

Titan Times

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The leaves changing, crisp morning air and shorter days are certain to signal that fall is in full swing. During this season of change, we want to take a moment to show grati-

tude for a few things that remain constant at Ithica Elementary. We have students who strive for excellence in their academics and moral character, a staff that often sacrifices family time to plan and prepare for enriching activities throughout the school, parents who consistently support our school through word of mouth and contributions of money, time and talents and also a community of partners in education that often share their pride in this special place.

The Georgia Department of Education released CCRPI scores last week. Ithica continued to show academic gains by increasing our CCRPI score to 89.3 from 86.9. We are extremely proud of our students, parents, and teachers for all of their dedication to achieve this growth. It takes a team, TEAM TITAN!

Please join us for a special presentation regarding bullying on Monday, November 13th at 5:15. Rob Dial, Director of the Prevention and Advocacy Center, will share information about all things bullying. This is a great opportunity for parents to gain a greater understanding of bullying and bullying prevention. We hope you can join us for this informational presentation.

Enjoy celebrating the season with your family and let us all be grateful for the opportunity to spend our days with each other.

Mr Corbett and Mrs. Brown

Dates to Remember

November 2017

November 7	Chick fil A Spirit Night (4:00—8:00)
November 10	Veteran's Day Breakfast (8:30)
November 13	Parent Training—Bullying (5:15)
November 13	PTSO—1st Grade Performing (6PM)
November 13-17	Book Fair
November 15	Thanksgiving Lunch for PreK-2nd
November 16	Thanksgiving Lunch for 3rd-5th
November 16	Midterm Reports
November 20-24	No School (Thanksgiving Break)

Looking Ahead

December 9	Nutcracker Performance (6:30)
December 11	School wide Field Trip (9:30-12:00)
December 11-15	Santa Shop
December 11	PTSO—K Performing (6:00)



- Please bring exact change of \$4.00 per person
- All visitors will be required to check-in with a photo ID.
- **Visitors should be listed on the student's Emergency Contact List, or the parent/guardian must send in a signed letter to the teacher prior to the lunch date indicating who has permission to have lunch with the student. To guarantee the safety of all students, no exceptions can be made to this protocol.**

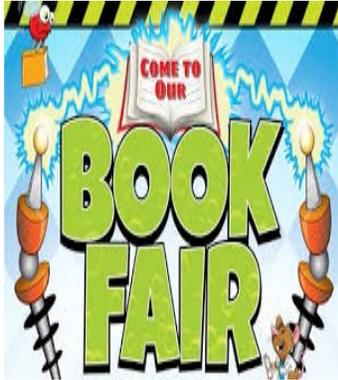


We invite you to visit the Title I Parent Resource Area at Ithaca Elementary School. It is located in the Media Center and is open during school hours. We have beneficial reading materials to help you provide the best assistance to your child's education. We also have a game center and take home backpacks with fun books and games for your own Family Game Night. Stop by today and take a look at these resources.



A tremendous Titan thank you to Vulcan Materials Inc. for the support this 2017-2018 school year! For pre-planning teacher nourishment, A.R. celebrations for our students and rewards for our Teacher of the Year, our staff and students appreciate your contributions very much.

Thank you, Vulcan, for being a part of Team Titans!



The Crane Book Fair will be here November 13-17. It will be open each morning, during our November PTSO meeting, and during our Thanksgiving feasts. Make plans now to come out and get a good book before the Thanksgiving Break.



The second nine weeks Accelerated Reader Party will be the last week in December. There will be a jumpy, slide, movie, snack, face painting, and games! The last day to earn points for the nine weeks is Monday, December 8th. Students must reach their reading goal and have a clear library account (no overdue or lost library books) to participate.

Congratulations to our October Terrific Titans

