

Greetings,

We have two intervention programs for students we identify as needing more support to learn math and reading at their current grade level. These two programs are Title I and ADSIS. Both programs are funded through federal dollars and require parent permission to continue working with each child. Please sign the permission form and read the information that accompanies the letter as these programs have a wonderful track record of helping struggling learners. A brief summary would be that Title I is support for students needing a small boost to get back to grade level. Mrs. Knauf is our Title I teacher and she will meet with students in her classroom to support their needs. ADSIS is 30 minutes of specific skills work in addition to the classroom lesson. Our ADSIS teachers are Mrs. Polingo for reading and Mrs. Enzenauer for math. ADSIS students will go to this room and work with teachers on specific intervention programs like V-Math and SRA Reading. If you have further questions please feel free to give me a call.

This year's Operetta, 101 Dalmation Kids!, will now be performed at the new Performing Arts Center. We had to change a few dates around to make it work but all involved were tremendously motivated to make it happen. The new dates for our Operetta are April 4th & 5th. Please note nothing has changed with our grade level concerts and Grandfriends day, as they are still taking place in the Shirley Hills gym on our stage.

Take care and have a great week.

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

10/08 Archery in Schools presentation, 6:30-7:30pm
10/10 Picture Retake Day
10/10 Kindergarten Walking Field Trip to Fire Station
10/11 Grade 1 to Stages Theater - bag lunch needed
10/12 Grade 4 to Mill City Museum - Bag lunch needed
10/16 Boxtops for Education - First Collection Deadline
10/17 Teacher Professional Day - NO SCHOOL
10/18-19 Education Minnesota Break - NO SCHOOL
10/22 WeCAN Coat Drive ends

10/22 Roller Skating begins in Phy Ed classes

ARCHERY OPPORTUNITY FOR 4TH GRADE STUDENTS

Archery Open House, Monday, October 8th, 6:30-7:30pm in the small gym at Grandview Middle School. Learn about the Westonka Archery Team and how to join. Students will have an opportunity to shoot some arrows and hear about the National Archery in Schools Program (NASP) and the Westonka team. Questions? Contact Mr. Westby at westbyp@westonka.k12.mn.us.

PICTURE RETAKE DAY IS OCTOBER 10TH

Lifetouch photographers will be here for students who were not able to have their pictures taken during Open House. Class pictures will also be taken on this day. Also, if you want your child's picture retaken, please write "retake" on the packet and send the original pictures back to school; it's helpful if you make note of what you did not like on the original pictures. You can order online or request a paper order form from the office. Picture orders can be placed up to 48 hours after picture day.

SAVE THESE DATES FOR SH MUSIC EVENTS!

- Friday, November 2, 2018 - Grandfriends' Day
- Friday, November 30, 2018 - 4th Grade Field Trip to Orchestra Hall & Minneapolis Institute of Art
- Thursday, December 20, 2018 - 2nd Grade Concert, 6:30pm
- Thursday, December 20, 2018 - 3rd Grade Concert, 7:30pm
- Thursday, March 7, 2019 - 3rd Grade Field Trip to Orchestra Hall & Minneapolis Institute of Art
- Thursday, April 4th and Friday, April 5th, 2019 - Operetta: 101 Dalmation Kids!, 7:00pm at the NEW Performing Arts Center!!!
- Thursday, May 9, 2019 - 1st Grade Concert, 6:30pm
- Thursday, May 9, 2019 - 4th Grade Concert, 7:30pm

CULVER'S NIGHT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Mark your calendar for our first *Culver's Night* of the year, Wednesday, November 7th, 2018. This is always a super fun evening, and we need your help to make it a success! Please consider signing up to work a shift through our SignUp Genius link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0948aead22aafd0-culvers1>