Happy December from the Counseling Office!

This month we will be focusing on RASK (Random Acts of Service and Kindness). During the week of December 8-12 we will be doing daily activities encouraging students to be kind and provide service. To start off the week, we will have a poster contest. There will be several themes:

- Best of Show
- Best Use of Theme
- Most Creative
- Most Detail
- Students Choice

The winner of the “Best of Show” will receive a Google Android Tablet! Winners in the other categories will be eligible for a RipStick, Gift Certificate and/or other fun prizes.

Throughout the week students will do task. When completed they will have a teacher sign off and then enter their name in a drawing for fun prizes.

- **Monday:** Pick up 10 pieces of trash
- **Tuesday:** Sit by someone new at lunch
- **Wednesday:** Give a compliment to 5 people today.
- **Thursday:** Write a “Thank You” note to someone

We hope that our students gain an understanding and feeling of how much better they feel when they are doing something for others!

Staci Glazier
School Counselor
Countries all over the world will be celebrating the holidays together in spirit. Though many think of the holiday season as a menagerie of red and green, yuletide caroling and Santa Claus, other parts of the world have their own rich traditions and celebrations. This makes the holiday season a perfect time to introduce your children to the many cultures of the world.

Click below for more information:

10 Holiday traditions from across the world

The Silent Boy
Fairy Tale Christmas
Chicken Friend
Wishful Thinking
You Wish

Brotherband—Slaves of Socorro
Janitors—Strike of the Sweepers
Hunt for the Hydra
Playing with Fire

If you are missing something please check in with the office and we may have it.
I am the new attendance secretary. This is my first year at Hurricane Intermediate School. I am married to my high school sweetheart and have two daughters. My favorite color is purple and favorite food is French fries with fry sauce! I love to read and one of my favorite book series is Fablehaven. I am a licensed nail technician and continue to practice this profession because I love creating and helping others feel good about themselves. I’m an avid ATV rider and spend most every weekend out in the sand and hills riding. I enjoy working with the 6th and 7th grade students. There is never a day that goes by without a smile from the students, making this the most rewarding job I’ve had.

If your student does not have the full amount for a meal, they will not be allowed to eat that day. This is district policy. THERE IS NO CHARGING FOR LUNCH.

The lunch payment amounts for December are: full pay $36.00, reduced $6.00. Breakfast: full pay $15.00 reduced $4.50. If you have questions on your account please call 635-8931 and ask for Pauline. She is available from 7:10 am to 12:45pm.

You will now have the option to pay for your student’s lunch online at www.paypams.com. We have also sent home a flyer with your student for you.

December 1:  PLC Day (Early out 11:45am)
December 8–12:  R.A.S.K. Week
December 16:  Choir Concert 7:00pm
December 17:  Band Concert 6:00pm
December 17:  Orchestra Concert 7:00pm
December 22-Jan 4:  WINTER BREAK ~ NO SCHOOL ~
There were about 140 projects in the Science Fair. All of these winning students will represent Hurricane Intermediate School at the district Science Fair this spring. Great Job!!

1st Place
Jaren Heaton

2nd Place
Tucker Wright

3rd Place
Kennadi Kirby

4th Place
Trevor Sanders

5th Place
Emily Wixom

Honorable Mention
Lena Stevens

Honorable Mention
Emma Ballard

Honorable Mention
AvaRay Wright
FROM THE OFFICE

Our office hours are Monday—Friday 7:10am to 2:30pm

Doors will be open for students at 7:10 am and closed at 2:30 pm. Please be aware that there should be NO cell phone use during school hours. Phones will be confiscated if they are seen during these hours. Also, please be aware that our school is a “GUM FREE ZONE”. No gum is allowed at school.

Parents, just a reminder that your PowerSchool I.D. and password and your student’s I.D. and password are on the schedule that they received at registration. If you have problems accessing your student’s grades online, please let us know.

Please remember to call the office at 635-8931 if your student will be absent. If you are checking your student out of school, you will need to come in to the office and sign them out. You must have I.D. in order to check out a student. We will not release students to anyone who is not on your contact list.

Back to School:

Fun Facts

Pencils are not only good in the classroom, but they can be used in zero gravity, upside down and even under water. The average classroom pencil can write approximately 45,000 words (or draw a line that is 56 kilometers long). That’s a long life!

Starving Student Cards are available for sale in the office for $20.00. For each card sold our school receives $10.

Click here for more information

Dixie Direct Books are available for sale in the office for $35.00. For each book sold our school receives $17.50.