

# THE LONGHORN WAY

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Did you notice the “Leadership starts here mural on our building?” Our 7<sup>th</sup> grade Fine Arts block students designed and painted it. Leadership started with these student art leaders! This is just the beginning of the focus on everyone being a leader.

Reminder- No School on November 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>. Remember to vote on November 8<sup>th</sup>. Teachers will be working on grades and learning more on their craft.

Veteran’s Day On November 11, 2015, at 9:15 am (6<sup>th</sup> grade) and 10:15 a.m. (7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade) our staff and student body will be holding a special assembly planned and prepared by our Character Council students. We will be honoring all Veterans of our great country. We would like to invite family members and close friends who are veterans to attend the assembly. Please extend this warm invitation to our veterans. We will serve cookies and juice in the library following each assembly. **RSVP by November 9<sup>th</sup> to Kathy Dodge at 314-415-7402.**

**We also encourage students to wear red, white and blue on Friday, November 11<sup>th</sup> in honor of our Veterans.**

**Don’t forget to submit photos of Veteran’s to [wmveterans@gmail.com](mailto:wmveterans@gmail.com)** and include the following in the email:

- Name
- Student submitting
- Years of Service
- Branch of Service

In addition, we are sponsoring a poster and essay contest for the students with the theme **“What does it mean to be Patriotic?”** Essays and posters will be on display the day of the assembly. See our website for details or ask your child to inquire at the front office. Deadline Nov. 9<sup>th</sup>.

We are encouraging students to bring in candy November 1<sup>st</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup> to send to troops overseas. We ask that you send no chocolate. Students can deposit the candy outside the grade level counselors office.

Thanks for sharing your kids with us

~Annie

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## Looking Ahead

November 7 & 8	No Classes – Records Day and Professional Development
November 9 <sup>th</sup>	Deadline for Veterans Day Poster and Contest Entries
November 9 <sup>th</sup>	Junior Achievement Field Trip – Business Class
November 9 <sup>th</sup>	7pm Board of Education Meeting Central Middle
November 10 <sup>th</sup>	7pm Choir Concert – Large Gym
November 11 <sup>th</sup>	Students wear Red/White/Blue – Patriotic Colors 9:15 Veterans Day Assembly – 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade 10:15 Veterans Day Assembly – 7 <sup>th</sup> & 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade

“As we express our gratitude, we must never forget that the highest appreciation is not to utter words, but to live by them.” —John F. Kennedy