



Every Fox Needs a Den

Welcome to Yours!



A message from your Principal, Mrs. Hafenrichter

Hello YGS Families,

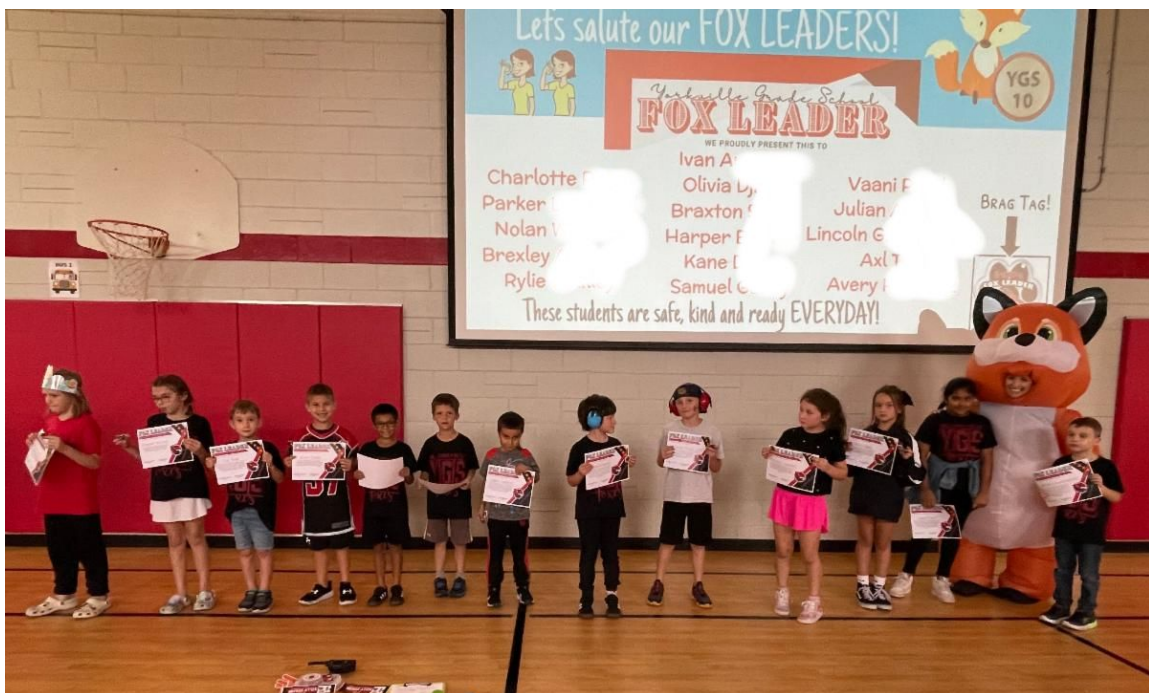
What a busy week at YGS! Thank you to the families who either walked with us in the parade or attended on Thursday to cheer us on. It was a great reminder of how awesome it is to be a Yorkville Fox!

On Friday, we celebrated our students with our September den assembly. During this assembly, we sang "Happy Birthday" to our September birthday students, recognized our Fox Leaders, and celebrated students who demonstrated our monthly trait of responsibility. Our September birthday students had the opportunity to pick out a book as a gift from the YGS staff, and students recognized as Fox Leaders or for demonstrating responsibility earned a brag tag and tokens to spend at the school store. After introducing next month's character trait, self-control, two students who purchased the chance to silly string a staff member had a little fun with Mrs. Resendiz in the fox costume.

As a reminder, if you want to share an awesome experience for your student that took place outside of YGS, you can always fill out [THIS](#) survey and we will announce it on Fridays.

Thank you for trusting us with your child's education this year. Here's to a year of growth and success!

Best,





NEWS TO NOTE



COME SEE THE
YEA STAFF MUSICAL
**THE LIGHTNING
THIEF**
THE PERCY JACKSON MUSICAL
OCTOBER 18-20
AT YORKVILLE MIDDLE SCHOOL



<http://bit.ly/YEAMusical>

Do you want to join
Camp Half-Blood, too?



Order your
**CAMP HALF-BLOOD SWAG &
CAMP SURVIVAL PACKS**
with your ticket and pick
them up at the show!

All proceeds support the Yorkville Education Association's Future Educator Scholarship, empowering the next generation of educators from Yorkville High School.

Ensemble:

Kimberly Bentley
Kandee Cardiff
Emily Denault
Leslie Erb
Brittney Farley
Gen Gerleve
Katie Hanahan
Carmen Iga
Lisa Martinelli
Regi Olson
Delaney O'Rourke
Julie Reddy
Sarah Schroeder
Sondra Shatters
Jess Ska
Janae Weldner

Younger Cast:

Avery Bentley
Sebastian Callendo
Grant Hafenrichter
Wyatt Hafenrichter
Camila Iga
Isaac Iga
Nick Iga
Justin Kessler
Paige Madej
Izzy Martinelli
Milliana Martinez
Leela McCulloch
Ellie Moss
Isabelle Shatters
Quinn Weldner

Lightning Thief Cast List

Percy: Dan McGarel
Grover: Ryan Crocilla-Martinez
Annabeth: Gwen Roseberg
Clarisse: Nicole Martinez
Mr. D: Levi McCulloch
Luke: Erick Nelson
Ares: Jenny Hanson
Sally: Lisa Brueck
Mrs. Dodds: Karen Schmidt
The Oracle: Jenny Hanson
Mr. Brunner/Chiron: Mike McHugh
Poseidon: Tony Robbins
Hades: Jonathan Hellman
Silena Beauregard: Kellie Procopos
Katie Gardener: Becca Jakubowski
Thalia: Heather Ziemer
Gabe Ugliano: Greg Moss
Auntie Em: Tammy Eaton
The Minotaur: Jonathan Hellman
Charon (DOA): Sarah Pomeroy

Zeus: Greg Moss
Hera: Jenna Downie
Athena: Bree Kigyo
Apollo: Erin Nolan
Demeter: Julie Gartung
Hermes: Kerri Donovan
Aphrodite: Mary Luschas
Hephaestus: Blake Hafenrichter
Artemis: Sydney Schillinger

Pajama Read Aloud

We are back with some of our favorite nights of the year...

Read Aloud Pajama Parties! We invite you to join us for our 1st quarter Read Aloud Pajama Party on October 4th at 6:45pm! Just like we did last year, each quarter a picture book author/illustrator will be joining us for a virtual visit for our families at home - and you can join in from the comfort of your own living rooms.

Our first quarter guest will be author/illustrator Lauren Stohler, creator of the adorable story I am a GREAT Friend, as well as the fabulous graphic novel series Gnome and Rat! She will read her picture book to us, and then lead us in a draw-along, so have paper & a pencil handy if you'd like to participate!

Please see the Zoom information below and the attached flyer for more information. Hope to "see" you for a cozy night on Thursday October 3rd!

AN AUTHOR VISIT FROM THE COMFORT OF YOUR OWN LIVING ROOM...
IT'S TIME FOR OUR 1ST QUARTER YIIS

READ ALOUD PAJAMA PARTY!

OCTOBER 3RD AT
6:45PM

CURL UP IN YOUR PAJAMAS AND HOP ON ZOOM TO COME LISTEN TO AUTHOR/ILLUSTRATOR LAUREN STOHLER SHARE HER DELIGHTFUL PICTURE BOOK *I AM A GREAT FRIEND!*

DON'T FORGET PAPER AND A PENCIL, BECAUSE MS. STOHLER WILL LEAD A DRAW-ALONG, TOO!

EMAIL OUR DISTRICT BOOK AMBASSADOR (MRS. MCHUGH AT SMCHUGH@YIIS.ORG) WITH ANY QUESTIONS!

WE CAN'T WAIT TO READ WITH YOU!

ZOOM LINK:
[HTTPS://YIIS-ORG.ZOOM.US/J/93876683267](https://yiis-org.zoom.us/j/93876683267)
OR MEETING ID: 938 7668 3267

UNA VISITA DE UN AUTOR DESDE LA COMODIDAD DE TU PROPIA SALA...
ES HORA DE NUESTRO 1ER TRIMESTRE YIIS

FIESTA DE PIJAMAS DE LECTURA EN VOZ ALTA!

3 DE OCTUBRE A
LAS
6:45 P.M.

ACURRÚCATE EN PIJAMAS Y ÚNETE A ZOOM PARA ESCUCHAR A LA AUTORA E ILUSTRADORA LAUREN STOHLER COMPARTIR SU ENCANTADOR LIBRO ILUSTRADO *¡SOY UNA GRAN AMIGA!*

NO OLVIDES PAPEL Y LÁPIZ, PORQUE LA SRA. STOHLER TAMBIÉN DIRIGIRÁ UN SORTEO!

ENVÍE UN CORREO ELECTRÓNICO A NUESTRA EMBAJADORA DE LIBROS DEL DISTRITO (SRA. MCHUGH EN SMCHUGH@YIIS.ORG) SI TIENE ALGUNA PREGUNTA. ¡ESTAMOS ANSIOSOS POR LEER CONTIGO!

ENLACE DE ZOOM:
[HTTPS://YIIS-ORG.ZOOM.US/J/93876683267](https://yiis-org.zoom.us/j/93876683267)
O ID DE REUNIÓN: 938 7668 3267



Bristol Kendall Fire Protection District

Open House

October 2nd
5-8pm



Live fire demonstrations



Use a fire hose



meet Sparky

Location

Station 1
103 Beaver Street
Yorkville IL 60560

Phone: 630-553-6186
Email: PubED@bkfire.org
www.bkfire.org

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!

Join your local firefighters for an evening of fun and fire safety.



Smoke Alarms save lives



Learn how to properly use
a fire extinguisher

Meet Firefighters and Paramedics

CPR/Stop the Bleed Demonstration

Many Activities

Firefighter Obstacle course

Free Goodies

Check out all the Equipment

Visit the **Kids Safety house**, learn what to do if the
smoke detector activates, get out safely.



Drone Demonstration

FOLLOW US ON

Save The Date!

Please join us for YGS 2nd and 3rd Grade's performance of **Pajama Party!** on **Thursday November 14th @ 6:30pm**. The performance will be held in the Yorkville Intermediate School Gym.

Students (and families) are welcome to wear their favorite PJs and bring their favorite stuffed animal for the performance. Hope to see you there!



DATES TO REMEMBER



Mark Your Calendars

- **October 4th** - PTO Spirit Wear Shop Closes
- **October 10th**- Books & Bites Event - 7:45 a.m. at YGS
- **October 23rd** - Smile Dentist Visit
- **October 24th** - YGS Den Assembly
- **October 30th** - 2nd Grade Outdoor Ed Field Trip
- **November 14th** - 2nd & 3rd Grade Musical at 6:30 p.m. at YIS
- **December 5th** - Books & Bites Event - 7:45 a.m. at YGS
- **January 15th** - 3rd Grade Outdoor Ed Field Trip
- **February 10th** - Kindergarten Outdoor Ed Field Trip
- **February 20th** - Books & Bites Event & 7:45 a.m. at YGS
- **April 10th** - Books & Bites Event & 7:45 a.m. at YGS
- **April 23rd** - 1st Grade Outdoor Ed Field Trip

MINDFUL MOMENTOS WITH MRS. R.



Hello there YGS families,

For those that may be new to us this year, I wanted to share one of my favorite resources in the area that covers a wide variety of needs. The Kendall County 211 Program is our local program that provides assistance and information regarding food, clothing, shelter, housing, rent/utilities, senior services, aging parents, childcare, counseling, mental health, substance abuse, domestic violence, transportation, employment, legal services, volunteer opportunities and so much more in the county. To access this free 24/7/365 service all you have to do is either call the number 211, text 898211, or use their online database/website at pathcrisis.org.

However, if there is anything more specific that you need help with, please don't hesitate to reach out and let me know as well. If I can't help directly, I can normally find some more resources to provide you with.

As always, I'm happy to be of service!

Kindly,
Mrs. R

PTO UPDATES



YORKVILLE SPIRIT WEAR SHOP



Looking to add some new Foxes gear to your closet or to purchase some... dare we say Holiday gifts? If so, check out our new online Spirit Wear shop. We are offering two different designs with many styles to choose from. A cozy Foxes blanket and beanie option will be added to the store as well, so be sure to check back



<https://vgsswag24.itemorder.com/shop/home/>

STORE CLOSING OCTOBER 4TH

If there are any questions, please ask the PTO via email, vgsppto@gmail.com. Thank you!

2024 - 2025 Meeting Dates

Meetings take place at 5:30 in the YGS Library.

- October 1st
- November 5th
- December 3rd
- January 7th
- February 4th
- March 4th
- April 1st
- May 6th

PTO Board

- President - Sharla Murray
- Vice President - Jessica Hagerty
- Secretary - Jessica Blazey
- Treasurer - Georgette Torres
- Communications Secretary - Cristy Becvar
- Communications Secretary Kristephanie Massey

A breakfast option is available for purchase (\$1.80). Any student interested in a grab-and-go option may stop at the serving station set up by the cafeteria

	Tuesday	01	Wednesday	02	Thursday	03	Friday	04	
No Menu Available	Maple Mini Waffles 🍷 Apple Cinnamon Cheerios Cereal 🍷 Fresh Apple 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk		Cinnamon French Toast 🍷 Fruity Granola Parfait 🍷 Apple Slices 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk		Mini Blueberry Bash Waffles 🍷 Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal 🍷 Fresh Banana 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk		Sausage and Egg Sandwich Cocoa Puffs Cereal 🍷 Apple Slices 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk		
Monday	07	Tuesday	08	Wednesday	09	Thursday	10	Friday	11
Breakfast Waffle Tower Apple Cinnamon Breakfast Bar 🍷 Fresh Pear 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk	Whole Grain French Toast Slices 🍷 Fruity Parfait 🍷 Fresh Apple 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk		Bacon, Egg and Cheese Wrap 🍷 Fruity Cheerios Cereal Sliced Oranges 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk		Cinnamon French Toast 🍷 Chocolate Chip Muffin 🍷 Fresh Banana 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk		Closed		
Monday	14	Tuesday	15	Wednesday	16	Thursday	17	Friday	18
Closed	Closed		Sausage and Cheese Sandwich Apple Cinnamon Breakfast Bar 🍷 Fresh Orange 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk		Cinnamon French Toast Chocolate Banana Overnight Oats 🍷 Fresh Banana 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk		Fluffy Whole Grain Pancakes 🍷 Cinnamon Nutri-Grain Bar 🍷 Sliced Oranges 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk		
Monday	21	Tuesday	22	Wednesday	23	Thursday	24	Friday	25
Bacon, Egg and Cheese Wrap 🍷 Apple Cinnamon Cheerios Cereal 🍷 Fresh Pear 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk	Mini Blueberry Bash Waffles 🍷 Banana Chocolate Breakfast Bar 🍷 Sliced Oranges 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk		Fluffy Whole Grain Pancakes 🍷 Yogurt Breakfast Pack 🍷 Fresh Orange 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk		Breakfast Waffle Tower Cinnamon Nutri-Grain Bar 🍷 Fresh Banana 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk		Cinnamon French Toast 🍷 Red. Sugar Froot Loops Cereal 🍷 Apple Slices 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk		
Monday	28	Tuesday	29	Wednesday	30	Thursday	31	No Menu Available	
Egg and Cheese Sandwich 🍷 Red. Sugar Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal 🍷 Fresh Pear 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk	Maple Mini Waffles 🍷 Apple Cinnamon Cheerios Cereal 🍷 Fresh Apple 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk		Cinnamon French Toast 🍷 Fruity Granola Parfait 🍷 Fresh Orange 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk		Mini Blueberry Bash Waffles 🍷 Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal 🍷 Fresh Banana 1% Milk Fat Free Chocolate Milk				

Please send your child with a snack to school each day. Parents are encouraged to review which item should be eaten for snack and which items should be eaten for lunch.

Purchasing a school lunch (\$2.80) continues to be an option for students. Parents are encouraged to talk with their child about what their lunch choice

will be each day. Will they bring a lunch from home or will they order at school?

Monday	30	No Menu Available	No Menu Available	No Menu Available	No Menu Available
Nachos with Cheese Sauce 🍋 Two Cheese Quesadilla 🍋 Vegetarian Hummus Wrap 🍋🥑 Egg Salad Plate 🍋🥑					
Monday	07	Tuesday	08	Wednesday	09
Cinnamon French Toast 🍋 Egg and Cheese Sandwich 🍋 Yogurt, Cereal, Cheese Stick & Roll 🍋 Garden Salad with Cheese Entree 🍋🥑 Egg Patty	Crispy Chicken Sandwich Meatball Hero Simply Boxed Pepperoni Pizza Pack 🍋 Garden Salad with Cheese Entree 🍋🥑	Cheesy Stuffed Bread Sticks 🍋 Nachos Grande 🍋 American Combo Sandwich Fruity Granola Parfait 🍋	Classic Cheese Pizza 🍋 Pepperoni Pizza Muffin Lunch 🍋 Italian Pizza Salad 🍋	Closed	
Monday	14	Tuesday	15	Wednesday	16
Closed	Closed	Chicken Nugget & Mozzarella Stick Combo 🍋 Smokehouse Burger 🍋 Fruity Peach & Granola Parfait 🍋🥑 Crispy Chicken Garden Salad 🍋	Whole Grain Waffles with Sausage Crispy Chicken Sandwich Not-A-Nut Butter & Jelly Sandwich 🍋🥑 Classic Chef Salad 🍋	Classic Cheese Pizza 🍋 Pepperoni Pizza Yogurt Parfait 🍋🥑 Vegetarian Hummus Wrap 🍋🥑	
Monday	21	Tuesday	22	Wednesday	23
Fluffy Whole Grain Pancakes 🍋 Grilled Cheese Sandwich Meltdown Café 🍋 Simply Boxed Yogurt Sunrise 🍋🥑 Garden Salad with Cheese Entree 🍋🥑	Turkey Hot Dog on Bun Cheeseburger Fruity Granola Parfait 🍋 Classic Chef Salad 🍋🥑	Nachos Grande 🍋 Soft Tacos Chicken and Cheese Ranch Wrap Fresh Garden Salad with Sliced Egg 🍋🥑	Chicken Nuggets Meatball Hero Simply Boxed Not-A-Nut-Butter Fuel Pack 🍋🥑 Chicken Caesar Salad 🍋	Classic Cheese Pizza 🍋 Meatball Pizza 🍋 Turkey BLT Sandwich 🍋 Garden Salad with Cheese Entree 🍋🥑	
Monday	28	Tuesday	29	Wednesday	30
Nachos with Cheese Sauce 🍋 Two Cheese Quesadilla 🍋 Not-A-Nut Butter & Jelly Sandwich 🍋🥑 Egg Salad Plate 🍋🥑	Chicken Bacon Sandwich 🍋🥑 Grilled Cheese Sandwich Meltdown Café 🍋 Simply Boxed Not-A-Nut-Butter Fuel Pack 🍋🥑 Fresh Garden Salad with Sliced Egg 🍋🥑	Cheeseburger Pizza Bagel 🍋 Ham & Cheese Sandwich Garden Salad with Cheese Entree 🍋🥑	Baked Chicken Tenders Cheesy Stuffed Bread Sticks 🍋 Not-A-Nut Butter & Jelly Sandwich 🍋🥑 Classic Chef Salad 🍋🥑	No Menu Available	

Yorkville is excited to partner with Whitsons for food services again this year. You can find out more information about Whitsons as well as upcoming menus by visiting the Yorkville website or by clicking [HERE](#).

If you would like to apply for free or reduced lunch fees, please visit [THIS](#) website. This application needs to be completed on a yearly basis to qualify. This mean that if you received free or reduced fees last year you will need to apply again this year. If you have never applied and need to set up an account the website contains an easy to follow tutorial for setting up your account in order to apply.

BOOKS & BITES

Save the dates:

October 10th

December 5th

February 20th

April 10th

7:45 A.M. @ YGS

A COZY MORNING OF
READING ALONGSIDE YOUR
CHILD WITH A DELICIOUS
BREAKFAST!



"Parents! Come join a hands-on training to learn how to model on your child's device while you cook, read, sing, and play games! Scan the QR code to RSVP by October 10th."

AAC Device Parent Training

WHERE:

CENTER OF
INNOVATION

604 Center Parkway,
Yorkville IL

WHEN:

OCT 17, 2024

TIME: 9:00-11:00 AM
AND 1:00-3:00 PM



SCAN ME TO RSVP!



Learn how to use
their device
during these
activities



READING
CRAFTS
COOKING
MUSIC

PLEASE RSVP BY OCTOBER 10TH!



NOTE FROM THE NURSE

Immunizations & Physicals

October 1, 2024 is the deadline for our kindergarten students to submit immunization records and school-required physicals. Please reach out to the main office with specific questions.

Mexican Heritage Month

Did you know this month is National Spanish Heritage Month? Each year, Americans observe National Hispanic Heritage Month from September 15 to October 15, by celebrating the histories, cultures and contributions of American citizens whose ancestors came from Spain, Mexico, the Caribbean and Central and South America. The observation started in 1968 as Hispanic Heritage Week under President Lyndon Johnson and was expanded by President Ronald Reagan in 1988 to cover a 30-day period starting on September 15 and ending on October 15. It was enacted into law on August 17, 1988, on the approval of Public Law 100-402. The day of September 15 is significant because it is the anniversary of independence for Latin American countries Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras and Nicaragua. In addition, Mexico and Chile celebrate their independence days on September 16 and September 18, respectively. Also, Columbus Day or Día de la Raza, which is October 12, falls within this 30-day period. To learn more about Hispanic Heritage Month and how you can engage your child in learning more about it, please visit <https://www.hispanicheritagemonth.gov>.

Smile Program Mobile
Dentist

The Smile Program Mobile Dentist will be back
at YGS on October 23rd, 2024.

Parents: for more info visit:
<https://mobiledentists.com/about-us/>

To Sign up visit: [Dentist Visit Permission Slip](#)



Special Olympics
Illinois



Let's Play

Sign up now and secure your spot for a great year of activity,
learning, sportsmanship, competition, and fun!

OUR MISSION

Provide year-round sports training and athletic competition in a variety of Olympic-type sports for children and adults with intellectual disabilities, giving them continuing opportunities to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, experience joy and participate in a sharing of gifts, skills and friendship with their families, other Special Olympics athletes and the community.



Soccer
(Sept. 9 - Oct. 14)

Swimming
(Feb. 2 - March 16)

Basketball
(Nov. 4 - Jan. 23)

Track & Field
(March - April)

YORKVILLE
Community Unit School District

Follow the link below
or scan the QR code to register for
one sport, two sports, or all four!
Let's Play!



(<https://tinyurl.com/2xpxsd3s>)

Questions, please contact:
Coach Amanda Reveter at areveter@y115.org



Community Flyers

Are you looking for events happening in the Yorkville area? Check out the Community Flyer page on the Yorkville Website for up-to-date information about local events.

DROP OFF & PICK UP



Please review the reminders below to ensure that all students and parents are safe during pick up and drop off.

- If you would like to walk your child to the door, please park and use the cross walk located between the green and red cars in the picture below.
- If you plan to pick up your child outside of your car, please wait in the area near the handicap parking spots.
- When in the drop off line, you **MUST** stay in your car. A staff member can help you if you need a door to be opened.
- Please make sure your child is ready exit when you are in the drop off zone.
- If your student is part of the STARS program at YGS, please drop off and pick up at door #1 and park in the front of the building (orange cars)
- Please make sure to call the office before 2:30 if there is a change in transportation for the end of the day.
- [HERE](#) to view the map.

My primary communication to families will be through weekly newsletters on Friday which is an email/e-newsletter. Please make sure your contact information is kept up-to-date with the school so that you receive these important messages.



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