



## THE MORGAN MINUTE



Morgan Township Elementary  
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# National Blue Ribbon School-2013

## Career Fair

It is incredibly important for our young children to start thinking about careers that interest them...even in kindergarten! We would like to give our MTE students a chance to experience numerous different occupations that may be of interest to them! In order to make this memorable, we need YOU!

Do you have a profession that you love? Would you be willing to share first hand knowledge of your profession? Do you feel that is it important for our children to know what is out there for them when they graduate? If so, please consider spending the morning of April 2nd with us! Whether you are a mechanic, nurse, administrator, custodian, architect, small business owner, farmer, or other spectacular professional, we NEED YOU!

### **Important Information:**

Date: Tuesday, April 2, 2019

Time: Set-up between 7:40 and 8:00/Classes run 8:00-11:30

Equipment: We will provide tables, but we will need to know of other needs such as electricity.

Students will come through and ask questions of our professionals. No formal presentations will be given, but questions will be asked! Please feel free to bring equipment or props that are associated with your profession. Handouts are wonderful!

Sign Up information will be coming home with your child next week!

## Daddy/Daughter and Mother/Son Event

Our PTO sponsored Daddy/Daughter and Mother/Son event will take place on Friday, March 8<sup>th</sup>. This event is a perfect time to spend the evening out with your special child! Part of the event features a silent auction where you can purchase tickets to try and win wonderful baskets of goodies!

If you or someone you know is a small business (or large business) owner and would like to make a basket or contribute to one, please contact Mrs. Julie Casbon (jccasbon@comcast.net) to set up the details!

Please note that we are asking for a \$5 donation to attend if you are able to contribute.

We hope to see you there...with your dancin' shoes on!

## JUMP ROPE FOR HEART

Jump Rope for Heart officially started with a kick off on February 19<sup>th</sup>! Please try to help MTE help others by generously donating to the American Heart Association!

A huge thank you to Mrs. Schumacher for organizing this worthwhile endeavor!

## Find Us on Facebook

Morgan Township Elementary now has a Facebook page. It is my hope to share good news weekly about the wonderful things that are happening at Morgan. Please "like" us on Facebook so that you can follow our educational journey with your child!



## Dates to Note

February 21, 2019: MATH Bowl: Portage HS West

February 27, 2019: Early Release Wednesday

March 1, 2019: Morgan Spirit Day

March 8, 2019: Daddy/Daughter Mother/Son event

March 14, 2019: PTO Night Out: 5 Guys

### KINDERGARTEN ROUND UP CLASS of 2032

Morgan Township Elementary School  
Kindergarten Round Up  
Tuesday, March 5th, 2019  
Morgan Cafeteria  
6:00-7:00pm

Please join us for our informational meeting about the start of your child's educational career at Morgan Elementary. If you have a child who will be five years old by August 1, 2019 AND you feel he or she is developmentally ready, this meeting serves as a pre-registration event. Parents only please if possible.

Testing "Season" Just Around the Corner  
Testing is kind of a "cuss" word as schools approach March and April. At MTE, we embrace the testing that we are required to do and encourage our students to show others just how smart and well-prepared they are! We create an environment that celebrates our knowledge and one that realizes successes are not always within our school walls. Please note that our third graders will take part in the iREAD 3 on March 18<sup>th</sup>-March 22<sup>nd</sup>. Our third through fifth graders will take the iLEARN test April 22-May 10<sup>th</sup>. Please make every effort to have your children here during those time frames.



### Reading Counts

It was double raffle day on the 8th! The following students received a MTE water bottle, new pens and pencils, and a popsicle:

Camryn Smith  
Ryliee Asher  
Mason Koch  
Sierra Ricke  
Lily Henry  
Riley Connors  
Paityn Kukulski  
Elyse Coffman

### EPCSC Core Value of the Month

All of the East Porter County Schools will be focusing on a core value each month of the school year. It is our mission to not only educate our students in the core academic areas, but also teaching them the values that make them a good human being. The core value for FEBRUARY is kindness. Kindness is the quality of being helpful and good to others.

Thank you for being partners with us in our efforts.