

Dragon Tales

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“Quality Not Quantity”

Quality Through:

Rigor - challenging curriculum and instruction

Relevance - assignments with a purpose

Relationships - mutually respectful interactions

Upcoming Event **Jun 7** Spring Sports Awards Night 1730-1900 hrs Large Gym
Jun 8 2nd Semester Awards Assembly 1335-1500 hrs Large Gym
Jun 9 2011 Graduation Ceremony 1900hrs Peterborough Cathedral

From the Principal

Please join me in congratulating the Class of 2011! We would like to invite parents to attend our 2nd Semester Award Assembly on Wednesday, June 8th. The assembly will begin at 1:35 in the Small Gym. As we enter the last two weeks of school, students will be preparing and taking final exams so please spend some time reviewing with them and make sure they are at school on time. Thanks to everyone for supporting recent activities!
Go Dragons!

Are You Leaving Alconbury This Summer?

If you will not be returning to Alconbury MHS, please inform Mrs. Cloum and come by the school office on Thursday June 23rd between the hours of 0600 and 1500 hrs to pick up your student(s) sealed school records. This will enable you to hand carry the records to their next school. If you cannot make that date, please contact Mrs. Cloum to arrange another specific date/time.

Terra Nova Results Are In!

Please come to the office to pick up your student(s)' Terra Nova Results.

Prom 2011

Prom 2011, A Black Tie Affair, will be held at the Huntingdon Marriott on June 4, 2011 from 7:30 to 11:30. Drinks, a buffet dinner, and a keepsake photo cube will be given to each attendee. Photos will be available for purchase for 8 pounds each and will be printed and presented on a black mount. Additional photos will be available for purchase from the photographer via a password protected website. Attendees will also receive a CD of candid shots from the evening after the event.

Please feel free to contact me if I can provide you with any additional information.

Janina Klimas,

Sponsor, Class of 2012 janina.klimas@eu.dodea.edu

Softball

Congratulations go out to the Lady Dragons Softball Team for taking 3rd place at the division III Softball Championships last weekend. The Dragons were in every game they played, the toughest losing a heartbreaker in the Semi-finals which would have sent them on to the Championship game. Ashley Steele hit a grand slam homerun in the bottom of the 7th to get the Dragon's within striking distance, but we weren't able to finish the job.

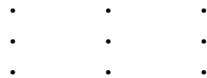
The Lady Dragons were lead by Marissa Cole who batted .693 for the tournament and was selected for the all-tournament team, Ashley Steele who pitched two winners and batted .516 for the tournament and was also selected for all tournament team. Rounding out the all-tournament selections was Ashley Uballe who batted .601 for the tournament. Jordan Portman was selected as a runner up to the all-tournament team and batted .595 for the tournament.

All of the Lady Dragons played their hearts out and should be recognized for their tremendous efforts this year.

From the AVID Department

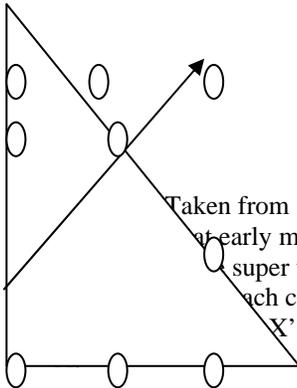
AVID STRATEGIES FOR SUCCESS

Solution to the previous Critical Thinking Activity: *Connect the Dots.*



Draw four straight lines without lifting your pencil from the paper so that the lines pass through each dot.

The solution is a matter of "thinking outside the box":



Taken from *Brainteasers 195 Puzzles to Keep You Sharp!*

What early mathematicians were avid puzzle creators and solvers? Try your mental skills at this super tic-tac-toe games, the letters are entered from the top of the board, so that only the first column can be played. If it's O's turn in game A and X's turn in game B, who should win? (X's or O's in a row wins.)

X			
X	O	O	X

B.

O		X	
O	X	O	X

See the next issue for the answer.

Senior Finals Schedule

June 6 – Exam Periods 5 & 7

June 7 – Exam Periods 1 & 3

June 8 – Exam Period 6

Seniors clean out lockers/return locks

Deadline to replace any lost or damaged school materials

Clearance sheets completed and submitted to Ms. Cloum

June 9 – All Senior grades due by 8:00

Senior Meeting 8:20 – Location TBA

Watch graduation DVD, March Practice & Activity

June 10 – Leave school on bus at 8:30 for Peterborough Graduation Practice

Be at Cathedral by 5:45 for graduation

6th -11th grade Finals Schedule

June 10 – Period 5, 6, Period 1 & 2 Review

June 13 – Period 1 & 2 Final, Period 3 & 4 Review

June 14 – Period 3 & 4 Final, Period 5 & 6 Review

June 15 – Period 5 & 6 Final, Seminar, Period 7 Review

June 16 – Period 7 Final, Seminar – Early Release day – Students dismissed at 1120

Attachments:

Lunch Menu

<p>6</p> <p>Hamburger on a Bun 3-Cheese Boat (V) Nic Nac Chicken Salad w/Crackers Chicken Fryz or Chicken Drummies Veggie Wrap Steamed Broccoli Mandarin Oranges Melon Fruit Cup Carrot Bread</p>	<p>7</p> <p>Turkey & Veg Egg Roll Orange Ginger Chicken bowl Ham Salad w/Crackers Chicken Fillet on WG Bun Asian Chopped Salad Mediterranean Vegetable Blend Green Beans Chilled Peaches Chilled Pineapples</p>	<p>8</p> <p>Philly Cheese Sandwich Mozzarella Sticks Turkey Salad w/Crackers Hotdog on a Bun Mexican Chicken Salad Baked Beans Steamed Carrots Fresh Fruit Cup Applesauce</p>	<p>9</p> <p>Breakfast or Turkey Panini Cheese Omelet or Sausage Patty Chicken Fillet Salad w/Crackers Cheese Pizza Dippers Tuna Wrap Deli Roasters Montego Bay Veggie Blend Fruit Cocktail Fresh Sliced Apples</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Manager's Choice</p>
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If you have any questions about our school policies or comments you would like the principal to know, please contact Dr. White using the following email address: AlconburyHS.Principal@eu.dodea.edu or Dr. Ronald McIntire, Isles District Superintendent at DSN226-7234/7252/7224.; or COM 01638-527234/7252/7224.