

**Howard-Suamico School District** 

## Meadowbrook

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Current Newsletter

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Everything you need to know about Meadowbrook Elementary is found on our website: Meadowbrook

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#### **January Menu**

To see what is for breakfast and lunch this month; please click here. Want to join your child for hot lunch? Please let us know if you would like to order hot lunch; by notifying the office no later than 9:00 am on the day you plan to visit. You are also welcome to bring in lunch to enjoy with them.

Parents we need your help! When attending athletic events at Bay Port High School, we ask that you please supervise your children. For the safety of the participants and the fans, we ask that your children do NOT run around in the field house or hallways before, during or after the games. We greatly appreciate your assistance. Thank You!

# Fan Etiquette

#### **Mark Your Calendars**

#### Family Read 20 Event

Tuesday, January 16th 4:00pm-6:00pm

### 4th Grade Field Trip to Madison:

Friday, May 18th ALL DAY (parent(s) welcome to attend)

#### 4th Grade Graduation Celebration:

Friday, June 1st 2:00 pm (Families encouraged to attend)

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### **Upcoming Events at Meadowbrook**

Friday, Jan. 5 - January Birthday lunch with Mrs. Zimmer

Tuesday, Jan. 9 - 3rd graders travel to Ellis Island
PSA meets at 6:30 pm in the library

Thursday, Jan. 11 - Student Council Meeting 7:45-8:30

Friday, Jan. 12 - Studio K.I.D. Meeting 7:45-8:30 3rd/4th Grade Choir 8:00-8:25 Group Photos 9:00-10:30

Tuesday, Jan. 16 - Read 20 Family Night 4-6pm

Thursday, Jan. 18 - Last day of 2nd Quarter

Friday, Jan. 19 - NO SCHOOL

Wednesday, Jan. 24 - Kiva Club 7:45-8:30 Kindergarten Field Trip 9:30-2:30

Friday, Jan. 26 - Studio K.I.D. Meeting 7:45-8:30
Bulldog Blast - Hat Day
2nd Quarter Report Cards are ready

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# 3rd/4th Grade Choir

Does your child love to sing? If they do, please encourage them to sign up for the 2018 Meadowbrook Choir! Practices will be held on Friday mornings from 8:00-8:25 am; and all 3rd

Jeff Ellers

#### Did you Know?

As the Board of Education continues to review the Community Task Force recommendations, we are reminded of their work and insight into our district. The Task Force members expressed surprise at several facts about the Howard Suamico School District. For example, did you know the HSSD tax levy remains at \$9.19 per \$1,000 of property value for the third straight year; this is well below the state average of \$9.97 per

jeffeile@hssd.k12.wi.us \$1,000 in 2016-17. This fact demonstrates the Board's policy of fiscal accountability to the taxpayers of our district. For more information about the Community Task Force report, please

view www.hssd.k12.wi.us/referendum. If you have any questions for the Board of Education, please reach out to your team member located in this article.

#### **Looking for Leftovers**

Did you or a family member receive two of the very same gift? Did you purchase some extra gifts that aren't worth the hassle to return? Do you plan to clean closets and/or bookshelves over Winter Break? As part of our annual Family Read night; we would love to offer each of the children in attendance a new or gently used book to take home. We will also offer some door prizes throughout the event - so please don't donate that extra fleece blanket; or your unwanted gifts to charity-consider donating them to Meadowbrook instead and see for yourself that they will go home with someone who will enjoy them. Donations can be sent to school with your child; or dropped off in the office after Break.

Inclement weather may necessitate the closing or delay of school. If schools are closed this will also include the cancellation of all extra curricular activities and events at the community pool unless otherwise stated. Many local television stations now give you the option to sign up for text alerts; and also feature a listing of closing and delays on the home page of their web site. You will also be notified by phone and email of any closings or delays via the District's automated message system.

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Calling AII Second **Graders** 

Are you interested in learning how computer animations or video games are made? Do you want to learn the basics of computer coding through fun lessons?

and 4th graders; regardless of their music ability, are invited to join! Permission slips will be sent home with your child; or they can ask for one during their weekly music class. First practice will be Friday, January 12th!





#### **Ringing For a Great Cause!**

If you happened to be at Woodman's on Dec. 19th or 22nd, you would have seen these wonderful young students from Meadowbrook ringing bells for the Salvation Army and bringing Christmas cheer to all. Wesley, Jackson, Faith, Matt, Eric, and Thomas helped make the holiday season a whole lot better for some local families!

#### Lineville Intermediate School **Music Choices**

In March parents of 4th graders will be asked to choose a 5th grade music class. Course descriptions and registration information will be available on March 14th, and parents and students will learn about band, chorus, and orchestra classes at Lineville. A selection must be made and the registration completed

Parents who desire more information at this time are invited to visit the music class websites, which are linked to the Lineville home page: http://linevillehssd.weebly.com

### **Community Calendar**

Our schools now use the Activity Scheduler from rSchoolToday as our School Calendaring system. All of the information is updated in real-time. This link rSchoolToday Calendar walks you through the process to view the events you choose. Once you choose what you want to see on the report it gives the option to subscribe to the calendar.

If so, consider joining Meadowbrook's Studio K.I.D!

Students will be introduced to new technologies, programs, websites and apps while also learning computer science vocabulary and online safety.

Meetings will be held every Friday from 7:45-8:30 am in the library. Please click here for the application.