Middle School Electronic News and Information

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## THE NEWS

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Nov 22<sup>nd</sup>- 24<sup>th</sup> Thanksgiving Break

### **ONLINE FUNDRAISER!**

THE Heritage needs your support with our ONLINE FUNDRAISER!

**Dear Parents,**

We are writing to ask you to support THE Heritage Middle School by purchasing from our online fundraiser. As you know already, we had to make necessary adjustments and this will be our only fall fundraiser sale this year.

We are committed to making the student experience at Heritage Middle School one of a kind. These funds allow us to recognize students at school for all of the great things they do!

**The money raised from this fundraiser is used to support:**

School resources  
Recognition programs  
Awards  
Friday drawing prizes  
Dances  
Pep rallies  
Clubs

**How can you help our school?**

Purchase or renew your favorite magazine, choose a delicious snack item or show your school pride by selecting our custom tumbler.

**Again, this will be an online registration that makes it easy for you to help and shop.**

Online orders will ship directly to you or your customer. You will have no money to collect or orders to deliver. Please promote our sale through your social media.

**Please consider supporting our school!** That's all you need to do to support: 1) REGISTER, 2) SEND EMAILS, 3) PROMOTE. We hope that you support this option to buy gifts for family & friends and help us spread the word.

**Donation OPTION:**

If you do not want to purchase from the fundraiser, you can send in a donation to the front office (checks payable to Heritage Middle School) in any denomination \$10, \$20 or more.

**Thanks for all you do to support our HMS!**

**Mr. Gaston and Mr. Trombitas**

[THE Heritage Fundraiser Link](#)

[Quick Login Info for Fundraiser](#)

## **Media Center Notes**

In just three short weeks the Heritage will be holding a book fair at Barnes & Noble at Sawmill and 161. Please join us from 5 to 8 p.m. for book talks, raffles, games and a scavenger hunt. All purchases made with a designated code will result in 20% of the proceeds awarded to our school. Our purchase code is 12254694. If you are unable to attend in person, online orders can be placed the entire day using the 8-digit code. We are hoping you take this opportunity to make holiday purchases and join the Heritage family in a fun, festive evening!

## **PTO NEWS-**

Our Next PTO meeting is Nov 27<sup>th</sup> at 4:30 in the Cafeteria

Here is the link to the spirit wear sale. It is an online sale and is open now until Friday, December 1st.

<http://www.promoplace.com/tlgraphics/presentations/1016091>

We still have some spirit wear in stock. If you are interested please email me at [jspence71@columbus.rr.com](mailto:jspence71@columbus.rr.com) and we will see what we can do for you.

The PTO is going to do a shoe collection for the less fortunate. This will also be a fundraiser for the PTO. We are looking for slightly used shoes that are in good shape. You are welcome to send those into the office anytime. The big push will be in January. Please keep us in mind if you have shoes that you no longer need. This is an easy fundraiser.

Also, we are collecting Tyson food labels (chicken). This is also an easy fundraiser. Please go to [www.projectaplus.tyson.com](http://www.projectaplus.tyson.com) to see what products are eligible. We receive \$.24 a label, that is free money. If we are successful with these fundraisers, then we don't have to ask you to sell or buy anything to raise money.

We as a PTO do not have a large budget. If we can make these fundraisers successful without having to buy or sell products, that makes us happy. We have a goal to give back to the students (like the solar glasses we purchased) and provide for the staff when needed. Please help us make this a successful year.

## **ART CLUB**

Art Club will be meeting Wednesday Nov. 29, after school until 3:30 in rm 145.

The Heritage Art Department is offering a winter art workshop for festive art making. This is a two-day afterschool event held on Wednesday December 13<sup>th</sup> and Friday, December 15<sup>th</sup> from 2:45-5:45. The workshop is \$40 and includes all materials for projects as well as snacks provided for both days. Students will be creating painted record bowls, melted crayon ornaments, glazed ceramic plates, tile coasters and more!

If you are interested in having your student participate, please register and pay for the class through My Payments Plus. Parents or guardians should log-in to their MyPaymentsPlus account and scroll down below the 'Cafeteria Account Payments' to the 'Other Payments' section and choose 'NEXT Enrichment Classes'.

This class has limited availability, so please register your student's spot ASAP. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact either Mrs Schaeffer or Mrs Boza.

## **NJHS**

Attention 8th graders. If you are interested in applying to the National Junior Honor Society, the application for 2017-2018 is now available on the Heritage webpage. The application is due by Friday, January 5th 2018. Please see Mrs. Geoit or Ms Jasper if you have questions.

## **YEARBOOK**

If anyone is interested in taking pictures for the yearbook. See Mr Martin in room 167.

## **Watch the Heritage News**

Did you know you can watch the Heritage announcements each and every day? Just click the "Watch Announcements" tab on the webpage. HBN News is on the World Wide Web.

### **The Importance of Breakfast**

In this week's [Ready for Tomorrow blog](#) there is an important reminder for our families on free and reduced lunch pricing that breakfast is served daily and their student is eligible for a free morning meal. We know students learn better with a full belly, so we hope our families will take advantage of this opportunity.

### **Hollyfest Arts and Craft Show**

The Hilliard Area Chamber of Commerce would like to invite you to the 35th annual Hollyfest Arts & Crafts Show on Saturday, December 2 at Hilliard Davidson High School, from 9:00 am – 4:00 pm. With over 5500 in attendance last year, there is something for everyone including, Christmas decorations for your home or office, food, drinks, pet pictures with Santa and a raffle with your chance to win a prize every hour while in attendance.

### **IMPORTANT DATES:**

No School – November 22, 23, 24 for Thanksgiving

Board of Education – December 18, 7pm at Norwich Elementary

No School, Winter Break Begins – December 20

Winter Break Ends, Students Return – January 3

No School, Martin Luther King Day – January 15