

Howard Elementary

Husky Tales



Howard-Suamico School District

The Howard Elementary Learning Community Mission is to Guide, Support and Challenge Life-Long Learners.

Let's Paws for News-

<http://www.howard.hssd.k12.wi.us>

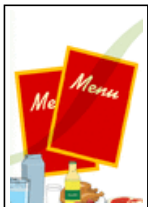
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PRINT NEWSLETTER
Pre-Excused Student Absence Form
Howard Husky Website
2017-18 At-A-Glance Calendar!!!!

EARLY RELEASE:
Friday, December 8th @ 1:25pm



Lunch & Breakfast MENU

Pay for lunch here!

Lunch/Recess Schedule

Parents are welcome to join us for lunch.

We ask that you please call prior to 9:00 the morning of, IF you will be having hot lunch.



HOWARD
HUSKY EVENTS:
NOVEMBER
DECEMBER



The Hearing Screening will occur on Thursday, December 7, 2017 at Howard Elementary. All 5K and 1st graders, any new students to the district, and any students requested by teachers or parents/guardians will be tested. If your child does not pass the initial hearing screening, a rescreen will be performed in four to six weeks to determine if there is a persistent hearing problem. If they still do not pass, a letter will be sent home indicating the importance of following up with a physician and/or audiologist. The screening is not a substitute for a regular examination by your physician but is meant to identify persistent hearing loss in children and bring it to the attention of parents/guardians and teachers.

PARENTS: Parental consent is not required for students to participate in the above screenings. However, if you **DO NOT** want your child screened for hearing and/or vision YOU MUST contact your child's school at least one week prior to the screening date to have your child removed from the screening list. It is the school's responsibility to inform health department staff of any students who should not be included in the screening(s).



Greetings Parents/Guardians,

The Elementary Counseling Team has been researching and exploring the importance of Mindfulness for our students. This is complimentary to the school districts Mindfulness strategic plan. Your child's classroom teacher has been given the option to present "Monday Mindful Moment" exercises in their class. Your child will be coming home with a hard copy introducing Mindfulness. It will be in the family folder. Please let me know if there are any questions.

Choose Mindfulness, Mrs. Zimmerman

[Announcing School-Wide Student Council Dress Up Day:](#)

Friday, December 8: Sports Dress Up Day



HOWARD HOLIDAY CONCERT COMING SOON!!

Mark your calendars for this year's Holiday Concert. This year's event is scheduled for **Wednesday, December 20th at the following times:**

9:30 (Last names A-L)

1:45 (Last names M-Z)



The suggested concert attendance above is, as always, to help us accommodate as many families as possible for the students. That being said, please feel free to attend whichever concert is most convenient to you. We just ask that you choose ONE concert time to attend.

FROM YOUR SCHOOL BOARD

Teamwork (noun) – the combined action of a group of people, especially when effective and efficient.

At the Howard Suamico School District, teamwork is demonstrated in many different ways. Our students participate in teamwork with athletics, music, theatre, and especially academics. Our students work together as a group, to learn, grow, and share. Teamwork is showing at Bay Harbor Elementary, where the students are preparing for the annual Fall Fest Fundraiser; Suamico Elementary is displaying teamwork at their Buddy Bench during recess; and Howard Elementary is showing their teamwork with Popcorn Fridays. Our Board of Education and administrators use teamwork to drive our mission forward. Currently, we are engaged with a Community Task Force, teaming community members with district administrators to better understand our district needs and opportunities. The goal of the Community Task Force is to make a recommendation for the Board of Education to consider. As we see every day in the Howard Suamico School District, with teamwork we can accomplish anything. If you have any questions for the Board of Education, please reach out to your team member, Teresa Ford.



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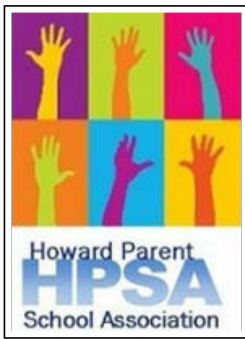


FACILITIES USE CALENDAR

Have you used or are you interested in using the school facility for a meeting, practice, or other community event? If so, the Howard-Suamico School District uses a web-based Use of Facilities Calendar. The calendar link is found at <http://fs-hssd.rschooldtoday.com/calendar/index/publicview/>

Events at various district facilities can be located by using the calendar.

If you are looking to request the use of one of the district's facilities, it's easy! Just click on the **Request Facilities** button from the calendar page and sign up. It's that simple. If you have questions, contact the school office at 662-9700. Requests for facility usage are subject to approval based on [administrative policy 7510](#).



NEWS FROM HPSA



HPSA is thrilled to announce it has customized Huskie apparel! Howard apparel is the perfect way to convey support, spirit and teamwork throughout the community.

The APPAREL SALE will be held during most school functions. Or contact Kari Trzinski at trzinskimom@gmail.com. Items are in stock and sized from youth small to adult XXL. Cash, checks and credit will be accepted.



******Email HowardHPSA@gmail.com with any questions you may have.**

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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 (scouting, festivals, parades, etc.)