

# NEWS FROM THE NEST

FEBRUARY 2024

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Can you believe January zoomed by so quickly? We kicked off the second semester with a bang after overcoming some snowy hurdles. Our January Rockin' Rally was a celebration of achievements, spotlighting students who showed remarkable growth in their MAPs Testing scores (Reading and Math). We also cheered on those landing in the top 90% nationally in reading and math MAPs.

February is already in full swing, promising another whirlwind of activities. Don't forget to mark your calendars for Parent-Teacher Conferences on Wednesday, February 7th. Stop by and explore the book fair afterward. Here's to a successful rest of the third quarter!

Kindergarten Registration is now open. Preschool Applications will open on Wednesday, February 7th. Kindergarten Registration and Preschool Applications can be found at the Elementary Office or on the Boone Central Schools website.

Claire Kayton, Elementary Principal



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# BCE EVENT CALENDAR

**February 7th:** No School / PT Conferences / Book Fair

**February 7th:** Preschool Applications Open

**February 8th:** Elementary Students Singing At Basketball Game

**February 12th:** School Board Meeting

**February 14th:** PLC Late Start

**February 16th:** No School

**February 19th:** PTO Meeting

**February 21st:** PLC Late Start

**February 23rd:** PBIS/Rockin' Rally

**February 28th:** PLC Late Start



## SCHOOL DAY: 8:00AM-3:30PM

\*7:30AM DOORS OPEN FOR STUDENTS EATING BREAKFAST

\*7:40AM DOORS OPEN FOR STUDENTS TO PARTICIPATE IN MORNING FITNESS

\*8:10AM STUDENTS WILL BE MARKED TARDY

## PLC LATE START: 9:00AM-3:30PM

\*EVERY WEDNESDAY DURING THE SCHOOL YEAR

\*8:30AM DOORS OPEN FOR STUDENTS EATING BREAKFAST

\*8:45AM DOORS OPEN FOR STUDENTS TO PARTICIPATE IN MORNING FITNESS

# STAFF SPOTLIGHT

## FOURTH GRADE ROCKSTARS

JORDAN TEMME & EMMA BOUNDS

**Combined Years of Experience:**

15 years

### **Best Part Of Fourth Grade:**

**Bounds:** The best part of teaching fourth grade is watching them gain independence through the year. I also love the relationships built with each student.

**Temme:** Getting to see how much kids grow academically throughout the year, Wax Museum, and a great teaching partner.

### **Favorite Hobbies:**

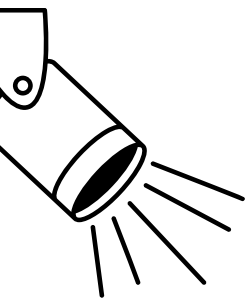
**Bounds:** reading, playing volleyball, & going on walks with family

**Temme:** hanging with family, sports (watching, playing, coaching), & camping

### **Favorite Foods:**

**Bounds:** Mashed potatoes, tacos, Buffalo wraps from Runza :)

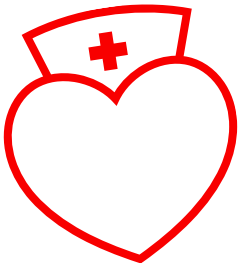
**Temme:** Chicken Fried Steak



# NURSE'S CORNER

It's already time to start making summer plans! Here are some ideas to get a jump start on getting ready for school next year!

- Up to Date on Immunizations (PreK & Kindergarten may need updates)
- Yearly Physicals (Kindergarten needs a form)
- Eye Exams (Kindergarten needs a form)
- Dental Check Ups



Schedule these appointments now as they seem to fill up quickly!



## PTO WANTS YOU TO KNOW

Boone Central Elementary Parent Teacher Organization (PTO)

**SHOW US SOME LOVE**  
**LOVE**  
DINE AT RUNZA  
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6TH  
5:00-8:00 PM  
10% OF PROCEEDS BENEFIT  
BOONE CENTRAL ELEMENTARY  
PTO

**SCHOLASTIC**  
**BOOK FAIR THIS WEEK!**

\* Please continue to scan receipts or leave them at our local grocery stores for our school to earn Box Top points. We have earned over \$300 in Box Tops this school year! In the past, Box Top points will continue to be used to help out our elementary school!

BE SURE TO LIKE "[BOONE CENTRAL ELEMENTARY PTO](#)" ON FACEBOOK

JOIN US FOR OUR NEXT MEETING ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19TH AT 6:00PM  
AT BOONE CENTRAL ELEMENTARY





# CARDINALS WITH CHARACTER | DECEMBER & JANUARY WINNERS







**Hello/Howdy:** This is given to a student that positively greets others on a regular basis  
**Winners: Anna Beckwith, Camila Hernandez, Austin Kleveland, Annabelle Banzhaf**

**Everyday Hero:** This is given to a student who goes above and beyond to be safe, respectful and responsible  
**Winners: Eli Keshel, Colbyn Martin, Connor Kuester, Jetsyn Bader, Maximus Temme**

**Cool Character:** This is given to a student who shows manners, is mindful of others, and/or consistently shows kindness  
**Winners: Anistyn Koch, Nash Heesacker, Riley Beard, Copelan Casper, Jace Thayer, Eli Edwards, Axton Koch, Veronica Zoucha**

**Golden Shoe:** This is given to a student or class that consistently follows our Cardinal Way hallway expectations  
**Winners: Joe Landauer, Brooklyn Sharp, Keegan Knott, Candyce Donscheski, Mrs. Gragert's First Grade Class, Addison Myers, Chandler Heying**