

### From the Principal's Desk

**First of all.....A big "Thank You" goes out to our PTO for all they do here at Cherry Street Intermediate School. From fund raisers to caring for staff and students.....School would not be the same without you!**

The school year is underway and good things are happening. Our after school programs are full and providing many great activities for our students. Many students are involved in the photography and art classes. Work from these classes is displayed in the halls. Our great Chess Club has begun and there will be many activities throughout the remainder of the year.

Our first Coffee and Donuts with the Principal was a success and we will have another one Thursday, December 15 at 8:00 a.m. I hope to see you there.

I look forward to seeing you at Parent/Teacher Conferences. Please stop in and say hello. If you have not received your log-in and password for power school, you will receive it that night. This will allow you to log onto the school computer network from home and see how your child is doing.

Please feel free to call me at any time.

**Greg Webster, Principal  
Cherry Street Intermediate School  
231-258-9146**

### CHERRY STREET STUDENTS OF THE MONTH



Front Row L-R Jeana Gray, Brittany Bradley, Pearl Short  
Back Row L-R Ayla Gustafson, Hannah Walters, Christina Kimmel, MaKenzee Goddard



### Dates to Remember

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| Oct. 28    | FUNdRUN Birch Street<br>5-5:45  |
| Oct. 28    | Spook-Tacular Birch<br>Street 6 - 8:00  |
| Oct. 31    | Halloween Parties<br>p.m.   |
| Nov. 7     | No School<br>Staff Professional<br>Development  |
| Nov. 10    | Parent Teacher Con-<br>ferences 12:00 - 4:00<br>5:00 - 8:00<br>*Half Day for Students |
| Nov. 11    | *Half Day for Students  |
| Nov. 24,25 | Thanksgiving Vacation   |

### Half Day Schedule

Due to many phone calls on *When does School get out on half days?* Please take note! On any half day, Cherry Street School dismisses at 11:10 AM.

### Vision Statement

It is the vision of the Cherry Street Intermediate School to create an instructional program that strengthens and equalizes the learning potential for all students.

### Mission Statement

It is the mission of the Cherry Street Intermediate School to educate all students to their fullest potential. The school staff will use effective instructional techniques, assessments and appropriate intervention to help each student achieve grade level expectations at their own rate of learning.

## TO CONTACT STAFF MEMBERS:

**By email** – First initial of their first name, their last name, and followed by @kpschools.com

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**By phone** – Please call the office at 231.258.9146

## STAFF TEACHERS:

### Fourth Grade

**Ann Chappel**  
**Andrew McCarty**  
**Erin Raymond**

### Fifth Grade

**Carrie Baic**  
**Barb Crambell**  
**Rich Hilts**  
**Kathy Liverance**

### Special Teachers

**Deanna Hixson** – PE  
**Betsy Neelly** – Library  
**Ginny Yost** – Music  
**Pat Smolinski** – Art  
**Carol Whiteford** – Special Education  
**Gay Kasza** – Title

### Para Pros

**Jeannie Hall**  
**Karen Johnson**  
**Jeannie Sudau**

**Greg Webster, Principal**

## Cold Weather

We have gone from cold weather to REALLY COLD weather. Please be sure your child comes to school with all of the necessities....boots, gloves, snow pants, coats and hats. We have a limited amount of winter clothing available from the office. If your child needs winter clothing you may call the office or just tell your child to stop in.....We will help them.

## Halloween Parties

Halloween parties will be held on Monday, October 31<sup>st</sup> in the afternoon. Notes have been sent home with the children. If you have any questions please give us a call.

## Parent /Teacher Conferences

I hope to see all of you at Parent /Teacher Conferences on Thursday, November 10<sup>th</sup>. School will be dismissed at 11:10 and conferences will run from 12:00 to 4:00 and from 5:00 to 8:00. Your teacher will be contacting you soon for an appointment. If you do not have an appointment please contact the office and we will help you to get one.

## FUNdRUN

The FUNdRUN is this Friday at Birch Street from 5- 5:45. Last year this was a big fund-raiser for our schools. Please have your child take part in it. Donation envelopes were sent home earlier this month. Just bring them to the FUNdRUN when you come. All money raised in this event will go towards your child's educational programs.

## Spook-Tacular

And right after the FUNdRUN, the Spook-Tacular will take place from 6- -8:00 in the "Birch Street Gym. This is a family event. There will be family games with prizes. There will also be a bake sale.

## CSI Chess Club Kicks Off 10<sup>th</sup> Season

Cherry Street Chess Club kicked off its 10<sup>th</sup> season this week with an initial meeting of nearly 2 dozen students. CSI Chess offers play for any level of child; offering tutoring for both beginners and advanced players alike. The club hosts the Tinkerbell Classic All Girls Tournament in December and the Club Championships in May. Additionally, the 10<sup>th</sup> ranked "Knightmares from the North" will travel to East Lansing in February for the State Championships and Ludington in March for the Ludington Optimist Tourney, the oldest event in Michigan. The club is open to all students at Cherry Street Intermediate and meets each Wednesday from 3 to 4 p.m. in Mr. Hilts' room.





