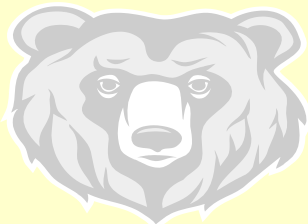


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From the Principal

How wonderful it would be if we could help our children to learn thanksgiving at an early age. Thanksgiving opens the doors. Thankful children want to give, they radiate happiness.
Sir John Templeton

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It's Parent-Teacher Conference time. Are YOU going? If you did not schedule your conference appointment during Back to School Night, then please contact Mrs. Romyns at 973-293-7131, ext. 203 or at promyns@montagueschool.org. Report cards will be given out during conferences. Conference times are listed in the school calendar that was sent home in September and also on the school website.

The winners of this year's "What's Your Anti-Drug contest have been announced! There were over 1,375 entries from 30 Sussex County Schools. We are very proud to announce that **Dakota Stockland, Ashley Sabo and Alonso Perez** have had their art work selected to be featured in the November 8th edition of the NJ Herald. CONGRATULATIONS to Dakota, Ashley and Alonso!

November 2010 Events

4-5- NJEA Convention-No School
7- Daylight Savings Time Ends
17-18- **PARENT CONFERENCES-1PM DISMISSALS**
17- BOE Meeting
19- **1PM Dismissal**
19- Student Council
WACKY HAIR DAY
24- **1 PM Dismissal**
25- Thanksgiving Day- No School
26- Thanksgiving Recess- No School

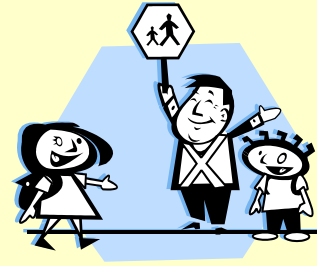
CONGRATULATIONS! To Our *OCTOBER Students of the Month*

Kindergarten-ASHLEY MAILLOUX
First Grade- ALYSSA OLENIK
Second Grade-LILY PADALINO
Third Grade-SYDNEY HUTCHINSON
Fourth Grade-ANNA YAN
Fifth Grade-JACK McCALLUM
Sixth Grade-MAX MARION

Students are recommended by their teachers for consistently living the concepts and rules of **Monty's High Five**. Along with their certificates of achievement and letter, the students receive a certificate of achievement from Montague McDonald's entitling them to a free meal. Check out their pictures on our Student of the Month display in the main hallway.

THANK YOU! To Our *PRINCIPAL'S PRINCIPLES* Readers

- DEREK THATCHER-Community Service
- KYRA STRAETZ-Financial Responsibility
- DESTINY STOCKLAND-Environmental Respect
- JADE FAINES-Creativity



THE MONTY BUCK RAFFLE WINNERS FOR OCTOBER ARE:

- ⊙ Amanda Campbell
- ⊙ Jacob Sutton
- ⊙ Nocera Vasquez
- ⊙ Chelsea Bacho
- ⊙ Lucy Colvin
- ⊙ Josh Evans
- ⊙ Jaclyn Butto-Hawkes
- ⊙ Thomas Hubmaster
- ⊙ Donovan Parker



STAFF NEWS:

- The sixth grade, along with Ms. Geoghegan, Mr. Ferriere and Mrs. Fischer attended the 9th annual Middle School Anti-Bullying Summit at Sussex Tech last week. Check out this year's banner in the cafeteria.
- Corporal Storey from the Sussex County Sheriff's Office visited us for our annual Safety Assembly in recognition of School Violence Awareness Week. Thank you, Corporal Storey!
- NJ State Troopers Bisl and Edelman and the NJ State Police Canine Unit visited us for our assembly in recognition of Red Ribbon Week. Thank you, Troopers Bisl and Edelman!
- Mrs. Marion and Ms. Bellini's second grade won the Golden Sneaker Award for October from Mrs. Wright because they won a sticker each time they had PE class. Congratulations, 2M!
- Thank you to our PTA for providing the donuts and cider for our Fall Festival Celebrations. Preschool through second grade paraded in costume through the hallways to everyone's delight. The third grades celebrated with their annual Native American Festival and the sixth grade with their annual Greek play and feast!

