

Granville Wells Elementary School
The Rocket Review
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Aim High, Work Hard, No Excuses...It's the Wells Way!



News from Mrs. Stanley and Miss Wesson: Grandfriends' Day was a huge success! We had nearly 500 visitors here today. I think visitors and children alike had a great time!

There will be NO SCHOOL on Monday for Presidents' Day. We will be back in school on Tuesday. Enjoy the long weekend!

Flu season is upon us. Just a friendly reminder that students need to be fever-free for 24 hours without fever reducing medication before returning to school. We are taking additional precautions here to sanitize heavily touched surfaces.

Kindergarten/Preschool Round-Up: We are looking for new **ROCKETS!!** Preschool and Kindergarten Round-Up will take place on **Thursday, March 7th, at 6:00 p.m.** Eligible children should be 4 years of age by August 1st for Preschool, or 5 years of age by August 1st for kindergarten. Parents are asked to bring their child's birth certificate and immunization record. We will accept students living outside of our district. It is not necessary for children to attend Round-Up.

Family Movie Night: Our Student Council is sponsoring a family movie night on February 23rd at 6:00 p.m. We will show Firehouse Dog (rated PG) on the big screen in our gym. Families are invited to bring blankets and lawn chairs and pretend they are enjoying a movie on a warm summer night. Admission will be \$5.00 per person (no more than \$15.00 total per family). Concessions will also be available that evening. Children must be accompanied by an adult. We hope you can join us!

[Movie Night Feb 23 2024 Flyer \(1\).pdf](#)

Science Fair: Granville Wells will hold a Science Fair on March 18th. In order to help our students with project planning Mrs. Lester is holding a science club after school. Information regarding the club is attached below.

[permission slip 24 GW.pdf](#)

Read Across America Day: Our staff members are getting excited for Read Across America Day, March 1st! We have a fun theme planned for our ALL-DAY reading event. Students don't need to do anything special other than come to school that day ready to read. After two years there is NO WAY they will be able to fill up my office with balloons again!

Spring Sing: Save the Date: March 19th at 7:00

We weren't able to have a Christmas Program this year so instead we will be doing a Spring Sing for our families and community. More details to come.

Western Boone Youth Baseball League: Registration is open through February, 23rd. Children as young as 3 have an opportunity to play! Go to the new website for registration information.

<http://weboybs.org>

“We Rock-It the Wells Way”:

Our Granville Wells Rockets are doing a fabulous job of practicing and demonstrating the Western Boone Character Traits: **SAFE, TEAM PLAYER, ACCOUNTABLE, RESPECTFUL**. Students are encouraged and challenged to always be thinking about the choices they make, and to always do the right thing for themselves and for others. **It's the Wells Way!** Students going **ABOVE** and **BEYOND** in practicing and modeling these **STAR** Skills, and who were chosen as their class “Rocket Reward” winner during the past two weeks are:

Kindergarten: Nora Davids, Carter Hubbell, Karter Kennedy, Jensen Buchanan

First: Benjamin Tuttle, Karis Mitchell, Kylie Demaree, Lucy Ranney

Second: Evie Davis, Brooklyn Morgan, Everly Telljohann, George Winter, Lilly Davids, Kennedy Pierce, Sawyer Pollard

Third: Breccan Conwell, Jace Lalond, Bo Shuptrine, Emma French

Fourth: Ava Mays, McKinley Steorts, Beau Threlkeld, Alexa Castro, Amelia Stambro, Andrew Beaver, Mikey Rudder, Cameron Cratty

Fifth: Charley Dazey, Bryson Potter, Kaydo Cordoba, Spencer Worrell

Sixth: Ainsley Thompson, Ollie Shuptrine, Rylee Radaker, Teddy Crowder, Kaity Gott

Important Dates:

- February 19, Presidents’ Day NO SCHOOL
- February 23, Family Movie Night
- March 1, Read Across America Day!

Western Boone Jr.Sr. High is planning a spring musical. If you or a family member have a business you would like to promote in this year’s program contact Cami Sparks at Western Boone. The musical, “Mean Girls, Jr.” takes place on March 15th and 16th this year.

Jamestown Get Mooned Event: The Jamestown community is planning a family event to celebrate this year’s solar eclipse on April 8, 2024 at the Jamestown Christian Church, from 1:00-5:00. Watch for more details!

Thorntown Library: Bring your used shoes to the Thorntown Public Library February 1-20th! The library is a collection site for Boone County Solid Waste Management’s annual ReUSE Heart and Sole shoe collection. Shoes of all types and conditions will be accepted. Those that are paired and in good condition will be distributed to those in need throughout Central Indiana by Changing Footprints. Shoes that are unusable will be recycled. Donate your shoes to a worthy cause, and keep them out of landfills.

Connect to what is happening at Wells: The latest GW events and pictures can be found on our school website or by joining us on Twitter. To stay in the know join us at: [gwes.weboschools.org](https://www.gwes.weboschools.org) or follow us on Twitter - **@GWES_Rockets**

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Mrs. Stanley & Miss Wesson