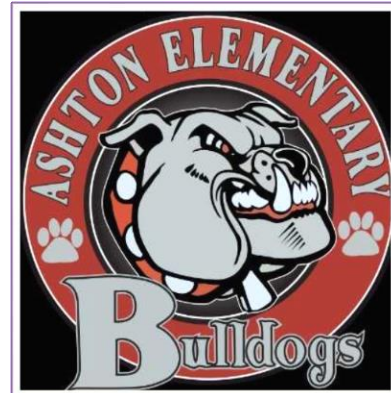


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## Note from the Office

It is hard to believe November is already here. This is a busy month at Ashton and there are many holidays and off days in November. Please make sure to check the calendar and note all the days off.

## Veteran's Day 2018

This year commemorates the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the end of World War I. In honor of this very special Veteran's Day

Mrs. Janicker's Art Class is making patriotic pictures and paintings which will be delivered to the Veterans that live in the Barboursville Veteran's Home on Monday November 12<sup>th</sup>. The students have been hard at work on this for awhile.



## School Groups

There are afterschool activities going on at Ashton. On Tuesdays we have Good News Club. All students are welcome to attend with parent permission.

If your child is in 5<sup>th</sup> or 6<sup>th</sup> grade, Mrs. Porter has started an afterschool math club to help build skills towards Math Field Day. See Mrs. Porter if your child is interested.

## Upcoming Events

### November 9

Ashton Spirit Day

### November 12

No School

### November 15

County Social Studies Fair

### November 16

3 Hour Early Release

### November 19-23

Thanksgiving Break

## Important Announcement

Friday November 16<sup>th</sup> is a 4 Hour Early Release and the start of Thanksgiving Break.

Please try to get on IXL, ALEKS, and REDBIRD over the break and practice your math skills

## More Important News

### Red Ribbon Week Winner

Aimee Stein's Kindergarten Class won first place in the door-decorating contest for red ribbon week. Their door theme was "Roll out the Red Carpet" for being drug free. The students are pictured with their trophy.

### VIP Ashton Bulldog Staff Members

Ashton had two of their very own staff members run in the Marshall half-marathon last weekend. This is the first half-marathon for both of them. Kim Wilson, preschool aide, and Elena Goldblum, school counselor were thrilled to take part and finish the half-marathon at Marshall. They have been training for months. The school is very proud of them as well. Congratulations!



## In the Community

### Ashton Bulldog Football

Our team is going to the championship playoff game this weekend. Please come out and cheer them on.

11/11/2018 starting at 1:00 PM

Pt. Pleasant Stadium

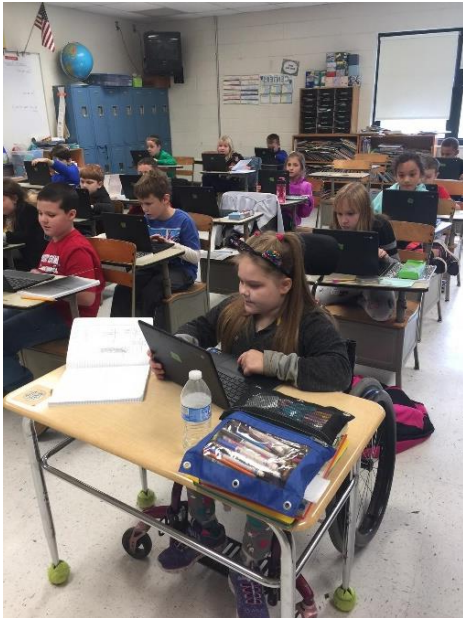
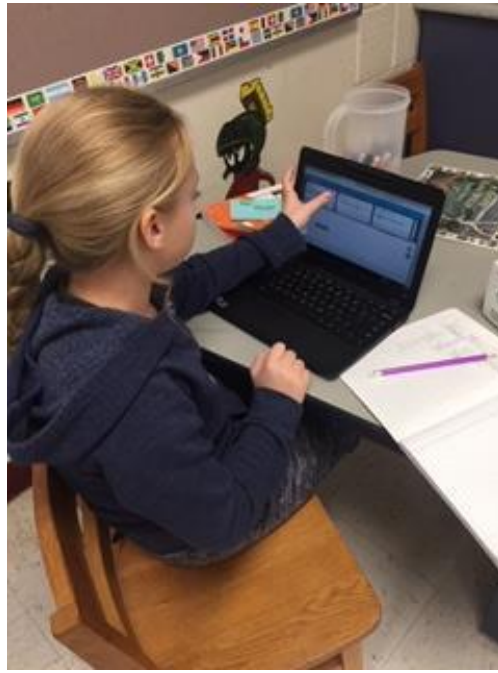
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### Community Toy Drive

Ashton will be collecting new and gently used toys to donate to Cross Light of Hope. Starts November 26<sup>th</sup> and lasts through December 12<sup>th</sup>. Please help your fellow community members by sending a toy or two.

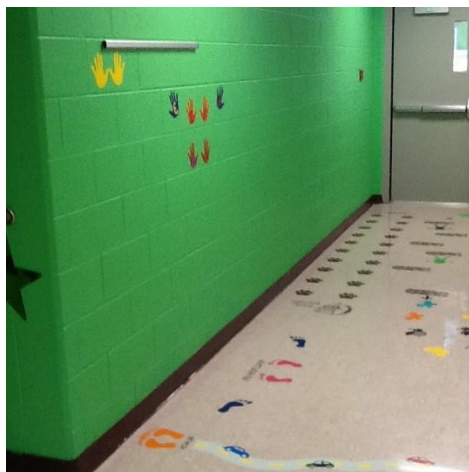
### Third Grade Chromebooks are here!

Third Grade received their new Chromebooks on November fourth. This now makes Ashton have one-to-one Chromebooks in grades 3-6. Ms. Mitchell and Mrs. Griffith cannot wait to have all the students online to work with our online programs including IXL, ALEKS, Connect-Ed, Google Classroom, and Clever. This is the first time that students in the third grade have access to touchscreen Chromebooks. This will help the students learn to type and prepare for the summative assessment in the spring.



## Sensory Hallway

Ashton now has a one of a kind Sensory Hallway. This is for the students who are autistic, ADHD, or just need a change of scenery to find their focus to get back to learning. The sensory hallway features hopscotch, twirling, movement games and puzzles that help overstimulated students find their center and calm down.



Many special education rooms have sensory areas, but this is the first one in a hallway that is available to all students who may need it.

This is now a model area for other schools in the county to visit and recreate.



Congratulations to all students who participated in the Social Studies Fair

### US History

1<sup>st</sup>-Gavin Fulton

2<sup>nd</sup>-Brennan Weikle

3<sup>rd</sup>-Connor Buckle

### Local History

1<sup>st</sup>-K.J. Price

### World History

1<sup>st</sup>- Cooper Craig

Good Luck at The County Social Studies Fair!

## Show your Gratitude this Month

