



# Torch Bearer



**Beautiful New Tennis Courts at Columbia Central Jr.-Sr. High School**



Columbia Upper Elementary School Students enjoying the Media Center.

**October 2, 2015**

**No School for Students on Monday, October 12th—** Professional Development for Staff.

**Columbia Childcare is open through the school year!** Childcare hours are 6:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. You can drop your child off before school and childcare is available after school. There are countless educational activities offered. To sign your child up for educational and entertaining childcare please contract Director, Vicki Heaton by clicking [here](#) to email her with any questions.

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## Columbia Central Elementary School—Grades PK-2nd

**School Picture Day** is set for **Friday, October 9th**. Packets have been sent home with students Please call the office 592-6632 or email Mrs. [Hunter](#) if you have any questions. **Family Book Bingo** will take place on **Friday, October 16th, from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.**; the cost is 50¢ per card. Please attend this family fun night. You can win books, other prizes and refreshments will be served.

Looking to volunteer? Be a **Brooklyn Buddy Mentor and read with students weekly**. Please email Mrs. [Kouba](#) or call her at 592-6632.

## Columbia Central Elementary School –Grades 3-6

**School Picture Day** is set for **Friday, October 9th**. Packets have been sent home with students. Please email Mrs. [Cook](#) or call her at 592-2181.

Our PTO has been so instrumental in creating educational and fun programs for our students to enjoy. We have a tremendous group of active parents to support both buildings. They are currently planning the following upcoming events: **Book Fair, 11/2/14 - Donuts for Dad, 11/4/15—Fall Festival, 11/7/15.**

## Columbia Central Junior High School-Grades 7 & 8

**Homecoming is next week Friday, Oct. 9th.** Spirit Week will be in full swing: Monday-is America Day, Tuesday-Tropical Day, Wednesday—Pink Out Day, Thursday—Costume Day and Friday—Blue & Gold Day.

In order to **recognize student excellence**, student improvement and positive citizenship, our JH staff will give **weekly awards** in those areas. Students will get their name called over the announcements on Friday and receive a small prize.

## Columbia Central High School-Grades 9-12

**Homecoming** is scheduled on Friday, **October 9th** vs. Erie Mason. Float Themes are Classic Cartoons: 9th Grade-Flintstones, 10th Grade-Scooby Doo, 11th Grade-Grinch and 12th Grade-Looney Toons. The Homecoming **parade is at 5:00 p.m.** and the **game will start at 7:00 p.m.** The **Homecoming Dance** will take place on **Saturday, October 10th**, from 8:00 to 11:00 p.m.

PSAT/NMQT is scheduled for all 10th and 11th grade students on Wednesday, October 14th.

## Columbia Options High School & Adult Education

Columbia Options High School **offers a unique alternative educational setting** for students who have been unsuccessful in the traditional high school setting. It is a place for students to grow and reach their fullest potential in a non-threatening, positive environment. Call CCE at 529-9400, or click [here](#) for information.

We have provided many activities over the years. If you have a **special interest or hobby** and would like to **share with others** in a workshop format, please call 529-9400.

