

Superintendent

NEWSLETTER

End of 3rd Quarter

It is hard to believe that the month of March is almost here and the students and staff will be completing the 3rd quarter of school. This is the time of year when the weather starts getting nice and everyone is antsy to be outside and anywhere but in school. Finishing strong and persevering is the message we hope everyone will share with their kids and with each other. Sometimes hitting a mental reset is important or changing a routine to help keep us on track may help.

On the Calendar

- 2/29 Safety Night at CES; 5:30 p.m.
- 3/4 No School
- 3/26 NHS Blood Drive
- 3/28 Spring Break Early Dismissal



Warrior Way Award

Lori Mortland was selected by her colleagues as the Warrior Way Award recipient for 2nd Quarter. Lori was nominated for her leadership with teammates and for constantly Living the Warrior Way. Not only does she take time to develop engaging and meaningful lessons for her students, she is always willing to help her team at Calhoun Junior High. Congratulations Lori!

Bus? Yes, Please!

This 2023-2024 school year, the district was able to resume paying for bus transportation for high school extracurriculars. There are times when parent drive is still needed, but organizations are no longer asked to fundraise to help with the cost. We will need to monitor the funding for the future, but for now are glad to take the burden off of our community and teams. Thank you to parents and others who help drive students. We are also still needing bus drivers to help with these events. Please contact us if you are interested.

Go Warriors!

Did You Know?

Spending time in nature and outside is a simple way to reduce stress. People who live in areas with more green space experience less anxiety and depression.

ASSESSMENTS

Measuring student learning and growth is important at all times of the year. However, springtime is important for standardized testing at grades 3-11. These tests show us how our students are doing compared to other students across Illinois and the country. Please take a look at the school calendar, the website, teacher newsletters, and possibly emails with the dates your children will be testing. We ask that you avoid scheduling appointments during these days and make sure kids are in school and on time. Thank you!

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