



Albion Middle School

A message from Mr. Monacelli.....

What a great opening we have had! Just a few reminders to our parents/guardians. When you drop your child off before school, please make sure they know to go to their grade level entrance. Also, they are not to be on the sidewalk at the top of the steps near the bus deck. Buses pulling in can be a danger to your child. We will continue to reward our students for appropriate behavior and Academic success this year. Field trips are planned, and monthly rewards are in place. Enjoy the year, it will be over before you know it!!!

Upcoming

Dates:

10/26– Red Ribbon Week

10/30– Student Council

Albion Middle School Building Goals 2015-16

Attendance- The Middle School will work towards achieving an attendance rate of 95% by the end of the 2016 school year. We will look to increase attendance percentages by 1% in 2014-15, and 1% in 2015-16.

Measurement: **Attendance Rewards/Celebrations- monthly, quarterly.**

Academic- 80% of students in the middle school will meet their Lexile goal as determined by the SRI Growth Goals report.

Measurement: **Individual Growth set by the Lexile program. Each student will chart their own progress after each Lexile measurement (January and June).**

Character- The Middle School Staff will provide opportunities for all students to be rewarded for appropriate behavior, as well as modeling character traits desirable within our school.

Measurement: **“On a Roll” program, Caught being good, Student of the month.**

Important: Please remember to call the attendance office at **589-2021** when your student will not be attending, preferably before 9:00 am. You may call the attendance number anytime and leave a message. This too is the number to call and request homework which will be available after 2:30pm. All homework requests should be made by 8:30 am to allow teachers to gather homework together during their planning period. Please, if you request homework–pick it up.

Our New Middle School "On A Roll" Program

You have heard of "Honor Roll"...Academically you qualify with a high grade point average. "On A Roll" sounds the same, but means you are really moving in a direction to become successful in multiple areas of school life.

How does it Work?

Your effort in the classroom, your willingness to do the right thing, and your overall attitude towards learning will bring you rewards within our school.

If you are nominated by a teacher, you will receive a prize. Your prize could be:

- Scratch off card with mystery prize
- Front of the line for lunch
- Pizza with the Principal and 4 other nominees
- Shopping cards for your favorite stores

Then What?

At the end of the month, all students who get nominated will have their names put in a big jar, and one student will be selected at random from that jar, to be **Student of the Month**.

What does the Student of The Month get?

- Your picture on our wall in the Lobby
- His/Her name in the newspaper
- Free Honor Pass throughout the building
- Major prize donated from the community
- Early dismissal from your last class of the day (with 1 friend)



Let's get "On A Roll" for a great Year!

EMERGENCY SCHOOL CLOSINGS

In the event school must be closed due to weather or emergency conditions, announcements will be sent to the following stations **prior to 7 AM** unless there are extenuating circumstances:

TELEVISION

WGRZ (TV 2)
WIVB (TV 4)
WKBW (TV 7)
WROC (TV 8)
WHEC (TV 10)WDVI
WOKR (TV 13)WKGS
YNN (TV 14) Buff/Roch

RADIO

WHAM (1180 AM)
WBEN (930 AM)
WHTK (1280 AM)
WBEE (92.5 FM)
(100.5 FM)
(106.7 FM)
WVOR (102.3 FM)
WQBW (95.1 FM)
WODX (107.3 FM)
WBZA (98.9 FM)

You may also sign up for our emergency notification system, which will allow you to receive notification alerts through email and/or text. Please visit the school website at www.albionk12.org and follow the link on the left side of the home page for "emergency notification system" to sign up. Parents or students should not call the school concerning emergency closings - it is necessary for phone lines to remain open.

