



# Howard-Suamico School District Meadowbrook ELEMENTARY

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Everything you need to know about Meadowbrook Elementary is found on our website: [Meadowbrook](#)

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## School Nutrition

Click [HERE](#) for the breakfast menu

Click [HERE](#) for the lunch menu

**NUTRITION DETAIL OF SCHOOL MEALS:** Meal Viewer, our online menu service does all the math for you! You can toggle between breakfast and lunch and select specific school site along top right hand side of page. Simply click on "Let's Add It Up" alongside monthly menu.

**BREAKFAST MEALS:** Overnight peach oatmeal, sunflower seeds, homemade whole grain muffin squares and roasted garbanzo beans are just some of the super healthy and trendy breakfast options you will see on your child's breakfast menu! We value a great start for your child's day and hope to see them in the cafeteria soon!

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## 2018-2019 Lunch Schedule

[Click here to view the 2018/2019 school lunch times broken down by classroom.](#)

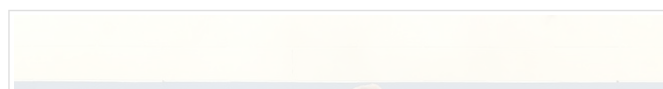
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## Staff Roster for 2018-2019

Please click [here](#) for the staff roster which includes names, phone numbers and email addresses for our team.

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## Leader of the Pack Winners



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## Important Dates to Remember

### November

- 8 Parent/Teacher conferences 4:00 - 7:30 pm
- 9 Reading Olympics 8:00 am
- Early Release for K-4 at 1:25 pm
- End of First Quarter
- 12-16 American Education Week
- 12 Veterans Day Ceremony 9:00 am
- 13 PSA meeting 6:00 pm in the library
- 16 PSA Scrip Orders Due to the office
- November Birthday Lunch with Mrs. Zimmer

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We want to thank Sue Gracyalny and Jennifer Chesterman for volunteering to assist with our Hearing Screening that was held earlier this week. Things ran very smoothly because of you; and we appreciate your support!

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SCHOOL NUTRITION  
IS HERE TO SERVE YOUR FAMILY



(Left to Right: Gentry LaBrosse-Westfall, Chase Kingsley, Hudson LaPlante, Chelsea Hultman, Lauren Spettel, Alana Phillips, Cameron Schlender, Emily Peterson, Adeline Clark, Lucas Nissen and Carlene Bongers.

## Please update your volunteer page



If your child has changed school buildings, you wish to volunteer at more schools, or you need to remove yourself from a school please update your volunteer status. Log in at [www.myvolunteerpage.com](http://www.myvolunteerpage.com) to ensure your profile is accurate and find new volunteering opportunities.

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## A note from your School Board Representative



During our annual meeting last month, community members received a detailed review of the school district's 2018-19 budget and at the October 22, 2018 School Board Meeting, the Board of Education approved a levy of \$26,570,826, which supports a district budget of \$89,505,581 – an increase of 3.18% from the previous year. This levy will result in the school's portion of our property taxes remaining stable at \$9.19.

In addition, the Board shared with community members the proposed purchase of 10 acres of land directly in front of Bay Port High School. After significant consultation with leaders in real estate, the community and local businesses, the district formed a plan to move forward with an offer.

The source of funds for the purchase will come from two sources:

- \$389,000 from the sale of surplus land
- Approximately \$1.5 million from an assigned district account of which the funds are specifically designated only for capital projects/purchases.

This acquisition represents the beginning of a long-term process in which the district is developing a "best-use" plan on leveraging this resource for future students. We hope the 2018-19 budget and this land purchase demonstrate to our community and students that we value their education today and well into the future. If you have any questions for the Board of Education, please reach out to your Board member located in this article.

Vanessa Moran  
[vanemora@hssd.k12.wi.us](mailto:vanemora@hssd.k12.wi.us)

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## Nurses Nook

I NEED TO STAY HOME IF...						
I HAVE A FEVER	I AM VOMITING	I HAVE DIARRHEA	I HAVE A RASH	I HAVE HEAD LICE	I HAVE AN EYE INFECTION	I HAVE BEEN IN THE HOSPITAL

### WHAT: Convenient Lunch on 1/2 Day of School

**Sunbutter** Sandwich - Sunflower & Grape Jelly on Whole Wheat Bread  
 Variety of Fresh Fruits  
 Variety of Fresh Vegetables  
 Whole Grain Sun Chips  
 Graham Dessert  
 Variety of Milk or Water option

**WHEN:** Wednesday, November 21

**HOW:** Provided to your son or daughter at the end of the school day brought home for lunch

**COST:** Free for students who qualify for a free meal  
 \$.40 for students who qualify for reduced priced meal  
 \$.25 for full paid meals

### SANDWICH BAG LUNCH FOR 1/2 DAY LUNCH ON NOVEMBER 21st

Parents/guardians:

A bag lunch is available through the School Lunch Program (SLP). Cost for a bag lunch is the same as a lunch at school and will be processed through the student's meal account.

Please complete and return this slip to your student(s) teacher no later than **November 15th**.

\_\_\_\_ Yes, please provide my child with a Cold bag lunch on the above date.

No need to return the form should you not want to participate in the 1/2 day school lunch bagged option for your child(ren). Thank you!

PARENT SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT NAME \_\_\_\_\_

TEACHER \_\_\_\_\_



We will be having a Veterans Ceremony on November 12th at 9:00 am.

Families are invited to attend the Veterans Day Ceremony. Members of the Military, Boy and Girl Scout members are encouraged to wear their uniforms. Veterans are invited to have coffee and donuts in the cafeteria at 8:30 am prior to the ceremony. Please notify your student's teacher if you have family members who will be attending.

Thank you for serving our country and attending this celebration!

Meadowbrook Staff

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## America's Healthiest Schools 2018

Congratulations to Meadowbrook School for being recognized at one America's Healthiest Schools- Bronze Level. This honor is earned by successfully meeting a rigorous set of criteria for serving healthier meals and snacks, getting students moving more, offering high-quality health and physical education, and empowering school leaders to be healthy role models. Healthy students will help make an overall healthier community. This is a school wide effort from healthy snacks, to nutritious breakfast &

lunch menu, increase physical activity during the school day, active recess, quality physical education, parent and community involvement. You will see this banner hanging in the gym. Thank you to all who is helping with the vision of "Every child deserves a healthy future."

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Temperature of 100 or higher	Within the past 24 hours	Within the past 24 hours	Body rash with itching or fever	Itchy head, active head lice	Redness, itching and/or "crusty" drainage from eyes	Hospital stay and/or ER visit
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I AM READY TO GO BACK TO SCHOOL WHEN I AM...						
Fever free for 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medication i.e. Tylenol, Motrin	Free from vomiting for at least 2 solid meals	Free from diarrhea for at least 24 hours	Free from rash, itching, or fever. I have been evaluated by my doctor if needed	Treated with appropriate lice treatment at home and proof is provided by the county health office	Evaluated by my doctor and have a note to return to school	Released by my medical provider to return to school



Cleaning closets? Did you come across a few things the health room could use? That's right - our Health room is running low on extra pants that are loaned out to students; in all sizes - and for both boys and girls. We also go through underwear and socks; and would gladly take any you can spare. If you have any you are willing to donate; please have your child bring them to the office. We appreciate your help!

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# Community Corner

To access handouts/flyers for area community events [click here](#). The HSSD Community Page includes a Google Calendar list highlighting community events for families in the villages of Howard & Suamico i.e. scouting, festivals, parades, etc. Visit the Howard - Suamico School District Website for school events i.e. Holiday Concerts, Plays, Musicals, Athletic and Art events using our FREE Mobile App is available for the iPhone, iPad, and Android devices in both the iTunes App Store and also on Google Play.

**Artworks for Kids** is offering a few fun seasonal Saturday classes we are holding at Artworks for Kids this fall/winter. These classes are a great opportunity to try Artworks for the first time, and are great for kids ages 4 – 12 years old.

Saturdays, December 1, 8 & 15-Gingerbread classes. Please visit for more information <https://www.artworksforkidsstudio.com/class-schedules.html>

**November 14, 6-8pm at the Townline Banquet Room Belle's Ball - Daddy Daughter Dance sponsored by Bay Port DECA** Daddy Daughter Dance - to Benefit the Howard Suamico School District Mental Health Plan \$25/Family and additional \$5/per girl. Light appetizers are provided; Cookie Decorating; Beauty and the Beast Themed Games; Photo Wall. Princess dresses or costumes are encouraged! <http://bpdeca.weebly.com/daddy-daughter-dance.html>

**Saturday, November 17, 9am - 2pm, Bay Port Drama Club Workshop at Bay Port for children Ages Kindergarten-6th grade.** The theme this year is Tangled! Cost for workshop is \$25 which includes lunch. Reservations must be made by 11/9/18. Attach registration to an email to Mrs. Belden at [pambeld@hssd.k12.wi.us](mailto:pambeld@hssd.k12.wi.us) or mail to Pam Belden, 2710 Lineville Road, Green Bay, WI 54313. Checks are payable to Bay Port Drama Club, which need to be received by November 9.

The Bay Port Wrestling Program would like to invite area youth to participate in the 2018-19 youth wrestling season. **Registration can be done online and is currently open and will remain open until November 12.**

[Register today for the 2018-2019 Youth Wrestling Program](#) for (pre-kindergarten through 5th grade)

## Bay Port Boys Youth Basketball

2018 Bay Port Boys' Youth Basketball – GRADES 1, 2, 3, 4

The Bay Port High School boys' basketball coaching staff will provide basketball opportunities for boys in 1st through 4th grade. These programs will emphasize player skill development.

DATES: Saturdays – November 10, 17, 24 and Dec 1

TIMES: 3rd & 4th Grade ----- 8:30 - 9:20 AM

1st & 2nd Grade ----- 9:30 - 10:15 AM

LOCATION: Bay Port High School

Go to this link to sign up. <http://howardsuamic470.corecommerce.com/bay-port-boys-youth-basketball.html>

**Interested in learning to play tennis?** Register today to join the Bay Port Youth Tennis Club! Grades K-4 and 5th-8th, starting in November at the Four Seasons Tennis Club, 3600 Block Riverside Drive, Green Bay. Click here for more information on dates/times: <http://bayporttennis.weebly.com/tennis-club.html>

**Thursday, December 6, 5:30-7:30 pm, the Bay Port FFA Alumni and FFA students will be hosting a winter porch planter workshop at Barkhausen Waterfowl Preserve.** We will help you fill with fresh evergreens and a variety of wooden stems. We will start with a 12" decorative plastic pot that can be placed

## VIP Time

### Very Important Pack Time

The launch of our VIP time has went extremely well! Each of our new Packs has come up with a name, and have played some fun games getting to know each other! Ask your child about their new friends! Our focus will be to create community, create a network of support for our students and build proficiencies in 21st Century Skills. Please contact Mrs. Eickholt ([nicoeick@hssd.k12.wi.us](mailto:nicoeick@hssd.k12.wi.us)) or Mrs. Wick ([michwick@hssd.k12.wi.us](mailto:michwick@hssd.k12.wi.us)) with questions.

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## Park Partnership

We are excited to announce a new partnership with the Village of Howard. Meadowbrook School is fortunate to have a beautiful park located behind our school. Mrs. Eickholt and Mrs. Wick met with Mr. Farr and Mr. Harris from the Village of Howard to propose the idea of installing display cases along the Meadowbrook Park walking trail. These cases will be used to showcase our students' creativity skills to the community members who use the walking trail. Our long-term goal is to utilize the park for educational activities on a regular basis. We are excited about this additional opportunity to share the amazing skills our students are learning. We hope you will make time to visit the park and celebrate our students' work.

[Click here for the article with photos](#)

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Do you have a red or white *poinsettia* the Holiday Concert could use the week of December 10-14? You can either donate it to the school or have it back when the concerts are done. Please email Mrs. Tomashek ([moltoma@hssd.k12.wi.us](mailto:moltoma@hssd.k12.wi.us)) if you can help. Thank you!

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Plans are well underway for the holiday concerts; and we need your help to ensure the night is a success. Please [click here](#) to learn more about the areas we need assistance with.

## Holiday Concert

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## Important Dates to

wooden stems. We will start with a 12" decorative plastic pot that can be placed right on your porch or dropped into an urn or other planter filling it with fresh evergreens and a variety of wooden stems. Each participant will bring home their own beautiful and fragrant winter porch planter. Limited Seating Available. First Come, First Serve to the first 30 registrants. Register and Pay Online at: <http://howardsuamic470.corecommerce.com/bp-ffa-winter-porch-plant-workshop.html> If you have any questions, please email Whitney Barnes at [whitbarn@hssd.k12.wi.us](mailto:whitbarn@hssd.k12.wi.us)

## Remember

### YOU'RE INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE 2018 BELL RINGING CHALLENGE

#### THE SCHOOL WITH THE MOST HOURS WINS!

Sign up to ring bells for The Salvation Army Red Kettle Campaign and compete against area schools to win the Gold Kettle, traveling trophy.

Bell ringing is a fun way for students to learn about giving back and start building volunteer hours for the future!



Each person in your group/family can get credit if they have separate volunteer profiles.

**EARN DOUBLE HOURS BY  
RINGING AT OUTDOOR LOCATIONS!**

Sign up today by calling **920-884-3077** or visiting **SAGreenBay.org**



LOVE HAS AN ARMY  
#FIGHTFORGOOD

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