



# *cub* **COUNTRY**

LUCAS SCHOOL & COMMUNITY

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## Welcome Superintendent Bradley A. Herman



The Lucas Local School Board of Education recently hired their new Superintendent.

After former Superintendent, Dan Freund, informed the Board of his resignation at the end June, Linda T. Keller, Superintendent of Mid-Ohio Educational Service Center (Mid-Ohio ESC) served as Interim Superintendent through the end of August. Mid-Ohio ESC also facilitated the Superintendent search process with the Lucas Local Board of Education. The position was immediately posted statewide on June 30, 2017, and after a thorough process, Bradley A. Herman was hired by the Lucas Local Board at their Special Board Meeting on August 28, 2017.

Mr. Herman comes to Lucas with a small town, rural community history. He has been Superintendent at Beacon Hill Community School for the past three years and has previous leadership and teaching experience at Southeast Local Schools. He, his wife, Kelly, and three sons live in Mount Eaton.

Mr. Herman's three-year contract began on September 1, 2017. The Lucas Local Board of Education is pleased to warmly welcome Mr. Herman to the Lucas community.

## School Lunch Prices Increase

Effective October 2, 2017, school lunch prices will increase by \$.20. The price increase reflects a compliance step with USDA standards for *Equity in School Lunch Pricing*.

### School Lunch Prices (effective October 2, 2017)

Grades K-5 Lunch	\$2.60	<i>New Price</i>
Grades 6-12 Lunch	\$2.85	<i>New Price</i>
<i>Reduced Rate</i>	\$.40	
Breakfast	\$1.50	
<i>Reduced Rate</i>	\$.30	
Milk	\$.50	





# HIGH SCHOOL GENERAL NEWS

**Think SNOW, save a lot of DOUGH!**

Join the Lucas Ski Club @ Snow Trails!!!

**Anyone can join!!!**

**\*This is not a school-sponsored organization.**

Contact Ms. Koppert at the High School for more details and to sign up. 419-892-2338 X-310

Or e-mail [koppert.christel@lucascubs.org](mailto:koppert.christel@lucascubs.org) - Save lots of \$\$\$ over individual prices

Visit [www.snowtrails.com](http://www.snowtrails.com) to purchase yourself Group Code M10

**Must use Promo Code SC1718**



**Super Flex** ski once a week on the day of your choice, beginning opening day until the end of the season. The week starts on Sunday and ends on Saturday.

·IS valid during holiday period Dec. 16, 2017– Jan. 2, 2018

·Spring Bonus (good for a lift ticket everyday) starts Feb. 25, 2018

	<b>By Oct.15th</b>	<b>By Nov.15th</b>	<b>After Nov.15th</b>
<b>Ski pass (lift ticket only)</b>	<b>\$165</b>	<b>\$175</b>	<b>\$195</b>
<b>Add on options:</b>			
- Ski/board group lessons	\$25		
- Ski/board equipment rental	\$30		
- Unlimited tubing park (good every day)	\$60		



**Season Freedom** ski all day every day, opening day until the end of the season.

	<b>By Oct.15th</b>	<b>By Nov.15th</b>	<b>After Nov.15th</b>
<b>Ski pass (lift ticket only)</b>	<b>\$235</b>	<b>\$245</b>	<b>\$265</b>
<b>Add on options:</b>			
- Ski/board group lessons	\$45		
- Ski/board rental equipment rental	\$85		
- Unlimited tubing park	\$60		

\*Any program may also purchase the pass refund option for \$15 and Ski Check pass for \$10

\*Season pass for tubing park only, is \$120 ~ as an add on to a ski/board pass is \$60

\*Purchase \$50 in snow bucks for only \$40, with the purchase of a pass by Nov. 15th

\*This ski club is organized by Christel Koppert to get you the great group rates.

**Please make checks payable to Christel Koppert, or you can purchase yourself online at: [www.snowtrails.com](http://www.snowtrails.com) Lucas Ski Club Group Code: M10 Promo Code: SC1718**



## Lucas Music Updates

 The Lucas Cubs Marching Band performed at the annual **Medina Band Show** on Saturday, September 16th. It was a wonderful evening full of exciting music featuring 9 performing bands. The band played their latin-themed show, featuring *La Pantera*, *Fiesta del Rio*, and *Malagueña*. Thank you to those that come to show their support for the **Lucas Cubs Marching Band!**

The band would also like to offer its sincerest gratitude to the Lucas Board of Education, Lucas Schools Sustaining Fund, and all others that donated money towards our **brand new uniforms** this year! If you haven't seen them in person yet, be sure to check them out at the next football game. The uniforms feature brighter oranges, spectacular white plumes, Lucas Cubs logos, and silver-lined shoulder capes, complete with brand new spats and shoes for everyone!



Thank you for supporting the Lucas music programs, and be sure to keep an eye on the calendar, as it will be updated with concert dates for all K-12 music programs as soon as they are scheduled throughout the year.



## Lucas Athletic Department



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### 2017 FALL SPORTS SCHEDULE

#### VARSITY FOOTBALL

Wed. Aug. 9	@ Crestview (scr)	10:00am
Fri. Aug. 18	@ New London (scr)	7:00pm
Fri. Aug. 25	@ East Canton	7:00pm
Fri. Sept. 1	Centerburg	7:00pm
Fri. Sept. 8	Northmor (MS FB & CH Night)	7:00pm
Fri. Sept. 15	Troy Christian (Youth FB & CH Night)	7:00pm
Fri. Sept. 22	@ Centennial	7:00pm
Fri. Sept. 29	Coshocton (Homecoming)	7:00pm
Fri. Oct. 6	@ Crestline	7:00pm
Fri. Oct. 13	@ Colonel Crawford	7:00pm
Sat. Oct. 21	@ River	1:00pm
Fri. Oct. 27	Conotton Valley (Senior Night)	7:00pm

#### JV FOOTBALL

Sat. Aug. 26	East Canton	10:00am
Sat. Sept. 2	@ Centerburg	10:00am
Sat. Sept. 9	@ Northmor	10:00am
Sat. Sept. 16	@ Riverdale	10:00am
Sat. Sept. 23	Edison	10:00am
Sat. Sept. 30	@ Coshocton	10:00am
Sat. Oct. 7	@ Port Clinton	10:00am
Sat. Oct. 14	Colonel Crawford	10:00am

#### MIDDLE SCHOOL FOOTBALL

Thu. Aug. 17	Mt. Gilead w/ Black River (tri-scr)	5:00pm
Thu. Aug. 24	Northridge	5:00pm
Thu. Aug. 31	@ South Central	5:00pm
Thu. Sep. 14	Crestline	5:00pm
Thu. Sep. 21	Loudonville	5:00pm
Thu. Sep. 26	@ Colonel Crawford	5:00pm
Thu. Oct. 5	@ Crestline	5:00pm
Thu. Oct. 12	@ Loudonville	5:00pm
Thu. Oct. 19	@ Danville	5:00pm

#### HIGH & MIDDLE SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

Mon. Aug. 22	@ Northmor Invitational (var only)	4:30pm
Sat. Aug. 26	@ Col. Crawford Invitational	9:00am
Tue. Aug. 29	@ Plymouth Invitational	5:00pm
Sat. Sept. 2	@ Bucyrus Elks Invitational	9:00am
Tue. Sept. 5	@ Wynford Invitational	4:30pm
Sat. Sept. 9	@ Tiffin Carnival	9:00am
Tue. Sept. 12	Cub Classic	5:00pm
Sat. Sept. 16	@ Galion Invitational	9:00am
Sat. Sept. 23	@ Ontario Invitational	9:00am
Tue. Sept. 26	@ Fredericktown Invitational	4:30pm
Sat. Sept. 30	@ Buckeye Central Invitational	9:00am
Tue. Oct. 3	@ Crestline Invitational	4:30pm
Sat. Oct. 7	@ Mansfield Cat Pack Invite	9:00am
Sat. Oct. 14	MBC Championships (in Lucas)	10:00am
Sat. Oct. 21	@ District Championships (at Galion)	TBA

Fall Sports Picture Day: Thursday, August 10<sup>th</sup>

See Head Coach for scheduled time.

For news, schedules and more, visit [www.lhscubs.com](http://www.lhscubs.com) & @lucascubssports.

#### HIGH SCHOOL VOLLEYBALL

Tue. Aug. 8	@ Shelby (scr)	5:30pm
Fri. Aug. 11	@ Crestview (quad-scr)	10:00am
Sat. Aug. 12	@ Upper Sandusky (tri-scr)	10:00am
Tue. Aug. 15	Wynford (scr)	5:00pm
Sat. Aug. 19	@ Clear Fork w/ Northmor	10:00am
	JV @ Northmor w/ Clear Fork	
Mon. Aug. 21	New London	5:30pm
Tue. Aug. 22	Black River	5:30pm
Thu. Aug. 24	@ Plymouth	5:30pm
Sat. Aug. 26	Mapleton	10:00am
Tue. Aug. 29	Central Christian	5:30pm
Thu. Aug. 31	@ Crestline	5:30pm
Sat. Sept. 2	@ South Central w/ Hillsdale	10:00am
	JV @ Hillsdale w/ South Central	
	9 <sup>th</sup> @ Ashland w/ Mt. Vernon	10:00am
Thu. Sept. 7	St. Peter's	5:30pm
Tue. Sept. 12	@ Loudonville	5:30pm
Thu. Sept. 14	9 <sup>th</sup> vs. Wynford	6:00pm
Sat. Sept. 16	Danville (9 <sup>th</sup> at 10:00am)	11:00am
Tue. Sept. 19	@ Mansfield Christian	5:30pm
	9 <sup>th</sup> @ Wynford	6:00pm
Thu. Sept. 21	@ Central Christian	5:30pm
Sat. Sept. 23	East Knox	11:00am
	9 <sup>th</sup> @ Lima Senior Tournament	10:00am
Mon. Sept. 25	@ Mount Gilead (9 <sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm)	5:30pm
Tue. Sept. 26	Crestline (MS Volleyball Night)	5:30pm
Sat. Sept. 30	@ Crestview	10:00am
Tue. Oct. 3	@ St. Peter's	5:30pm
Thu. Oct. 5	Loudonville	5:30pm
Tue. Oct. 10	Mansfield Christian (Senior Night)	5:30pm

#### MIDDLE SCHOOL VOLLEYBALL

Fri. Aug. 11	Northwestern/Madison (tri-scr)	9:00am
Tue. Aug. 15	@ Mount Gilead (scr)	5:00pm
Tue. Aug. 22	@ Black River	5:00pm
Thu. Aug. 24	@ Ashland	4:30pm
Mon. Aug. 28	@ Central Christian	5:00pm
Thu. Aug. 31	Crestline	5:00pm
Thu. Sept. 7	@ St. Peter's	5:00pm
Mon. Sept. 11	Loudonville	5:00pm
Mon. Sept. 18	Mansfield Christian	5:00pm
Tue. Sept. 19	South Central	5:00pm
Thu. Sept. 21	Central Christian	5:00pm
Sat. Sept. 23	@ Cardington w/ Ashland	10:00am
Mon. Sept. 25	@ Crestline	5:00pm
Sat. Sept. 30	New London	10:00am
Mon. Oct. 2	St. Peter's	5:00pm
Thu. Oct. 5	@ Loudonville	5:00pm
Mon. Oct. 9	@ Mansfield Christian	5:00pm
Sat. Oct. 21	MBC Championships (@ CC)	10:00am

- Schedules current as of 7/28/2017 -



## Our Students Are Superheroes!

The Elementary and Middle Schools are focusing on being a **Superhero** this school year. Each morning the announcements share superheroes features in history, literature, art, sports, math, science and nature and even in our schools. The whole idea is to see that superheroes aren't just people who fly or have special powers, they are all around us in our daily lives.

As a result of effects of Hurricane Harvey in Houston Texas and the surrounding areas, Mrs. Secrist's and Mrs. Rinehart's First Grade class began discussions of how they could become **superheroes** to those who were displaced and had a great loss of possessions. Mrs. Secrist researched and learned about a charity based in Houston that was looking to bring a small measure of relief to the folks affected by the hurricane, **Undies for Everyone**. **Undies for Everyone** has been serving the Houston public schools for about 5 years providing new **underwear** to school children who are in need. The classes discussed the group's great cause and determined they are a good organization working to do good in their community.



## Artsonia

Lucas Elementary and Middle School are members of a art website that features our students' artwork. Artsonia.com ([www.artsonia.com](http://www.artsonia.com)), is the largest online student art museum. The website showcase artwork from thousands of schools around the world. With parent permission, our Art Teacher, **Mrs. Scott**, uploads student artwork on our school's web gallery on Artsonia. Check out [www.artsonia.com](http://www.artsonia.com) and view the Lucas Galleries.



### Artsonia Kids Art Museum — The Largest Student Art Gallery



K-7 Parents, letters went home recently asking for Parent Permission to upload work. If you have not granted permission for your child's artwork to be displayed, and would like to do so, please contact **Mrs. Scott**.



## LUCAS AREA FOOD PANTRY

September, 2017



The **Lucas Area Food pantry** is made up of all volunteers. We get deliveries in on the Friday before our Saturday distributions. The volunteers on Fridays and Saturdays consist of community volunteers and client volunteers.

Clients are people who are going to receive food from the pantry.

When we got started back in 2009 some of our clients started asking if they could help in some way, they said they wanted to be able to give back for the food they receive. We told them they do not have to do anything to receive the food it is free. They said they understand but they want to give back what they can and to help us help others.

*That's the way it's been from almost the beginning.*

On Fridays and Saturdays about one third to one half of our volunteers are clients.

We could not run the pantry if it were not for the client volunteers.

It takes about 30 people on Fridays and 40 people on Saturdays, which is about 70 volunteers for each pantry.

So, each delivery and distribution of about 70 volunteers about 23-35 are client volunteers.

We have 2 pantries each month, so that means each month about 46 -70 clients are volunteers at the pantry.

*If you would like to volunteer at the pantry or need food please call 419-589-9776*

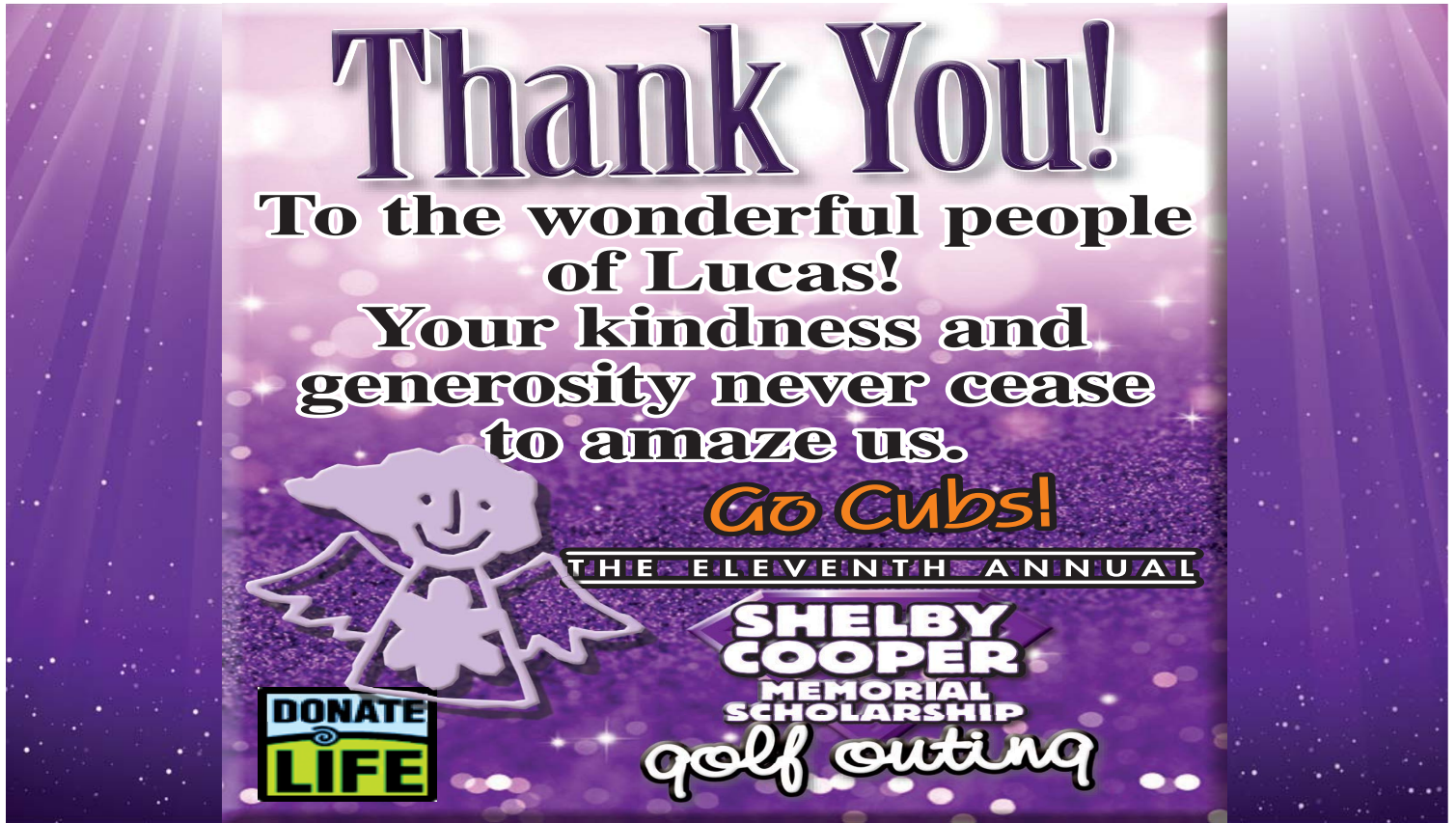


*If you would like to send a donation to the pantry please send it to...*

**Gina Gerich - LAFP treasurer  
1014 Chew Rd. Mansfield, OH 44903**

If you do not have enough food to be able to have 3 meals a day, please give us a call, especially if you have children or are elderly.





## LUCAS BRANCH LIBRARY

The kids are back to school and the library is here to help with all your school research projects. If you are not familiar with our database resources, stop by and we'll show you all the library has to offer. Most of our extensive resources can be accessed through our website simply by signing in with your library card. You can access them here, at school or in the comfort of your own home.



I want to thank the Lucas Community Center for hosting our amazing event last month in collaboration with The Newport Aquarium. We had approximately 300 people in attendance. It was such an honor to meet **Sandy, our African penguin** friend that visited in August. "Thanks" for the entire Lucas community for your support and enthusiasm.

LCC is also hosting our next BIG thing. Come and meet a live fox with our friends from the Ironwood Wolves organization. This event, called "**Fox! Facts & Folklore,**" will take place at the Lucas Community Center on Thursday, October 12 at 6 PM. We hope to see you there!

Teens won't want to miss our "**Beaded Spiders**" program on Monday, October 30 at 3:30 PM. We'll use beads and other metal jewelry supplies to create our own beautiful arachnid creatures.

The Gorman Nature Center will visit the Lucas branch on Tuesday, October 4 at 6 PM. Families can get a glimpse of some native Ohio animals in the library! In October, we'll also sponsor the "**Design a Pumpkin**" coloring contest for children pre-K through grade 5.

And don't forget that the library is your resource to borrow Wifi internet hotspots, Kindle Fires, blood pressure kits and air quality monitors. Some locations of the library are even getting bicycles you can borrow. Telescopes are also coming soon to a library near you!

You can find a full schedule of programs for all locations of the Mansfield/Richland County Library on our website at [www.mrcpl.org](http://www.mrcpl.org) or stop by the branch for a copy. We hope to see you soon at the Lucas Branch Library!

Joshua Andra  
Lucas Branch Manager, 419-892-2576





## LUCAS HALLOWEEN ACTIVITIES THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26th

TRICK OR TREAT 6:00 - 7:00 PM  
PARADE AT 7:30 PM

FLOAT & COSTUME JUDGING AFTER THE PARADE ON THE BALL FIELD  
You must march in the parade to be eligible to win a costume prize

### HALLOWEEN PARADE AND COSTUME JUDGING

You should be at the staging area behind the Lutheran Church shortly after 7:00 PM.  
There your hand will be stamped as proof of eligibility,  
which must be shown at the judging site.  
Parents are welcome to accompany their children in the parade.

Cash prizes will be awarded for the kids' costumes in the following categories:

- Most Original
- Best Book Character
- Most Humorous

in each of the following age groups:

- Kindergarten and below
- 1st and 2nd Grades
- 3rd and 4th Grades
- 5th and 6th Grades
- 7th Grade and over

There will also be three cash prizes awarded for **outstanding floats.**

REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED BY THE LIONS CLUB



### Greetings from the Lucas Lions:

Despite threatening weather, our Community Picnic and Duck Race were held on August 17<sup>th</sup>. By the end of the event, it was a very pleasant evening. Thanks for joining us for burgers and dogs with the usual trimmings. It's good to see the community members gather for food and talk. Congratulations to the Duck Race winners – our proceeds go to help support the Lions' programs in the community, so it comes back to you.

The Lions' upcoming events are noted below:

**Heritage Days, at Malabar Farm, Sept 23-24.** We'll have trailers offering sandwiches, french fries, pop, lemonade and water. Best deals of the event.

**Prairie Peddler, at their site east of Butler, Sept 23-24 and Sept 30-Oct 1.** We'll be offering hot dogs, plain or with kraut, chili sauce, sloppy joes, fries, pop, coffee and iced tea. OH, and our widely-famous beans and corn bread. Come have a meal while you shop for that must-have item.

**Halloween Parade and Costume Contest, Oct 26 in the village.** The rules are the same as last year, but info is elsewhere in this newsletter. We'll serve cider, hot chocolate and donuts to the revelers.

Our club is always looking for folks who would be seriously interested in joining us in our service to the community. If you are interested in learning more about becoming a Lion, we invite you to call either Membership Chairman Lion *Brad Booth*, 419-892-2024, or President Lion *Bill Grubaugh*, 419-589-9776, or any Lions Club member (surely you know one!!). If you'd like to join us at one of our meetings, they are held the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday each month at 6:30pm in the Lucas Community Center. Call one of these folks for an invite. We really like to have guests! Give us a call and come visit!





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# SEPTEMBER

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Thurs	21	Pee Wee Softball – Schell	5:45 pm	
Sat/Sun	23-24	Heritage Days – Malabar Farm		
Sat/Sun	23-24	Prairie Peddler – East of Butler		
Wed	27	FFA-Ohio Legislative Leadership Conference	Depart: 7:15 am	
Thurs	28	FFA-District Soil CDE	Depart: 7:00 am	
Fri	29	<b>Pep Rally</b>	<b>3:00 pm</b>	<b>MS Gym</b>
Sat	30	Prairie Peddler – East of Butler		

# OCTOBER

Sun	1	Prairie Peddler – East of Butler		
Mon	2	Athletic Booster Meeting	6:00 pm	MS Rm #201
Thurs	5	Pee Wee Softball – Schell	5:45 pm	
Mon	9	<b>NO SCHOOL – Professional Development Day</b>		
Tues	10	FCS-College Visit	Depart: 8:45 am	
Mon	16	LAHS Induction Ceremony	7:00 pm	Cafeteria
Tues	17	<b>Senior Citizens Breakfast</b>	<b>9:00 am</b>	<b>Cafeteria</b>
		<b>Board of Education Meeting</b>	<b>6:00 pm</b>	<b>HS Library</b>
Mon	23	Powderpuff Football	6:00 pm	Bob Wine Field
Tues	24	Mandatory Winter Sports Meetings	7:00 pm	Middle School
Thurs	26	Halloween Parade and Costume Contest	6:00 pm	Softball Field
Fri	27	<b>Pep Rally</b>	<b>3:00 pm</b>	<b>MS Gym</b>

# NOVEMBER



Mon	6	Athletic Booster Meeting	6:00 pm	MS Rm #201
Tues	7	<b>FCCLA Rally Day</b>	Depart: 8:45 am	
		Fall Conference Night		
Thurs	9	Veterans Day Assembly	9:00 am	MS Gym
		Fall Conference Night		
Fri	10	<b>NO SCHOOL – Comp Day</b>		
Sun	19	FFA-Green Hands Meeting	2:00 pm-4:00 pm	HS Library
Tues	21	<b>Senior Citizens Breakfast</b>	<b>9:00 am</b>	<b>Cafeteria</b>
		<b>Board of Education Meeting</b>	<b>6:00 pm</b>	<b>HS Library</b>
Wed	22	<b>NO SCHOOL – Thanksgiving Break</b>		
Thurs	23	<b>HAPPY THANKSGIVING!</b>		
Fri	24	<b>NO SCHOOL – Thanksgiving Break</b>		
Mon	27	<b>NO SCHOOL – Thanksgiving Break</b>		
Tues	28	<b>School Resumes</b>		

