

February 2020

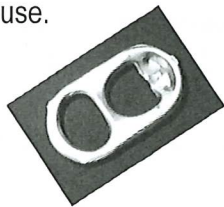
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We need your help collecting for the Ronald McDonald House!!

All you have to do is to collect the pull tab from any food or drink item that you use.

Ask your friends and neighbors to help us with the collection as well!!!



Spring Book Fair

Our Spring Book Fair will be held March 9-13.



DOUGLASS Elementary School

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Dr. Nancy Mark, Principal

It is hard to believe we are over halfway through the school year. On February 11th, we celebrated our 100th day of school.

If you have not been involved in your child's activities yet, I encourage you to do so. Please be watching for Pizza Hut Nights and Bojangles Nights. Commission from these nights will help defray the cost of the Washington DC trip.

REMINDER: Volunteers will have to have a background check before accompanying students for field trips, as well as general volunteering in the school setting. This is a Rockingham County-wide requirement. We have to put the safety of our students first. Please plan accordingly.

In the last several weeks, many of our students have been out due to illness. We have encouraged the students to cover their coughs and wash their hands frequently. If your child is sent home with a fever, they must remain fever free for 24 hours before returning to school. Our custodians are working diligently to disinfect and clean all areas thoroughly.

Please have your students at school on time. The morning bell rings at 7:45 a.m. Students should be in their classroom and in their seats at 7:50, when the tardy bell rings. Any student arriving after 7:50 a.m., must be walked in to the building and signed in. We appreciate your help in this matter.

Thank you for helping us create a positive and encouraging place for our students and staff. If you see something **positive**, please share that with our staff. Douglass is an excellent school and we are proud to have your children here with us!

Remember, let's make it a great day to be an Eagle as we set the stage for the next generation of leaders.

*Sincerely,
Dr. Nancy Mark, Principal*

Mark your CALENDAR



- 14th - PTO Valentine Day Dance 2:45-4:30
- 17th - Teacher Workday – no school for students
- 28th - 2nd gr Live Wax Museum



- 3rd - Skate Night 5:30-7:30 p.m.
- 8th - Daylight Savings Begins
- 9th- 13th- Book Fair
- 12th - Title 1 Night/Book Fair Open
- 17th - St. Patrick's Day
- 23rd - Teacher Workday/No School
- 26th - Spring Blood Drive



February: The character trait for the month of February is Self-Discipline. We tell our students that self-discipline is demonstrating hard work and commitment to a purpose and doing your best in all situations. I think this is one of the hardest character traits for children. It is difficult to control one's feelings and overcome one's weaknesses, even as an adult. In addition, the ability to pursue what one thinks is right despite temptations to abandon it is hard for children. I think the best thing we can do as adults is to model this for our children.

"By constant self-discipline and self-control, you can develop greatness of character." -- Grenville Kleiser

Remember... **Counselor Connie Cares!**



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Parent Resource Center
1130 Center Church Road
Douglass Education Center

(336) 623-8098

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PARENTS become their child's best "First Teacher!"
Come visit today!



We continue to collect **Box Tops for Education** for our school. Please send your box tops in to your child's teacher!!