

Tinora Jr. High News

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Report Cards & Interims

The third quarter Report cards are included in this mailing to you. We trust that all students will discuss their grades with their parents or guardians. The Interim grades for the fourth quarter will be accumulated on April 24. The final Report card of the year will be mailed to students a week after final grades are submitted.

Fees Payment Reminder

The school year is almost over and all fees must be paid by the end of the school year. It is school policy that students' fees must be paid before they are allowed to participate with Ft Wayne Zoo, Cedar Point class trips or 8th grade graduation.

Jr. High State Testing

Seventh and eighth grade students will be having 'ELA' state tests on April 14 and 16. Then on April 28th, the seventh and eighth graders will have their state Math and Algebra test. April 30th, the 8th grade only will have the state Science test.

Some helpful suggestions are listed below:

- ∞ Do not schedule trips, dental or medical appointments, or early pick-ups for testing days. Please arrive on time.
- ∞ Make sure your student gets a good night's sleep. Provide light, healthy breakfast. Have your student dress comfortably according to the weather.
- ∞ Tell them to check their answers carefully. Make sure they answered all parts of the question.

Dental Care Program at School

Monday, April 20th, 2020 we will be having a Dental Care Program come to our school for students Pre-K - 12. There is NO charge for uninsured children. Insurance will be billed if available. Top quality care is provided by local, licensed dentists in a mobile Dental van that will be parked in the school parking lot on the day of the program. Dental care includes a dental exam, teeth cleanings, fluoride treatments, and dental sealants.

If you would like for your child to participate in the school dental program, your student will be given an enrollment form prior to this day to take home for you to fill out and return to the school by Monday, March 30, 2020.

Coming Events

April

Apr 04 ~ TJHS Solo & Ensemble Contest
Apr 09 ~ Student Spring Pictures
Apr 10 ~ No School / Good Friday
Apr 12 ~ Easter
Apr 14 ~ House Shirt Day
Apr 14 ~ ELA test - Part 1 / 7 & 8 grades
Apr 16 ~ ELA Test - Part 2 / 7 & 8 grades
Apr 20 ~ Dental Care Program - Pre-K thru 12
Apr 24 ~ 4th Quarter Interim / 1 hr early dismissal
Apr 28 ~ Math/Alg test Parts 1 & 2 / 7 & 8 grades
Apr 30 ~ Science test - Parts 1 & 2 / 8 grade only

May

May 01 ~ Open Enrollment starts
May 05 ~ JH & HS Spring Band Concert 7:00pm
May 06 ~ Sport Physicals 1pm Multi-Purpose Room
May 08-09 ~ JH OMEA District Band/Choir Contest
May 11 ~ JH & HS Spring Choir Concert 7:00pm
May 12 ~ House Shirt Day
May 22 ~ 7th & 8th Grade Field Trips
May 25 ~ Memorial Day - No School
May 28 ~ End of Year & Sports Awards 2:00pm
May 29 ~ 8th Grade Graduation 12:45pm
May 29 ~ Last Day of School-1 hr. early dismissal

June

June 05~Jr High Office Last Day-Due to construction
June 10 ~ Open Enrollment ends at Northeastern

The Central office will be open throughout the summer. If you need anything, please call Tinora Elementary (419) 497-1022 and ask for the Central office Secretary, Kenzie Hammon or our Superintendent, Nicole Wells.

September

Sept 08 ~ First Student Day
Sept 23 ~ 2 Hour Delay - Teacher In-service

Sports Physicals

Defiance Clinic will provide our annual sport physicals on Wed., May 6, 2020. The cost this year is \$25 & must be paid to the Defiance Clinic staff when the students get their physical. Write checks to Defiance Clinic. Students must pick up a physical form at the office before the clinic so parents can fill out their portion & sign the form. We will try to get everyone done by the time school is dismissed. However, sometimes there is a backup and parents may need to pick up their student. Thank you for your help & understanding in this matter so we can continue this service.

Cedar Point Trip - 8th Grade

Eighth graders will be going to Cedar Point on Friday, May 22, 2020. The bus will leave Tinora at 7:30AM and will return by approximately 8:00PM. A permission form with further information will be sent home before the trip. Students must have arrangements made for transportation home before the trip. Students should have paid for their tickets (\$40) before Spring Break on Friday, March 20th.

Fort Wayne Zoo Trip - 7th Grade

On Friday, May 22, 2020, 7th graders will be going on a field trip to the Fort Wayne Zoo in Fort Wayne, Indiana. The bus will leave Tinora at 8:30 AM and will return by 3:05PM, in time for students to go home on the bus. A permission form with further information will be sent home before the trip. Students should have paid for their tickets (\$7.00) before Spring Break on Friday, March 20th.

Student Spring Pictures

Spring pictures for all the students will be taken the morning of Thurs., April 9th. A spring picture flyer will be sent home with the students the week before. Proofs will be sent home after the pictures are taken if you would like to order.

Open Enrollment Form

Open Enrollment starts May 1 & concludes June 10. Forms will be handed out to current open enrolled students sometime in April. Final date is June 10th. If you do not receive a form, please have your child stop in the Central office or you may print one from the school's website. (419-497-3461)

Students of the Month

The students are chosen because they exhibited the "Character Trait to be Successful" of that month. The December character trait was "Meticulous", January was "Optimistic" and February was "Responsible". Congratulations to all of our Revolutionary Ram Students of the Month!

	Tiffin	Noble	Richland	Adams
Dec	Kenzi Nagel	Addison Gerken	Alex Homier	Kaylee Buenger
Jan	Cody Coppes	Jason DeWyse	Nic Scantlen	Gavin Bowers
Feb	Erica Ahmed	Ashlyn Gerken	Karee Stollsteimer	Nova Okuley

Spring Band & Choir Concert

Mark your calendar that the TJHS & THS Spring Band concert will be held on Tuesday, May 5 starting at 7:00pm and the Spring Choir concert will be held Monday, May 11, at 7:00pm

TJHS Year-end & Spring Sports Awards

Tinora Junior High is combining the End of Year academic awards with the Spring sports awards for an assembly on Thurs., May 28th at 2:00 PM. Parents are welcome to attend!

Eighth Grade Graduation Ceremony

The 8th grade graduation will be held the last day of school which is currently, Friday, May 29, 2020 at 12:45 PM in the Tinora High School gym. Awards will be presented to students in academic areas as well as a presentation of diplomas. The junior high choir and band will also perform. Parents and friends are invited to attend this event. All eighth grade students must be dressed up for graduation. The graduation ceremony will conclude at the end of the school day at 2:12PM due to one-hour early dismissal.

Dress-Up Day Requirement for 7th Graders

The Seventh graders are required to dress up for the Eighth Grade Graduation on Friday, May 29th. Students not dressed appropriately will not be allowed to attend the graduation.

Jr High Office Closing Date

Due to construction and the demolition of the old buildings early June, the last day the Jr. High office will be open is Friday, June 5th. If you need assistance, the Central Office will be located in the Tinora Elementary office area during the summer until we can move into the new building. Please call the Tinora Elementary (419) 497-1022 to contact the Central Office Secretary, Kenzie Hammon or Superintendent, Nicole Wells.

Tinora Jr. High Notifications

Stay up to date with everything happening at TJHS. Download our new Tinora Rams App. Be sure to go to settings and select Turn on Notifications and select what buildings you would like notifications from. All TJHS reminders will be sent through this app as well as be posted on our Facebook group page. In Facebook, click on Groups and search for a Group titled "Tinora Rams K-12" and click "join".

School Delays & Cancellations

In the event school would be delayed or canceled, you can find out by looking on our Ram App. The information will also be on Defiance radio stations: 98.1 FM - WDFM Defiance, 105.7 FM - The Bull Defiance or 1280 AM - WONW Defiance. You should also get notified by our Honeywell Instant Alert. If school is canceled, all Junior High after school activities are canceled.

