

November 8, 2024

** Monday, November 11 will be <u>RED, WHITE & BLUE Day</u> in honor of Veteran's Day! **

November Food Drive

Marshall will be doing a food drive for Thanksgiving starting **Monday, November 4 through Monday, November 18**. This will benefit some of our own Marshall families in need as well as Buist Community Ministries. If you like to donate any non-perishable food items please bring them to the school office. Thank you!!

LINKS T-shirts

LINKS shirts for sale! Shirts are \$10 each. LINKS shirt: Order form

Benefits from the shirts will go towards the following: Community outings, LINKS lunch and Learns- snacks/ materials, and adaptable equipment.

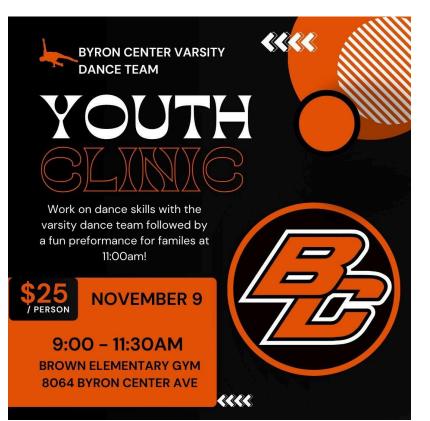
Thank you and we appreciate your support! ~ LINKS Team

Thanksgiving Break

School will be closed in observance of Thanksgiving on Wednesday, November 27 through Friday, November 29. We hope you enjoy your time with friends and family! The Marshall Staff would like to wish everyone a very Happy Thanksgiving!

Dance Youth Clinic

Come dance with the Byron Center Varsity Dance Team! We are hosting a Youth Clinic on **Saturday, November 9**. TO <u>REGISTER</u> TO <u>PAY</u>



Hand2Hand

This program helps provide a student with food for the weekends and is intended for families who currently may be experiencing a financial burden. This is a free and confidential opportunity that you can sign up for at any point in the school year.

Here's how Hand2Hand will work: At the end of the week, students who are signed up for the program will receive a minimum of 10 food items in a black school logo drawstring bag that will be provided at the first week of participation. (The food is discreetly placed in the child's locker after school on Thursday, and the child will take it home on Friday.) These food items will be a combination of breakfast, snacks, lunch and/or dinner items. While the food items are meant for the student, they can be shared among the family as well. (Please note: if your student or another family member has food allergies it will be the responsibility of the parent/guardian to check the contents of the backpack each week to ensure the food doesn't contain ingredients which could cause an allergic reaction).

There is no cost to participate! If you sign your student up to receive Hand2Hand, they will continue to receive the weekly bags each week they are at Marshall Elementary this school year. However, if down the road you no longer need the assistance, simply write a note expressing your desire to discontinue receiving Hand2Hand bags and give this note to the school office. This opportunity is being provided by First Cutlerville Christian Reformed Church, 1425 68th St SW Byron Center. To learn more about Hand2Hand, please visit their website: http://h2hkids.org.

If you feel your student would benefit from this opportunity, please complete the form at the link below and we will make sure that your student's name is then added to the list. Your response and information will be kept confidential. Sign up here: <u>https://forms.gle/6Z9RqbRnfZUtWqDB7</u>

WatchDOGS

WatchDOGS is up and running! Dad's and Father figures, you have the opportunity to spend time with our Lunch/Recess crew from 11:10am-1:35pm. Please use this <u>WatchDOG Link</u> to sign up.

Marshall Calendar

Nov. 15 - Half Day Dismissal 12:00pm Nov. 20 - MAPS meeting 6:00pm Nov. 27-29 - No School Thanksgiving Break Dec. 2 - Board of Ed meeting 6:30pm Dec. 12 - Choir Concert VSFAC Dec. 20 - Holiday classroom Parties Dec. 23-Jan. 5 - No School Holiday Break Jan. 6 - School Resumes

