



Howard-Suamico School District Meadowbrook ELEMENTARY

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"LEARNING AND GROWING TOGETHER"

September 22, 2017

2017/2018 Newsletters

2016-2017 Previous Newsletters

2015-2016 Archived Newsletters

September 22, 2017 [Print Newsletter](#)

Everything you need to know about Meadowbrook Elementary is found on our website: [Meadowbrook](http://www.meadowbrook.hssd.k12.wi.us/)

Food Service

Lunch and Breakfast Menu-Click here for the September 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 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

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Important Dates to Remember

September

- 22 September birthdays eat lunch with Mrs. Zimmer
Early Release - Students Dismissed at 1:25 pm
Follow a Tuesday Schedule
- 26 Picture Day
- 29 Bulldog Blast - Crazy Hair Day

October

- 2 Bulldog Bash (8:50 am) Wear your Bulldog Way Shirt
- 3 PSA Meeting at 6:30 pm in the library
3rd Grade teachers are presenting
- 4 Walk to School Day
- 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

In Search of Donated Raffle Prizes

All Meadowbrook staff members, parents and students are now able to honor a MB staff member any time during the school year by printing off the link below, filling it out, and turning it into the Meadowbrook Office.

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1NhD8kvrgrIR0keCf81NrQS16INb1hPkp4gL23ZxtlQ/edit>

All awards will be entered into a monthly raffle drawing where three lucky staff winners can win **This is where we need your help!** If you are an incredible

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

Please read the [September meeting minutes](#) to see all of the wonderful things the PSA has planned for your children this year!

Join us October 3rd for the next meeting; held in the Meadowbrook library at 6:30 pm.

Staff Roster for 2017-2018

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

Important Dates to Remember

Tuesday, September 26 - Picture Day

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)

Walk to School Day is coming up

Parents - mark your calendars - Walk to School Day is coming up on Wednesday, October 4th. More information will be shared in next week's newsletter.

***** can't wait. This is where we need your help! If you are an incredible crafter, woodworker or jewelry maker, we would be so lucky to raffle off some of your creations. If you have unused sporting or theater tickets, we would treasure them in our raffle. If you are a massage therapist, stylist, nail technician, or have any other specialty that you would be willing to share with our school for raffle items, we would be eternally grateful! Thank you for supporting our school and warming our staff's hearts! Please fill out the survey to share your interest in helping with the raffle!

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1umZ5ZVWVdbts2sbVJoEw3rL_tP3fGYBxphnGZrrkidg/edit

HSSD Board of Education Survey

We have been given the opportunity to better align the needs of the Howard-Suamico School District with community values as we work to address the District's financial challenges. To that end, the HSSD Board of Education is asking adult community members to participate in a survey to assist in future referendum planning efforts. Information gained from this survey will be used to evaluate options that meet the community's needs, are financially responsible, and move the school district forward. Visit www.HSSDSurvey.org

This survey will take an estimated 15 minutes to complete and can be accessed until October 1, 2017. A reminder postcard will also be mailed to all Howard and Suamico residents next week. We respect your time and value your participation. Your answers will be anonymous. You can also request a paper copy and a prepaid return envelope at any school office or by calling 920-662-7878.

Sincerely,

Howard-Suamico School District Board of Education

Mark Ashley, President

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Community Corner

To access handouts/flyers for area community events [click here](#). The HSSD Community Page includes a list highlighting community events for families in the villages of Howard, Suamico and Green Bay, i.e. scouting, festivals, parades, etc.

Girls youth basketball, grades 3 through 8, can now sign up for the Saturday clinic. Registration deadline is Sept. 28.

<http://bayporthssd.weebly.com/youth-athletic-programs.html>

[Bay Port DECA Tailgate Event Friday, September 29th](#)

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>

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

Meet more of our new crew

Sara Laughrin (pernounced Lock-rin)

I am the new School Counselor at Meadowbrook Elementary. I received a Bachelors degree in Psychology and Human Development at the University of Wisconsin Green Bay. I also had the opportunity to play collegiate softball for the Green Bay Phoenix as well as student-coach. I graduated from Lakeland College in December 2015 with a Master's in School Counseling.

I live in Sherwood, Wisconsin with my husband John and our fur babies King and Zola. I enjoy time with my family, golfing, running, playing softball and vacationing with friends. Originally from Egg Harbor in Door County so I'm very biased towards it being the most beautiful place in Wisconsin where I spend many weekends throughout the year!

I'm incredibly excited for the opportunity to pursue my passion for supporting young students, developing positive relationships, instilling confidence, and promoting social/emotional balance at Meadowbrook Elementary.

Julie Heim

Hi, my name is Julie Heim and I will be one of the Speech/Language Pathologists at Meadowbrook Elementary this school year. I graduated from Marquette University and have been a Speech/Language Pathologist for 24 years. I have worked in the Howard Suamico School District for 17 years. My children, Breanna, Eric, and Mathew, are Meadowbrook School alumni! I am very excited to have the opportunity to work with the families and staff at Meadowbrook. I can be reached at 662-5022 or by e-mail at

juliheim@hssd.k12.wi.us

Health Notes From Nurse Marcia

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

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