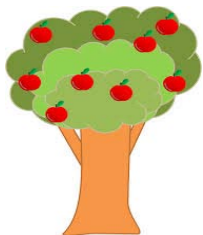


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Welcome to Club! We have an amazing month planned and we look forward to the many new and exciting opportunities we have coming up. Be sure to read below for important updates and information.

- As we head into fall, we will be starting our monthly fundraisers with Penny Wars. Penny Wars is a competition between age groups to collect change, with the winning group getting a pizza party. Please help us help the students by donating today. We will also be selling **Butter Braids** again this year starting **Sept. 22nd**. The money we raise goes to help support all the fun, educational activities we do at club.
- In an effort to keep all the kids safe, we ask that you bring identification and remain in the foyer when picking up kids. We understand that you are busy and will do our best to make sure that pick-ups are prompt.
- As the weather starts to get cooler, we have many kids leave personal items when they are picked up. We will do our best to remind the kids to grab everything but occasionally things get left behind and end up in lost & found. Be sure to ask to check that space often for missing jackets and belongings.
- We hope to see many of you throughout the year as we host Family Friday events. Your participation shows the students they matter and you value their education. As part of our funding, we would like to see each student have at least 4 visitors throughout the year. You are encouraged to come to as many as possible. We offer a variety of events such as special guests, crafts and games. We will have a **GEAR Up** on **Sept. 22nd** so all of our families can enjoy a **Family Dinner**. Please join us as we celebrate National Family Day.

Family Corner

Family Fridays continue to grow. Thank you for your attendance and a special thank you to our presenters for taking time to share their knowledge. Each week we invite you to join us at 4:15 for fun activities. By attending, you show your child you care and that club matters. Below is a description of this month's activities.

Sept. 8- North Judson Police Dept. - Come meet the police Chief and learn how the department keeps our community safe.

Sept. 15- Family Bingo-Play Bingo with the kids and have some fun

Sept. 22 – GEAR Up – Please join us for our **Annual Family Dinner**. Enjoy dinner with us as we celebrate **National Family Day**.

Sept. 29 – Vaccines – Ms. Crystal will join us to discuss vaccines and immunizations recommended for children.

All interested family members should see Linda during club, email lindah@thescyc.org, or call the office at 574-772-1600 x 1851.

In the Know

Be a Family Day STAR!

Celebrate Family Day – A Day to Eat Dinner with Your Children™, Friday, September 22nd, by joining parents all across the country to take the Family Day STAR Pledge to commit to:

Spend time with your kids by having dinner together

Talk to them about their friends, interests and the dangers of drugs and alcohol

Answer their questions and listen to what they say

Recognize that YOU have the power to keep your kids substance-free!

Dinner Makes a Difference! More than a decade of research by The National Center on Addiction and Substance Abuse at Columbia University has consistently found that the more often kids eat dinner with their families, the less likely they are to smoke, drink or use drugs. Family Day – A Day to Eat Dinner with Your Children is a national movement launched by The National Center on Addiction and Substance Abuse at Columbia University in 2001 that promotes the parental engagement fostered during frequent family dinners as a simple, effective way to prevent substance abuse in kids.

To learn more about Family Day and to join parents all across America in taking the Family Day STAR pledge, log on to <http://casafamilyday.org/familyday/>.

Every family is also strongly encouraged to attend our local celebration on Friday, 9/22 at 4:15 PM. Be sure to watch the sign out table for flyers, invites, and ways to volunteer. We are excited by the opportunity to share and celebrate families at SCYC. We look forward to building memories together that day. We hope to see you there.



Be sure to listen to WKVI 99.3 for closing and dismissal information. Like us on Facebook or visit www.thescyc.org for additional information.

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat/Sun
				1	2/3
<p>4</p> <p>No club- Labor Day</p>	<p>5</p> <p>K-1 Grouch Ladybug 2-3 Georgia O'Keefe 4-5 Kidz Science Beach Buckets 2nd Rotation Choose: Puppy Puppets, Croquet or Russian History</p>	<p>6</p> <p>K-1 Kidz Science Beach Buckets 2-3 Tic Tock 4-5 Georgia O'Keefe 2nd Rotation Choose: Puppy Puppets, Croquet & Croquet or Russian History</p>	<p>7</p> <p>1st Rotation Choose: Game Room, Build & Play or Technology 2nd Rotation Choose: Taffy Apple Salad, Lego Robots, or Community Service</p>	<p>8</p> <p>1st Rotation All grades: Academic Friday- Character Development- Cooperation Family Friday at the Elementary- North Judson Police Department</p>	9/10
<p>11</p> <p>K-1 Swimmy 2-3 Kidz Science Comparing Sand 4-5 Race the Clock 2nd Rotation Choose: Bendy Snakes, Baseball or Russian Crafts</p>	<p>12</p> <p>K-1 Race the Clock 2-3 Swimmy 4-5 Kidz Science Comparing Sand 2nd Rotation Choose: Bendy Snakes, Baseball or Russian Crafts</p>	<p>13</p> <p>K-1 Kidz Science comparing Sand 2-3 Race the Clock 4-5 Swimmy 2nd Rotation Choose: Bendy Snakes, Baseball or Russian Crafts</p>	<p>14</p> <p>1st Rotation Choose: Game Room, Build & Play or Technology 2nd Rotation Choose: Apple Dip, Lego Robots, or Community Service</p>	<p>15</p> <p>1st Rotation All grades: STEM Challenge- Extendable Grabbers Family Friday at the Elementary- Family Bingo</p>	16/17
<p>18</p> <p>K-1 Cool Melons 2-3 Kidz Science Sand close-up 4-5 Measure Hunt 2nd Rotation Choose: Salt Painting, Basketball or Russian Sports</p>	<p>19</p> <p>K-1 Measure Hunt 2-3 Cool Melons 4-5 Kidz Science Sand close-up 2nd Rotation Choose: Salt Painting, Basketball or Russian Sports</p>	<p>20</p> <p>K-1 Kidz Science Sand close-up 2-3 Measure Hunt 4-5 Cool Melons 2nd Rotation Choose: Salt Painting, Bowling or Russian Sports</p>	<p>21</p> <p>1st Rotation Choose: Game Room, Build & Play or Technology 2nd Rotation Choose: Grilled Cheese with Apples, Lego Robots, or Community Service</p>	<p>22</p> <p>1st Rotation All grades: Academic Friday – Character Development- Self Talk Family Friday at the Elementary- Family Dinner</p>	23/24
<p>25</p> <p>K-1 Candy Shop 2-3 Kidz Science keeping the beach clean 4-5 Math Golf 2nd Rotation Choose: Whirligigs, Four Corners or Russian Food</p>	<p>26</p> <p>K-1 Math Golf 2-3 Candy Shop 4-5 Kidz Science keeping the beach clean 2nd Rotation Choose: Whirligigs, Four Corners or Russian Food</p>	<p>27</p> <p>K-1 Kidz Science keeping the beach clean 2-3 Math Golf 4-5 Candy Shop 2nd Rotation Choose: Whirligigs, Four Corners or Russian Food</p>	<p>28</p> <p>1st Rotation Choose: Game Room, Build & Play or Technology 2nd Rotation Choose: Apple Cranberry Coleslaw, Lego Robots, or Community Service</p>	<p>29</p> <p>1st Rotation All grades: STEM Challenge- Clothes Pin Bridges Family Friday at the Elementary- Ms. Crystal- IU Health</p>	30/1