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Datebook

MONDAY, SEPT. 14

☐ LPDC, 4 p.m., Admin Building

THURSDAY, SEPT. 17

☐ Board of Education, 6 p.m., Admin Building

THURSDAY, OCT. 8

□ DLT Zoom Meeting, 3:30 p.m., (link emailed Tuesday, Oct. 6)

FRIDAY, OCT. 9

- ☐ Admin Team Meeting, (ZMS-ZHS-ZCHS), 9:30-11:30 a.m., Admin Building
- ☐ Admin Team Meeting, (Elementaries), 10:30-11:30 a.m., Admin Building

MONDAY, OCT 12

☐ LPDC, 4 p.m., Admin Building

THURSDAY, OCT. 15

☐ Board of Education, 6 p.m., Admin Building

Hitched

Jared Kokensparger, son of Cindy Kokensparger (athletics secretary, ZHS), was married to Amanda Shaver on August 29, 2020, in Parkersburg, W.Va.

Transitions

Margaret Louise Gard, retired 5th grade teacher, passed away Tuesday, September 8, 2020. She was 91 years old.

DLT meeting schedule announced

DLT meetings this year will be conducted on Zoom, and will begin at 3:30 p.m. on the second Thursday of each month during the school year.

A link to the meeting will be e-mailed on the Tuesday before the meeting. Any and all staff are invited to attend.

The schedule of meetings is at right.

2020-21 DLT MEETINGS

October 8, 2020 November 12, 2020 December 10, 2020 January 14, 2021 February 11, 2021 March 11, 2021 April 8, 2021 May 13, 2021

OUR LITTLEST BLUE DEVILS!

















Thank you, all Pre-K Staff, for making the start of the year go great! You all are amazing. We appreciate your teamwork and thoughts!

- Ms. Wendy, Ms. Jan, & Mrs. Latoya's "Jungle"

Activities

MONDAY, SEPT. 14

- ☐ Girls Varsity Tennis vs. Watkins Memorial, 4:30 p.m.
- ☐ ZMS 7th Grade Volleyball at Newark Catholic, 5 p.m.
- ☐ Girls Varsity Soccer at Morgan, 5 p.m.
- ☐ Freshman Football vs. Watkins Memorial, 6 p.m.
- ☐ ZMS 8th Grade Volleyball at Newark Catholic, 6:15 p.m.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 15

- □ Varsity Golf at Licking County League 3rd Round, noon, Cumberland Trails GC
- ☐ ZMS 7th Grade Football vs. Licking Valley, 5:30 p.m.
- ☐ JV Volleyball vs. Heath, 5:30 p.m.
- ☐ ZMS 8th Grade Football vs. Licking Valley, 7 p.m.
- ☐ Varsity Volleyball vs. Heath, 7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 16

- ☐ Varsity Golf vs. John Glenn & Tri-Valley, 4 p.m., Zanesville CC
- ☐ Girls Varsity Tennis at Groveport Madision, 4 p.m.
- ☐ ZMS 7th Grade Volleyball at Utica, 5:30 p.m.
- ☐ ZMS 8th Grade Volleyball at Utica, 6:45 p.m.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 17

- ☐ Varsity Golf vs. Bishop Rosecrans, 4 p.m. Zanesville CC (Michele Redman Cup)
- ☐ Girls Varsity Tennis vs. Marietta, 4:30 p.m.
- ☐ Girls JV Soccer at Watkins Memorial, 5:15 p.m.
- ☐ JV Volleyball at Watkins Memorial, 5:30 p.m.
- □ Boys Varsity Soccer vs. Watkins Memorial, 6 p.m.
- ☐ Varsity Volleyball at Watkins Memorial, 7 p.m.
- ☐ Girls Varsity Soccer at Watkins Memorial, 7:15 p.m

FRIDAY, SEPT. 18

☐ Varsity Football at Green, 7 p.m.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 19

☐ Boys Varsity Soccer vs. Morgan, 1 p.m.

■ Shout-Outs & Such

As we close out the first full "month" of school, I'd like to give a shout-out to my Education Department team, who have rolled with all the new changes, regulations, procedures, etc. They have been AMAZING, and the year has gotten off to a fantastic start thanks to their efforts!

- Maureen Montgomery Christian

Shout-out to the ZHS school counselors and secretarial staff for the tremendous work and support they have done to exceed our students' needs. We appreciate ALL that you do for our kids, and exemplify BDP – Blue Devil Proud!

- ZHS Admin Team

Shout-out to the teachers and staff at ZMS for all their hard work. We cannot thank you enough for your willingness to go above and beyond for each and every student. Like we do with everything that comes our way at ZMS, we will get through this together, one day at a time.

- Dr. Dalton & Mr. Harris

I want to give a huge thank you to Mr. Harris for jumping in with both feet during these crazy times. What a way to start your administrative career, but you have handled it like a seasoned pro.

- Dr. Dalton

Kudos to the Tech Department for handling the Chromebook distribution and helping us navigate the Internet world. We appreciate your hard work!

- Zane Grey Staff

Even though this week was a tough one, we wanted to thank Mark Stallard for showing examples of professionalism and what a true leader is. We wouldn't be able to do it without you.

- Dani Kinsey, T.J. Anderson & Megan Weingart

I appreciate all the hard work teachers have done by them stepping up to help out this first week of school. This was our roughest start of the school year and teachers rocked it. I would also like to give a special shoutout to my administration team and the secretaries for everything they have done to make sure students felt comfortable and safe at all times.

- T.J. Anderson

We want to give a shout-out to all of our paraprofessionals. We have put some difficult responsibilities on you this past week, and you have done an amazing job helping with morning and afternoon duties. Your hard work has not gone unrecognized. Keep up the good work!

- Mark Stallard, Dani Kinsey, T.J. Anderson & Megan Weingart

Shout-out to our tech department – Jim, Marvin and Paul – for assisting with getting the Chromebooks read for our kiddos to start the year. Big shout-out to Paul Elswick for helping get our "Online Centers" set up for online learning. You are awesome! And thanks to Jake for all of his work in getting our programs hooked up through Clever.

- Mike Emmert & Erin Omen

Shout-out to the JME teachers for jumping in with online learning to help support all of our kiddos. The work you have put in has been great for our kids and is really appreciated!

- Mike Emmert & Erin Omen