

**Get in the Game.....Be a Leader!**  
**Delphi Community Elementary School**  
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**Spring Book Fair**

Thanks to everyone who came out to our Spring Scholastic Book Fair - it was an incredible night. Due to your generosity, our school earned almost \$3000 in cash and books!

**Need Chicken Wire**

If any of our parents have rolls of clean chicken wire they are not using and would be willing to donate to the school, could you please contact me? We are looking to build an amazing addition to our school and this would be helpful. Thanks in advance.

**DCES - SIGN UP FOR THE BIRTHDAY ROCK! Contact the office for more information!**

**Bowling Balls Needed**

If you have an old and/or unused bowling ball, please consider donating it to PLTW for a project - any questions, please email Mrs. Marvin - [marvina@delphi.k12.in.us](mailto:marvina@delphi.k12.in.us)

**Summer Rec**

Delphi Parks and Recreation  
**Summer Youth Recreation**  
**Grades 1 - 8 @ Riley Park**  
**June 11 - 22 from 9:00-11:00 AM**

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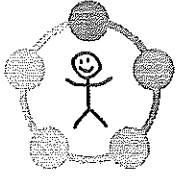
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**Changes for 2018-19?**

Parents - if you know of anyone 'new' who is moving into our district for the 2018-19 school year, could you encourage them to let us know ASAP so we can add them to our class lists for next year? Also, sadly, if you are leaving our district, please let us know soon so we can plan for this as well. We hope to retain all our wonderful students and add more.....We added 14 new ones recently. :) )



# PROMISE INDIANA

Vision statement: Our vision is that every child believes that they have the potential and a path to pursue post-secondary education!

Carroll County Promise is excited to begin a new adventure to help our students' dreams come true by planning for their future! By partnering as a community and with Promise Indiana, we will be able to start college savings accounts for our children. More information to come; we look forward to working together to make a difference!

## COUNSELOR'S CORNER!

**Guardian Angel Hospice has announced their dates for Camp Angel Day Camp & Teen Retreat for Grieving Kids and Teens.**

**May 19- Kokomo**

**June 2- Lafayette**

**For more information please call**

**1-800-338-4043, email**

**[sguinn@gahospice.com](mailto:sguinn@gahospice.com) or**

**[abundy@gahospice.com](mailto:abundy@gahospice.com). Website:**

**[www.gahfoundation.org](http://www.gahfoundation.org)**

## Yearbook Sales

Look for order forms to come home in early May. Please return them ASAP - Expect the yearbooks to be sent home before the end of the current year.

## All Pro Dads

Another 'All Pro Dad' event, this one geared for **ALL students in grades 1-5** along with their father/male role model, is **May 15 @ 7:00 a.m.** Fathers **MUST** be on our approved volunteer list (limited criminal background check) and sign up at the following link:

<https://allprodadsday.com/chapters/10491>

Below is an article from their website:

## Ways You Should Spy on Your Kids

I went downstairs to surprise my daughters after arriving home earlier than planned. As I got close to the door where they share a room, I heard the words "Are you going to tell Mom and Dad?" My ears instantly perked up, and I unashamedly continued to listen.

While their little secret turned out to be nothing of importance, that's not always the case. I am a teen mental health therapist and let me tell you, I have heard the heartbreak that results from parents not protecting their children. That protection is enabled by being aware of your kid's behaviors and decisions. Here are ways you should spy on your kids.

## Looking through their text and social media.

Regardless of who bought the phone, if that child, under the age of 18, still lives in your house you are legally and morally responsible for the choices they make. From cyberbullying to sexting, we have to monitor the content our kids are exposed to. Being aware helps us intervene when necessary. For example, I had one family learn after the fact that their daughter was being pressured by her boyfriend and his friends to send inappropriate pictures of herself, which then spread around the school. When the school found out, the daughter and boyfriend were suspended, and a police detective was assigned their case to pursue child pornography charges. The parents who were completely oblivious and trusted their daughter were exposed to the numerous poor choices when confronted with the school's suspension and detective's interviews.

We need to allow our kids choices that strengthen responsibility, this is part of our equipping them for adulthood. However, that does not mean we allow ourselves to be hands-off and oblivious to their choices. We need to allow our kids to make choices that fail, so they can learn; with failure comes the opportunity for education. But without awareness of their failings, we are blind to this opportunity,

and more importantly, unable to prevent potential lifelong consequences.

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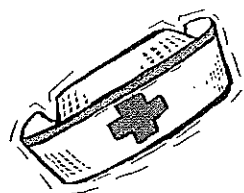
## Listening to their conversations with siblings and peers

Our kids act differently with their friends and siblings than they do around us. Listening in during carpooling, cooking dinner, getting ready in the morning, and shopping, are a few examples of opportunities to pay attention to the types of conversations your child is having with others. You can learn about who is in a relationship with who now, who is having sex or doing drugs, all from just listening.

## Asking other parents, teachers, and coaches

Checking in with other adults who sees your child and sees them interact with their peers, could give you another angle to learn more about your child's behavior outside the home. Other adults, like teachers, coaches, and youth leaders, could also be a great resource for discovering latest trends and information that could assist in your own parenting. Use this time to assess if there are other adults who are good influences in your child's life.

Our kids will soon be out in this world on their own. Walking with them, even from the outside of a bedroom door, ensures they will be equipped to be a healthy adult.



## FROM NURSE ROSS

It is nearing the end of the school year and it will soon be time to send home the remaining medications that you have sent in to the Health Room for your student. Due to our state law, we cannot send this home with the students. Please stop by the office between 7:30AM and 3:30 PM any school day May 16<sup>th</sup> - May 24<sup>th</sup> to pick up your student(s) meds.

If you can't pick up your student's medicine, we can send it with another adult that has written authorization from you to do so.

We will discard any medicine not picked up by 3:30 PM on Thursday May 24<sup>th</sup>.

### Calendar of Events

- May 1- Pre-K Delphi Downtown Tour
- May 3 - Delphi Public Library present summer reading program
- May 4 - 'May the Fourth' Spirit Day (Star Wars Theme; Popcorn \$.50)
- May 7-11 - DCES Food Drive
- May 7 - Kindergarten Columbia Park Zoo
- May 11 - Geocaching Activities (5th grade)
- May 14 - Kindergarten Tours DCES
- May 14 - 3rd Grade Camp Tecumseh
- May 14 - Heritage Keepers - Trolley Ride
- May 14 - PTA Meeting @ 6:30 p.m.
- May 14 - DCSC Board of Trustees Mtg @ 7:00 p.m. @ central office
- May 15 - All Pro Dad Event (Purdue Football Team, Open to ALL Grades)
- May 15 - 5th Grade to DCMS
- May 16th 4th Grade Indianapolis Motor Speedway
- May 17 - DCES Talent Show - Gym
- May 18 - 1st Grade to Peterson Pond
- May 18 - Pre-K Goes to Camden Park
- May 21/22 - 4th Gr. Wax Museum
- May 22 - Kindergarten Graduation 6:00 pm -(Doors open 5:45)
- May 23 - DCES Cookout

May 24 - 5th Grade Graduation 11am - gym; Parents are encouraged to sign their child out for the day/year

May 24 - Last Student Day

May 26 - DCHS Graduation @ 10:00 a.m.

May 29 - June 25 - Summer School (8 a.m. - 12 p.m.)

July 2018 - Online Registration Begins

August 9 - First Day of School

August 16 - DCES Meet the Teacher Night

### **Classroom Makeups**

As you could imagine, balancing the needs of all 640 students can be difficult. We make every effort to ensure that all our students are placed in the best possible classroom environment.

Parental requests, if needed, must be made on the 'Classroom Information Sheet for 2018-19' - these forms can be found in the office. If you need one, please request one from the office. These forms are due May 11th in order to be considered.



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Help Support Our Community and Those in  
Need by Assisting with the:

## INDEPENDENCE FROM HUNGER FOOD DRIVE

Event kick off is

Monday, May 7th through Friday, May 11th  
You can donate Canned Goods & Non-Perishable  
Food Items in the cart located for each grade. Each  
grade will be competing for the most items turned  
in by May 11th. The grade that receives the most  
items, will receive a Pizza Party on Thursday, May  
17<sup>th</sup> to celebrate their participation! All items will be  
donated to the Carroll County Food Pantry.

Thank you Delphi Elementary School and  
community for your Support!



**St. Elizabeth**

Healthcare Center

The 40th Annual Little Miss and the 23rd Annual Little Mister Contest is underway. The contest will be held on July 15, 2018, at 7:00 PM at the Carroll County Fairgrounds. There will be a MANDATORY interview session held at the Delphi Public Library on June 30, 2018.

To be eligible to compete in this year's pageant, contestants must be at least 5 years of age and cannot have reached his/her 8th birthday before August 5, 2018. There is a limit of 30 contestants for this year's pageant.

Entry deadline will be June 1, 2018. Send completed registration forms along with a \$15 entry fee and a self-addressed stamped envelope to Carroll County Little Miss and Mister Contest, 1004 S Hamilton St. Delphi, IN 46923. A picture of the contestant will be required. You may send it along with the entry fee. Please, no pictures larger than a 5x5.

**Child's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Boy** \_\_\_\_\_ **Girl** \_\_\_\_\_

**Birth date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Age as of July 15, 2018** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parents:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Relationship to child:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Telephone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail** \_\_\_\_\_

**T-shirt Size:** Youth **S(6-8)** **M(10-12)** **L(14-16)** **Adult** **S** **M (please circle one)**

**Preferred time for interview: (please check one)**

**1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.** \_\_\_\_\_

**2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m** \_\_\_\_\_