



# Cobra Tales

**Our Goal... Individualized Education for All Learners**

Dec. 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018

## Schedule of Events

Nov 28 – Dec 6 – Book Fair  
Dec 6 – **Winter Concert / K thru 3<sup>rd</sup>**  
Dec 10 – School Board Mtg. / CLHS  
Dec 11 – Parent Meeting with Mrs. Bailey  
Dec 21 – Winter Break begins  
Jan 7 – First Day of School after Winter Break

## Friday School Dates

Dec 7  
Dec 14  
Jan 11

## Friday Fun Dates

Dec 7  
Dec 14

Last CHANCE for the  
Scholastics Book Fair!

Thursday, Dec 6<sup>th</sup> for the Winter Concert!

Open 11am to 1pm on the following dates:  
Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> and Dec 6<sup>th</sup>.

The Character Trait/ Value for the month of November is **Generous**

This week's discussion: **What does it mean to be generous?**

The winter K-3<sup>rd</sup> grade music program is quickly approaching. It will be December 6<sup>th</sup> at 6:00.

Please have your singer to school by 5:45, they will check into their classroom at that time. Singers should wear Holiday colors and be prepared to sit and stand; so, if wearing a dress, tights or shorts are a must. The theme is How the Grinch Stole Christmas, so feel free to have crazy hair and go all out with those holiday styles! See you soon!

Parent Meeting

Question & Answer Session  
with Mrs. Bailey

Tuesday, December 11<sup>th</sup>  
3:30pm to 4pm  
CLES Cafeteria

Mrs. Bailey will be sharing some information and answering questions. Please mark your calendars and plan on joining us to learn more about the how's and why's of elementary life. Daycare will be provided.

Students must be supervised by an adult after school. If your child is hanging out waiting for a sibling to be done with practice or waiting for practice to start; there must be adult supervision. Activities in the Lobby need to be appropriate for the Lobby. No throwing or bouncing balls, no running and/ or sliding on the floor. The safety of students and visitors is our priority. Thank you for your help in maintaining a safe environment at all times.

The winter weather is here! That being said every effort is made to get students outside for recess, to get fresh air and stretch their legs. Please make sure students come to school dressed for all weather conditions. Even when it is cold the students go outside!

If winter coats are needed, please let us know. We have very generous community members that are glad to donate coats for students and we always have some in stock.



### Christmas Greeters by Sharing Hands

On Saturday, December 15th Sharing Hands will again be spreading Holiday Joy by distributing Christmas Food Baskets to eligible households in the Central Linn County Area. Sharing Hands tries to insure all children 12 and under receive at least one Christmas present. Please pick up a form at the Brownsville Library, the Brownsville senior center or Sharing Hands at 107 West Bishop Way. PLEASE RETURN BY DECEMBER 8. Event will be hold from 10-4 at the Old Brownsville Elementary School on DECEMBER 15th.

### YEARBOOK Information!

We will be doing a yearbook again this year. The cost will be \$11. This will be a soft cover. They will be delivered around the first week of June.

If you have any pictures that show our school pride, spirit or tell our story please send them to

[Leisa.Keyser@centrallinn.k12.or.us](mailto:Leisa.Keyser@centrallinn.k12.or.us)

Any questions, please talk to Leisa Keyser in the school office at 541-369-2851.

Order forms will be sent home in January!

### What is AR?

AR stands for Accelerated Reader. It is a program that encourages independent reading practice. Students read a book of their choice then take an AR quiz. The AR quiz is a series of comprehension questions based on the book they read. A student earns AR points based on the number of questions they answer correctly. Points are accumulated throughout the school year. Twice a year the PTC hosts the AR store where students are able to spend their AR points to buy prizes. The first AR store of this school year will be on January 16, 2019.

Does your student read at home? Find out if their book is an "AR book" by visiting [arbookfind.com](http://arbookfind.com) and entering the title in the search field. Knowing the book they are reading is an "AR book" may provide extra incentive for your student to read.

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Si usted tiene preguntas con respect a la informacion de este boletin de noticias (o para consecui otra informacion en espanol) hable con Sra. Maria Guerrero 541-369-3419 Sra. Guerrero está aquí los martes y jueves en la tarde.

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