

EDISON INTERMEDIATE/MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Dear Students and Parents,

Welcome, once again, to the 2009-2010 school year. The year is well underway and the students have been doing a great job.

As we move along through this year, I would like to encourage you, if the need arises, to use the Parent Response Form, which you will find enclosed in this newsletter. If you have a question, concern, or positive feedback to share, feel free to submit your items in written form.

As always, you, as parents, are welcome to visit the Edison Intermediate Middle School. It is important that you stop and sign in at the office and get a visitors badge before proceeding into the building.

Sincerely,

Bob Baeslack
Principal

IMPORTANT DATES

October 2	Ropes Course Field Trip for 7th Grade
October 16	Professional Day - NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS
October 21	Picture Retake Day
October 22	8th Grade Program - 6:30
October 24	Coffee House Choir Program - Grades 6-12
October 26-30	Red Ribbon Days - Youth for Drug Free Life Style
October 27	Fall Sports Award Night - 7:00 p.m. - Gym - Grades 7/8
October 30	Grade cards sent home with students
November 6	Parent Teacher Conferences - NO SCHOOL ALL DAY - Grades 4-8
November 10	ALL STUDENTS/ALL DISTRICT - LATE START - 10:15 a.m.
November 11	Band Concert - 5th/6th - 6:00 - 7th/8th - 7:00 - HS Auditorium
November 25	NO SCHOOL
November 26-27	Thanksgiving Break - NO SCHOOL
December 1	Interims sent home with all students
December 1	ALL STUDENTS/ALL DISTRICT - LATE START - 10:15 a.m.
December 9	Holiday Choir Concert - 6th/7th/8th - 7:00 p.m. - HS Auditorium
December 10	Geography Bees - 10:00 a.m. for 7th/8th, 1:30 p.m. for 4th/5th/6th
December 21	WINTER
January 1	BREAK
January 5	School reopens

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MAKE UP WORK IF ABSENT

If your son or daughter is absent and you would like to arrange to have his/her assignments, please let the office know first thing in the morning when you call to report the absence. This work will be sent to the office by 3:15 p.m.

Please note that the Homework Hotline will cover most, if not all, assignments that were given. There is a likelihood that you may not find too many assignments to pick up due to them being listed on the Homework Hotline. **You may access the Homework Hotline on the district web site, www.grandviewschools.org or you may call the Hotline numbers listed below.**

HOMEWORK HOTLINE

485-4199

4th Grade - Ext. 3004

5th Grade - Ext. 3005

6th Grade - Ext. 3006

7th Grade - Ext. 3007

8th Grade - Ext. 3008

STUDENT MESSAGES AND EMERGENCIES

Please help by limiting the number of phone messages to the school office for your child unless they are very necessary or of an emergency in nature. We are certainly willing to help with the communication of important information to your child but lately have been receiving a high volume of calls, often in the afternoon, which are causing continual disruptions to classrooms and instruction. Thanks.

STUDENT SAFETY AND CONCERN

Please do not stop on Oakland Ave. in the morning to drop your son or daughter off. A good deal of traffic uses this road in the morning. The concern is for a student's safety as they exit the car while another car chooses to pass the stopped vehicle.

Please pull in the parking lot to drop off your son or daughter.

CALLING SCHOOL

When calling Edison Intermediate/Middle School
please call 481-3630 ONLY

THANK YOU - THANK YOU - THANK YOU - THANK YOU - THANK YOU

Thanks to all parents and guardians for calling in when your student is ill, will be out for a doctor's appointment, etc. Your calling significantly eases the morning office pressure, as it is of utmost importance to ensure that your child is safe when not in attendance. Continue to call the main line, 481-3630. Please leave a message if calling before 7:00 a.m. or after 4:00 p.m. Thanks again!

PLEASE SIGN IN AT THE OFFICE

All parents/guardians/visitors are reminded to sign in at the school office and pick up a name badge before going anywhere in the building. Thank you!

FIRE LANE

The curb along the front of the middle school is a designated "FIRE LANE". The Grandview Heights Police Department has notified us that cars will be ticketed and/or towed for parking along this curb. (A quick drop off or pickup of students is not a problem).



“THE HAPPENINGS”

The Happenings is a supplement to the newsletter each month.
Academic and other classroom activities will be included.

Grade 4 News

Mrs. Mauck Mrs. Runyon
Ms. Penn Mrs. Zimmerman
Mrs. Quigley

The fourth grade classes are off to a wonderful start for the 2009-2010 school year. We have just a few suggestions that will help your child have a successful academic year. Please make sure that your child is reading every day at home, we suggest 20-30 minutes as a minimum. This could also be a time for you to read to your child, which is a perfect opportunity for conversation and quality time. Working on addition, subtraction, and multiplication facts is another way that you can help your child at home. Right now in school we are focusing on addition and subtraction facts but will soon be adding multiplication facts. There is not enough time in school to master the facts, so we need your support at home. Having enough sleep and eating a nutritious breakfast is always the best way to begin a day. Children are allowed to have nutritious snacks throughout the school day, so feel free to send them with your child. Water bottles are also a good idea, especially when the weather is warm. We are so impressed with your children and are excited about all we have planned for this school year.

Grade 5 with Mr. Newton

I am writing this on Thursday, the first day of the Ox Roast and I can tell already that the kids will be thinking about riding rides and eating.....Ox..... today rather than exponents and famous explorers. I really don't blame them at all. I would too. In my hometown, we had a similar event and I remember watching the clock as it came close to the end of the day. Again....I understand their excitement.

So far at this point, we have had a big unit on map skills in Social Studies class. The kids will be using those skills throughout the year and well on into the future. In Math class we have started to learn the many functions of our new calculator, the TI-15. This calculator is great in that it allows the kids to do math calculations far beyond what their parents were doing at this same age. However, I still have a few parents each year that ask their kids NOT to use the calculator to help with their work even when the page calls for it. Please understand, I too want the kids to use their heads but the calculator in today's math classes is as important as the pencil was when I was in school. I can imagine that many of us would be devastated if our computers or cell phones were taken away from us in the business world. How could we do our work? Calculators are simply now a vital part of elementary mathematics classes and are needed to help the children grow in their knowledge of mathematics.

Just a note about conferences, all parents in my homeroom have been scheduled. I will be sending out the reminders soon. If I you are a parent from Ms. Pittenger's classroom and would like a conference with me too, just let me know. My email address is: snewton@grandviewschools.org

Take care and enjoy the approach of Fall!

"There is no season when such pleasant and sunny spots may be lighted on, and produce so pleasant an effect on the feelings, as now in October."

- Nathaniel Hawthorne

Grade 5 with Mrs. Stewart

Language Arts

Book Clubs are up and running and some amazing stories are being created and shared in Writer's Workshop. The read aloud has been Cornelia and the Audacious Escapades of the Somerset Sisters. We are using this story to review and practice the comprehension strategies of visualization, connection and questioning the author. Cornelia is teaching us that being the child of rich and famous parents is not as wonderful as you might imagine. She is also teaching us about some amazing places in the world and also making us laugh.

Social Studies

Our focus this month will be review of the map and geography lessons from the beginning of the year. We will continue to learn about the regions of the United States and the states and capitals. October will be filled with Native American studies and explorers to the New World.



Grade 5 with Mrs. Walker

It's hard to believe that the first month of school has already come and gone! It's great to be back!

Science

We have started in on our Scientific Inquiry unit. We have worked on identifying science tools and students have been learning how to use them. Students are learning about science safety and have already completed three lab activities. We are also working on learning science vocabulary that will help us throughout the year - observations, evidence, measurements, discrepancy, variable and more!

Math

We just wrapped up our first unit, Number Sense Review. Students reviewed place value, reading and writing numbers, comparing whole numbers and decimals, and rounding whole numbers and decimals. We are ready to move to our second unit, but will be using the knowledge from our first unit throughout the school year.

Social Studies 6 with Mrs. Brown

Welcome to 6th grade Social Studies! We are beginning the year by reviewing past skills and learning new information about geography. We will be looking at basic map reading skills, understanding and using latitude and longitude, looking at geographic features around the world and using that information to determine the impact of geographic location on economies around the world. Students have a green "I Can" sheet that lists the target standards that they will be learning over the course of this first unit. Students will be using a variety of hands-on activities, projects, and collaborative work as they gain mastery of these standards.

I am also reading aloud the book Three Cups of Tea by Greg Mortensen. This book ties in quite nicely with many of the standards that are covered in 6th grade Social Studies, which is a wonderful bonus. We will also be looking at ways we can get involved with Pennies for Peace, to help raise money for the schools Mr. Mortensen is building in Pakistan and Afghanistan. More on this later!

Reading 6 with Mrs. Covell

Every 6th grader should be dedicated to reading a book with a target completion date of October 16. We have spent time thinking about how different life would be if you could not read! Students know a little more about literacy and the fact that illiteracy is a HUGE problem across the world. This is a great connection to Jerene Mortenson's visit and the unit Mrs. Brown is working on in Social Studies. We also have started to practice using clues to determine the meaning of unfamiliar words in the text. There will be a summative assessment on using context clues later this week. We will then begin our first big reading strategy, making connections. I am reading Joey Pigza Swallowed the Key aloud. It is a charming, LOL read with a serious message in the end. Ask your 6th grader how Joey swallows his key!

Science 6 with Mrs. Dunlevy

So far, 6th grade Science students are flourishing! All seem to be adjusting to their new schedules and really getting the hang of their Day 1, Day 2, No Day rotations. The students are reviewing science process skills from last year while learning new ways of exploring scientifically. Students are learning the difference between observations and inferences, gaining practice with classification and dichotomous keys, and have gained a better understanding for the importance of using detailed observations as they continue to record the growth of their plants. All students have become successful "plant parents" using their green thumbs as they implement the Scientific Method incorporating controls and variables while collecting data throughout the experimental process. All of the scientific process skills will be applied and tested as the classes move through a "Crime Scene Investigation" in order to provide evidence to support their thinking to identify potential suspects and ultimately solve the "crime".

Math 6 with Mrs. Pettit

We've had a great start to the year in 6th grade Math! Right now we are in the midst of our second unit of work focusing on computation. While calculators will often be used in the future, having a solid foundation of how to compute by hand is very important. We will be reviewing how to add and subtract with decimals, and multiply and divide whole numbers and decimals. I will take time to make sure that all students have a method of multiplying and dividing that consistently works for them and we will also be practicing those basic multiplication facts. You probably have heard about the lattice, partial products and partial quotients methods. Many students prefer these nontraditional ways of working. It does not matter which method they use, they just need one that they are comfortable with and can use correctly on a consistent basis. Another focus of this unit is on problem solving. Students will learn various strategies in order to attack word problems and those extended response questions on the OAT. With appropriate strategies, they can solve anything!

Writers' Workshop 6 - ALL TEACHERS

Students have Writers' Workshop at the end of the day Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Each day begins with a specific activity and then moves to a mini-lesson, prolonged writing or project completion. On Tuesday we begin with practice in grammar, usage and mechanics. Students edit paragraphs and then we explain the necessary corrections in class. On Wednesdays everyone begins by writing in their journals. Thursdays we work on building vocabulary. These next few weeks the remainder of each WW class is being used to review the Answer Sandwich, a formula for addressing prompts and writing extended responses that include well organized evidence. We want them to all LOOK GOOD and SOUND SMART!

Monday is a flex class at the end of the day. We will use part of that class to visit the school library. Students will also be able to get extra help, retake assessments, work on curriculum they may have missed, complete assignments etc. Friday is a flex day as well. Some Fridays will include special team huddles or rewards for those students who have earned a special privilege.

Math 7 with Mrs. Crawford

A new feature for 7th grade Math is that a copy of the student textbook can now be found online - hurry! Interested students will soon have an opportunity to register for access to this website and will be ready to go! Now that most of the "back to school" business is out of the way, students are just beginning to review key vocabulary words and foundation concepts. Some of the first skills we'll be covering include: creating algebraic expressions, evaluating expressions using the order of operations, the many purposes of a variable and negative exponents. I have especially enjoyed getting to know this new bunch of 7th graders and look forward to the year ahead!

Social Studies 7 with Mr. DeTillio

I hope that everyone has enjoyed the first few weeks of Social Studies. The students have done a great job getting acclimated to my class and providing our learning activities with loads energy. We are close to wrapping up our first unit, which focuses on the concept that "governments create order." In class we have discovered the basic premise of government and how different forms expect varying participation from their citizens. They each developed an expertise on one form and were responsible for teaching it to the rest of the class. The summative assessment for Unit 1 asks students to use their knowledge of government to reorganize a hectic situation in their own lives.

Progress Book

Please use Progress Book to monitor your students understanding or the current learning targets, download important documents, and get updates about what is going on in our class.

TWITTER

This year I am utilizing the social media site Twitter to increase communication between teacher and parent. For those unfamiliar with this tool, it is a short and fast way to communicate information. I will use our classroom account to post daily happenings, questions, and/or updates about what we have learned during that day. Visit www.twitter.com/EIMSSocstudies7. If you have an account, make a request to follow me. If you do not have an existing account, click "join twitter" and then make a request to follow. **For security purposes, I will approve your request** and you will begin to see my updates when you login. I hope that by utilizing this medium, you will feel more connected to our daily activities and better understand the learning that is taking place. I have 15 parents following me so far, and would like to hit 30 by the time Thanksgiving gets here.

Language Arts 7 with Mrs. Powell

What a great beginning we have had! Jumping right in with a writing assignment, we discussed the question, "What does our writing say about us?" Stopping to think about this, the students realized that the answer is "a lot!" Quite a bit of information is gleaned through this assignment which becomes a guide as we move forward. Through our reading, we have reviewed the importance of recognizing and paying attention to point of view, inferences, cause and effect, and all the details that help the reader understand the characters and complexities of a story. The next writing assignment will be a partner interview which will incorporate technology in its final copy. Students are checking out books from the classroom library and will have weekly book chats - a good way to share titles and topics for recommended reading to others!

Science 7 with Mr. Rummer


In 7th Grade Science we have just finished our first unit on the Scientific Method and are beginning our next unit. For the next several weeks we will be studying populations and how organisms interact. During this unit we will have a lab, several simulations and a "field trip" to study carrying capacity. Please remember to check progress book for copies of unit targets and notes.

8th Grade Team Ms. Allison/Mrs. Downer/Mrs. Getz/Mrs. Miglesz/Mr. Page

8th grade students and parents,

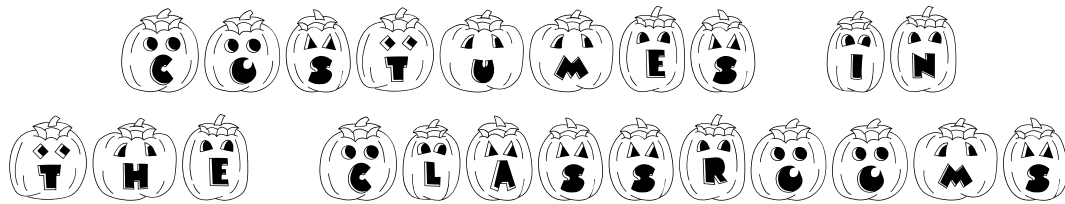
If you are interested in receiving updates from the 8th grade team then you will want to sign up for our e-blast. To sign up for the e-blast you need to first go to the district website:

<http://www.grandviewschools.org/> then in the top right corner of the page you will see the following:

A yellow rounded rectangular form with the text "eBlast Sign-up" on the left, a white text input field in the center, and a "Go" button on the right.

You can enter your email address, and click Go. Once you enter your name, make sure to select **8th Grade News**.

Thanks,
The 8th grade team



Who: Eighth Grade Students and their families

What: *Dress up in your favorite costume and ...*

- Prowl the halls to learn what your child does from 8-3
- Check in on your child's memoir in English
- Experience the wonders of Smartboard technology
- Discover the "Big Idea" in Social Studies
- "Bobbing Buoyancy" in Science
- Visit with other families and faculty
- Enjoy light refreshments

When: Thursday, October 22 – 6:30pm – 7:30pm

Where: Edison Intermediate Middle School

Why: The 8th grade team hopes you enjoy finding out **WHAT** your child does from 8-3. We are looking forward to discussing **HOW** your child is performing during our upcoming November conferences.

Wait!!! There's More...

* Prizes will be awarded to the best parent-student costume pair, so be creative and go all-out!

* Bragging rights will go to the 8th grade teacher who is voted "Best Costume in the Hallway!"

GUIDANCE OFFICE

Mr. Eckert and Mrs. Gasaway have been busy with beginning of the school year activities. Mrs. Gasaway has been in 4th grade and 6th grade class rooms to discuss the role of the Guidance Counselors at EIMS. Fifth grade presentations will be coming up soon! Mr. Eckert has been busy changing schedules, balancing class sizes, and preparing for the upcoming 7th grade ropes course activity as well as meeting with students and other activities to keep the school year progressing smoothly.

Winner's Choice Camp for selected 7th graders is fast approaching. Last year's participants (this year's 8th graders) presented information regarding their camp experience during the 7th grade Extended Core periods Sept. 16 through Sept. 18. Students interested in applying filled out a short form and wrote an essay regarding why they should be chosen to attend the camp. Grandview Middle School will participate with other Franklin County middle schools on October 21 and October 22. The camp is located in Delaware, Ohio. Winner's Choice Camp is sponsored by the Consortium for Safe and Drug Free Schools and Youth to Youth with the idea to develop student leaders who are willing to promote healthy lifestyle choices and to be safe and drug-free. Ten students and two alternates were chosen by the counselors and principal based on their essays. All students were encouraged to apply.

Community Activities for Parents and Children:

Nationwide Children's Hospital Education Center offers many workshops and activities for children and parents. Some of the upcoming workshops include:

- **Anger Management** for parents of children with anger problems (starting October 21);
- **ADHD Academy** for parents, caregivers or teachers of children with ADD or ADHD. Topics in ADHD Academy include Behavior Management, Homework Strategies, Educational Rights, Medication, Social Skills, and Self Esteem.
- **ADHD Academy for Kids:** "What is this Thing Called ADHD?" for children ages 8 to 12 and "Just for Siblings" for school-age siblings of children with ADHD.
- **Write Away Handwriting Workshops.** Is for children ages 6-12 experiencing handwriting difficulties. Note: Child must have a prescription from their doctor for an OT Evaluation. The OT will determine if they are an appropriate candidate for the class.
- **Active Parenting of Children:** covers a combination of topics such as daily living, courage, and self-esteem, how children think, responsibility, cooperation and problem solving. **Parenting Teens** includes content on alcohol, tobacco and other drugs and sexuality. Active Parent of Children is for adult parents of children ages 5-12. Active Parenting Teens is for adult parents of teenagers.

For more details, check online at NationwideChildrens.org/Edu or call 722-4949 (Children's Hospital Educational Institute).

It's Not Too Early!

There is a statewide effort offering students and families information about how to prepare for college, beginning in sixth grade. Check out the following website: knowhow2go.org

Opportunities for Middle School Students at Ohio State University:

Be Ready for College (OSU):

Central Ohio Consortium for Early College Outreach (a partnership among Ohio State, Capital University, Columbus State Community College, Ohio Dominican University, Otterbein College, and Ohio Wesleyan) offers an interactive presentation describing the steps to college. This presentation is designed for parents and guardians of middle school students. For more information call: 614-688-4488 or on-line at osu.edu/access/teacher_resources.php

Access to Education (OSU):

We believe college can be a reality for everyone, no matter your income or background. It's a matter of finding good information, the right people to help and planning wisely. College Access Group Tours are aimed at middle school-aged students and consist of a motivational 'think college now' message from an admissions representative followed by a campus tour. Availability varies based on requests and tour guide schedules. We recommend at least six weeks advance notice and date/time flexibility. Email accesstours@osu.edu or Amy Wade at wade.203@osu.edu to schedule a tour for your students.

LIBRARY NEWS MRS. FARYNOWSKI

On Wednesday, October 7th, our school will host a visit by author, Asma Modin-Uddin. She is the author of several picture books such as **My Name is Bilal** and **The Best Eid Ever**. Mrs. Modin-Uddin is a pediatrician who decided to write about the Muslim-American experience since she had difficulty locating books on this subject. She was born and raised in the United States and is of Pakistani descent. This opportunity to help our students understand global diversity is sponsored by the PTO. For more information, check out her website www.asmamobinuddin.com

FCS WITH MRS. BENSEN

Students in FCS are currently learning about and/or reviewing the food guide pyramid. Students will learn to use the guide as they make their food choices. The pyramid is available at: www.mypyramid.gov. All students have recently completed their pre data in the area of personal wellness and physical fitness. Students have charted their current fitness levels as well as body mass index, both part of the information used to work toward personal health and wellness goals. The site for the Body Mass Index: www.cdc.gov. Students at all levels have the opportunity to work towards the Presidential Service Award. I have given students the information which you may or may not have seen. The opportunity and history of the award is explained at: www.presidentialserviceawards.gov. We have a number of students who take this opportunity each year. Students in grades 7 and 8 are required to complete 15 hours of service learning. The first semester FCS students' hours are due no later than January 8, 2010. Second semester students' hours are due no later than May 12, 2010. All students should have turned in all of the hours that were completed over this past summer. I am pleased with the number of hours completed at this time. Our demonstration kitchen now has a wonderful new stove thanks to the GH/MC Education Foundation. We are always looking for adults who want to come in and share their culinary talents, favorite recipes, specialties, etc. Our goal is for students to learn some of the basics of food preparation, safety and sanitation. Any suggestions you might have are always welcome.

Edison Intermediate/Middle School News.....

CITIZEN OF THE MONTH

Congratulations to the following students for being selected Citizen of the Month for September, 2009. The students were treated to lunch at the Knotty Pine Restaurant on Monday, September 28, 2009.

September Citizens of the Month

5th Grade: Adrienne Bechtel
Lauren Tucker

7th Grade: Sophia Lombardo
Hank Wilson

6th Grade: Kevin Daniel-Hamberg
Maria Murphy

8th Grade: Chris Eberhart
Natalie Ferris



2010 GHMS Science Olympiad Tryouts

The tryouts for the 2010 GHMS Science Olympiad team will be held in mid to late October.

The Science Olympiad program is a challenging science competition that requires a student to have a broad base of knowledge in and gain mastery over a wide-ranging variety of topics in Science. The event formats include test taking, developing and conducting experiments, lab procedures, and building structures or devices in advance to accomplish a specific task. There are 23 different events that must be covered by the 15 members of the team. These events are scheduled in six time blocks of 1 hour each normally running from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM.

The 15-member middle school Science Olympiad Team that competes in the tournaments is generally comprised of up to five 9th graders, a majority of 8th graders, and several 7th graders. However, 6th graders are welcome to tryout and may be included for selection to the team based upon the level of upper-class member involvement, their personal tryout, and the student's demonstrated interest and commitment to the sciences.

If you have any questions, you may contact John Leutz at 299-2800 or Mindy Stoltz at 481-0442.

LATE START SCHEDULE DATES

10:15 A.M.

NOVEMBER 10, 2009

DECEMBER 1, 2009

SUBSTITUTE CROSSING GUARDS NEEDED

We are in need of people willing to be substitute crossing guards in the event one of us is not able to be at our corner. This is a paid position and requires a City of Grandview Heights job application to be filled out as well as a background check, etc. It involves 15 to 20 minutes before or after school and the time depends on whether it is Edison or Stevenson.

If you have any questions please contact Linda Wheeler at 481-6205 or email at lwheeler@grandviewheights.org

PARENT RESPONSE FORM

If you have a question, concern, or positive feedback to share, and it is difficult for you to phone the school during the day, feel free to submit your item in written form.

Please return to: Bob Baeslack, Principal
 Edison Intermediate/Middle School
 1240 Oakland Ave.
 Columbus, Ohio 43212

I have a question:

I have a concern:

I have something positive to share:

Please provide us with your name and phone number so that school staff may respond to you.

Signature

Phone

Date



**The
BOBCAT AWARD 2009-2010**
*Recognizing Outstanding Employees
and Community Members of the
Grandview Heights City
School District*

Sponsored By
Tri-Village Rotary Club

The Grandview Heights City School District is synonymous with excellence. The district's faculty, staff, and community members have earned the district this reputation. Each employee and countless community members contribute to the overall success of the district each and every day.

To recognize the outstanding contributions of the many people who make the district successful, the *Tri-Village Rotary Club* has established, and is the sole sponsor of, *The Bobcat Award*.

This quarterly award will be presented at a meeting of the Grandview Heights Board of Education to an individual, or individuals, who has made a noteworthy contribution to the district. The criteria for this award shall be as follows:

- All employees and community members of the Grandview Heights City School District are eligible to receive a *Bobcat Award*.
- The Bobcat Award Committee will review written nominations. The committee will select each quarter's winner or winners.
- Employees, parents, students and friends of Grandview Heights City Schools can make nominations.
- Nominations will be accepted during the school year.
- Winners will be honored at a Tri-Village Rotary Club breakfast at the end of the school year.
- The award schedule for the 2009-2010 school year is:

<i>Nomination form due to the superintendent</i>	<i>Award presentation at the Board of Education meeting</i>
October 29, 2009	November 10, 2009
January 26, 2010	February 9, 2010
March 23, 2010	April 13, 2010
May 25, 2010	June 8, 2010



Tri-Village Rotary Club
BOBCAT AWARD
Nomination Form 2009-2010

Date: _____

Name of Nominee: _____

Nominee's position or relationship to the school district:

The purpose of *The Bobcat Award* is to recognize an outstanding contribution of time, talent or effort to the Grandview Heights City Schools by an employee or community member. Please explain in detail why your nominee is deserving of this award. (Please print in ink or type your nomination. You may attach an additional sheet if necessary.)

Name(s) of Nominator: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

Are you a...(please check one)

student

district employee

school volunteer

parent/guardian

other

Please return this form to:

Edward J. O'Reilly, Superintendent
Grandview Heights City Schools
1587 W. Third Ave.
Columbus, Ohio 43212