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October 5, 2017 Print Newsletter

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

Does your child love their bike? Encourage them to lock them up!

Please encourage your child to bring a bike lock with them to school; we know how much they love to show off their "wheels" and we would hate to have any disappointed families.

Food Service

Lunch and Breakfast Menu-Click here for the October menu

Introducing NutriSlice: New Interactive Breakfast & Lunch Menus!

NutriSlice is an innovative method for parents and students to view information about what is on our school menu for breakfast and lunch each day. You can see an image and description for food items, as well as nutrition and allergen information. For those students with allergies, you are able to select the food you are allergic to and it will cross out any items on the menu that contain that allergen. Menu changes are updated in real time, so when there's a snow day you won't have any questions about what is being served the following school day. Please be sure to check the menus frequently for the most accurate and up to date information.

There's also the option to rate individual food

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Important Dates to Remember

October

- 5 Bridging Better Smiles Portable Dental Clinic
- 6 **No School**
- 10 2nd grade Field Trip to Heritage Hill
Haen, Harding and Counihan
- 12 4th Grade Field trip to Suamico Elementary
- 13 2nd grade Field Trip to Heritage Hill
Voigt, Schneeberger
- 19 Read for the Record Day
Parent Teacher Conferences 4:00 pm-7:30 pm
Scholastic Book Fair 4:00 pm-7:30 pm
- 20 October Birthdays eat lunch with Mrs. Zimmer
Read 20 Day - Dont Forget to wear your shirt!
- 24 Parent Teacher Conferences 4:00 pm-7:30 pm
Scholastic Book Fair 4:00 pm-7:30 pm
- 25 Bulldog Blast - Dress as your favorite Superhero
- 26 **No School**
Parent Teacher Conferences 8:00 am - 11:30 am
- 27 **No School**
- 31 Hearing Screening for Kindergarten and 1st Grade

Conference Sign Up Opens on Monday!

Our online scheduling software, Teeso, will open on Monday, October 9th. Conferences will be held on Thursday October 19th and Tuesday the 24th from 4:00 pm - 7:30 pm; and from 8:00 am - 11:30 am on Thursday, October 26th.

Volunteer Reminders

Please remember to update your volunteer profile to ensure you are informed of all opportunities. For directions to do so; please click here.

If you have not completed the volunteer profile: directions can be found here.

items, so please help us continue to improve by providing feedback. Our innovative, interactive site and FREE mobile app make our school menus more convenient and informative than ever before. Visit your school's homepage, the Food Service page, or click here <http://hssdwi.nutrislice.com> to check out the menu and all of the great features!

2017-2018 Lunch Schedule

Click here to view the revised 2017/2018 school lunch times broken down by classroom.

P.S.A. NEWS

To view all the current P.S.A. news/events/promos/dates go to www.meadowbrookpsa.weebly.com

The next meeting will be held on November 7th in the Meadowbrook library at 6:30 pm.

Dont forget to send any box tops you have collected in with your child.

Staff Roster for 2017-2018

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

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Winter Concerts- held at Bay Port in the P.A.C

**Monday, December 11: 5pm Kindergarten
6pm 1st grade**
**Thursday, December 14: 5pm 2nd Grade
6pm 3rd Grade
7pm 4th Grade**

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)

As a reminder - younger siblings are not allowed to accompany you when volunteering. They are welcome to attend classroom performances, or lunch with your students, but for their safety - we ask that you do not bring them with you if you are volunteering in a classroom or working on a special project.

Prizes needed for the Fall Frolic

On Wednesday, October 25th, all students will be participating in our first incentive of the school year; and we are looking for some Bingo Prizes. Do you have anything small you would be willing to donate? Feel free to send with your student; or drop them off in the office. Thanks in advance for making the event a little more special!

Let's Talk! With Mrs. VanAsten and Mrs. Heim

Hello, and welcome to another wonderful school year at Meadowbrook Elementary! We are Katie VanAsten and Julie Heim, and we are the Speech-Language Pathologists (SLP) for students at Meadowbrook Elementary school this year. As SLPs, we work with students who have diagnosed speech and language delays. These delays include articulation (speech sounds), grammar, expressive and receptive language, voice, or fluency (stuttering). While we get the privilege of working with many of the students that come to our school, we know there are more still that we do not get to meet. Language is such a large part of our lives, and we would like to take an opportunity each month to share what we hope will be some useful, easy tips for enhancing the speech and language skills of ALL students.

Mrs. VanAsten will be working with students in grade 2nd and 3rd, while Mrs. Heim will be working with students in Kindergarten, 1st, and 4th grades. If you ever have questions about your child's speech and language development, please don't hesitate to give us a shout! We are happy to be a resource for all.

Communication is empowering - and we want every child to feel empowered. Thank you for your support, and we wish all the best to each student and family at Meadowbrook Elementary School! Let's make it a great year!

Mrs. Katie VanAsten

Mrs. Julie Heim

Community Corner

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.

Monday, October 9 (6-9 p.m.) Bay Port Agriculture Department Open House

With our growing Agricultural Education Program and FFA, parent support is vital to our success. Parents, family and friends are welcomed and encouraged to attend our Open House and explore our department. Students will have hands on demonstrations of classroom projects and activities. A variety of student practicum experience projects, informational booths about FFA and our Booster Club will be present. In addition, our partners, NWTC and FVTC Technical Colleges will provide information about postsecondary opportunities.

Village of Suamico Dance for Ages 3 – 15+

Registration is now open for this affordable program that runs from October 16, 2017 through March 16, 2018. We offer a variety of classes to fit the needs of your dancer. A final performance will be held on March 16 in the Bay View Middle School Auditorium. Cost is only \$140 whether you are a resident of Suamico or not. All classes will be held at the Idlewild Park Shelter located at 1500 Cotton Drive. For more information and to see a full schedule of classes, days, and times please log on to <http://www.suamico.org/Registration%20Form.%202017-2018.pdf>

Concert Volunteers Needed

Would you be willing to donate some time on your child's concert night to ensure they are a success? Mrs. Catalado and Mrs. Tomashek are looking for parents to help organize the kids prior to taking the stage; and also to set up the cookie social that follows each concert. For more information; please click on the link below.

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/508054eabad2fa5fa7-winter>

Did you order a Meadowbrook T Shirt?

The Read 20 and Bulldog Way T Shirt orders were placed last week; thank you for your patience as we await their arrival. We expect them by mid October; and will send an update on the day they go home with your child so you can check their backpacks.

Notes from Nurse Marcia

Our building nurse, Marcia Shefchik has a Nurse Marcia website. [Click here](#) to read general information and items of relevancy.

Head Lice are common among school age children across the country. Learn how to treat them; and more importantly how to prevent them by clicking [here](#).

Click [HERE](#) for information on an upcoming Flu Clinic for Brown County Residents.

National Railroad Museum's *Great Pumpkin Train* event coming up October 14th & 21st.

October 28, **Aurora Bay Care 9th Annual Spooky Sprint**;
Register online <https://www.aurorabaycare.com/spooky-sprint>
