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Winter SWIM Celebration Reminders

Help us celebrate our Winter Swim Celebration on Friday, January 27th. Details were in last week's family folder.

Reminders:

- Return student Swimming Consent Form by Thursday, January 19th.
- Don't forget your swim suit and towel on Friday, January 27th.



JANUARY MENU Pay for lunch here! Lunch/Recess Schedule

HOWARD HUSKY JANUARY EVENT CALENDAR



This Friday
Is Student Council
Inside Out Day



Conference scheduling request forms are in your family folder today. Please check your calendar then complete the conference scheduling request form and return it to school.



REMINDER:

If you plan on attending the Green Bay Gambler's Game to watch Mrs. Voight

"Dash for the Cash",

your ticket order form and money are due Jan. 19th.



Join "Coffee with the Superintendent" at 7am this Friday at Townline Restaurant



Mean Jean & Nice Brice

In January during Life Skills, Howard students will be learning about the Unthinkables and Thinkables and how they experience the Zones of Regulation. A skill to help students respect other people is by promoting turn taking during family game night. A tool to help students when they are angry is to take deep breaths or find a safe spot to calm down. Recess Queen by Alexis O'Neill is a great book that pairs well with these two characters!

To learn more, visit Mrs. Zimmerman's School Counseling Weebly:

http://howardschoolcounseling.weebly.com/



50 cents, limit one per student!

This Friday, January 13th, HPSA will be popping popcorn for students to enjoy at school.

Teachers will collect

money Friday morning. To purchase popcorn for your student please send exactly 50 cents to

buy their popcorn. No change will be given. Once again, stories were shared that parents sent in extra money to cover children who didn't bring money in, and we are very grateful for that. We witnessed a lot of children happily snacking on popcorn throughout the day that wouldn't have received any, if it were not for the generous hearts that sent in extra change. Thank you parents! Any additional money, that cannot be used for other students, will be donated to HPSA to help fund busing for our students field trips.

Save the Date! Our Spring Dance and Raffle will take place on Thursday, April 6th, 2017.

Email HowardHPSA@gmail.com with any questions you may have. Cassandra Hill - HPSA President



NOTE FROM THE SCHOOL NURSE:

The Brown County Health Department is holding an immunization clinic for all children, to coincide with the State's immunization checkpoint requirements

for schools. This will give families with children behind on immunizations another opportunity to receive needed vaccines in time to meet the State Deadlines and at no charge.

Please note: This clinic is available to <u>ALL</u> children ages 2 months through 18 years, <u>regardless</u> of insurance coverage. See flier for further details!

Save the Date!

We would like to invite you to our 9th Annual Taste of the Villages and Auction benefiting the Howard-Suamico School District Giving Tree Pantry! This year our event will be held on Thursday, April 20, 2017, from 6-9:00pm at 1951 West/Rock Garden in Green Bay. More information at this link Taste of the Villages Auction.

We are also ready for you to reserve your table and purchase tickets. Early Bird prices are: Table of 10 is \$450 and individual tickets are \$35 before April 1, 2017.

Reserve/purchase here:

http://howardsuamic470.corecommerce.com/The-Giving-Treeand-Auction Please consider joining us on April 20 so you can enjoy "A Taste of the Villages" while helping children in our community! Thank you for your consideration of this worthy cause. Please be sure to check our webpage at: The Giving Tree Taste of the Villages Auction. Kari Trzinski - HPSA Vice President/Treasurer

Tonya Liethen - HPSA Co-Secretary

Kelly Runke - HPSA Co-Secretary

Howard Parent School Association Like us on Facebook! (@HowardPSA)

Peruse our new HPSA Website for updates and information following
our monthly meetings:

http://howardpsa.weebly.com



This is a friendly reminder, despite our best effort and our contractors best efforts, <u>our lots may be icy</u>. PLEASE use extreme caution when you arrive – slow down, give yourself extra stopping distance. Once parked, use caution getting out of your vehicle and take small steps in route to the school entrance.

A few recommendations:

- Although your hands might be cold, don't put them in your pockets
 when you are navigating wintry stretches. If you slip, you will need
 your arms to restore balance. If you fall, your arms will help you to
 break your fall and land safely.
- Wear the proper footwear. Although it may not be glamorous to wear a pair of boots, it will give you traction, not to mention keep your feet warm
- If you think you are approaching a particularly slick area of snow or ice, don't be afraid to explore the area with your toe to see how slippery it is before you put your full weight on the area.
- Don't carry large loads while walking on snow or ice; if you do need
 to carry an item on an icy walk and you feel yourself falling, toss
 your item so that you can break your fall with your arms.
- Take small careful steps instead of large ones. When getting out of a vehicle, step please do so slowly. When possible, use handrails, handles - anything that will help you keep your balance. Never run.



On our way with 4K. Creative Curriculum makes learning fun. Learn more about The Howard & Suamico 4K program which prepares four-year-olds for school success at http://www.hssd.k12.wi.us/4k-program. 4K

Wednesday, February 1 and walk-in verifications on that day (starting at 8am-4pm) at the Howard - Suamico School District Office at 2706 Lineville Road. Children eligible for 4K must be four years of age on or before September 1, 2017 and you must complete the registration and verification process. Please contact Jennifer Trudell, 4K Coordinator to learn more about 4K at (920) 662-7941 ienntrud@hssd.k12.wi.us.



New Year-Round Update Process for Parents to Update Family Information Online

- 1. Parent/Guardian will log into the PowerSchool Parent Portal.
- 2. Once in the portal, choose the appropriate student (changes will need to be done for each child



listed in the account).

- 3. Select InfoSnap Year Round Update on the left side under navigation. (This will take a couple seconds to populate the information that is currently in PowerSchool.)
- 4. Once the student information is populated, the parent/guardian is free to change the appropriate information such as primary mailing name, contact #, address, mother/father/guardian information, and emergency contact information.



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.

Friday, January 13, 2017 -The Bay Port STINGCANCER club presents its 7th annual Coaches vs. Cancer carnival Friday, January 13, Bay Port commons/union from 5-7 p.m. for carnival games, bounce house, laser tag, mini golf, raffle, bake sale, cotton candy, petting zoo and more. The varsity basketball game at 7 p.m. when your Pirates take on the Preble Hornets. Event t-shirts will be available this week and come with a coupon for a free cotton candy or game of mini golf at the carnival. It also provides free admission to the Battle of the Bands competition that will take place after the game! Don't miss this affordable family fun night that also helps a great cause! Visit the website for more information: www.stingcancer.com/bayport.

<u>Saturday, January 14-7:30 PM Bay Port Hockey "Spirit Night" Bay Port Pirates vs. Neenah Ice Rockets</u> at Cornerstone Community Center. COME EARLY AND CHEER ON THE BAY PORT JV AT 5:30. Theme: COLD as ICE. Dress as ice, ice cubes, Frozen characters, anything cold as ice. BE CREATIVE!!

Judges will award 1st, 2nd and 3rd place prizes. We will be giving out a "SPIRIT AWARD prize" to BAY PORT'S BIGGEST FAN! STUDENTS & FANS JOIN YOUR FAVORITE BAY PORT PLAYERS AFTER THE GAME – SKATE WITH THE PIRATES. (FREE SKATE RENTAL)

Saturday, January 28 -Drama Workshop for Elementary kids, (Grades Kindergarten - 6th Grade) 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Bay Port, PAC. Every year Bay Port High School Drama club puts together a themed workshop. The theme this year is Mulan!

There is a discrepancy with one of the At-A-Glance calendar dates in the November District Newsletter that was mailed to families. The newsletter says we have parent/teacher conferences on Friday, Feb. 17 in the morning; however, there is No School or Parent/Teacher conferences!

Pirate Fastpitch Tournament Team Information Pirate Fastpitch Tournament Team Information is a non-profit organization providing youth athletes the opportunity to participate in competitive tournament team softball. The program is in addition to the summer HSYSA league. Please visit our website,

https://sites.google.com/site/piratefastpitch2014/home for more information regarding registration and our program.

Attached you will find the 2016-2017 HSSD Tutor List.

The link is an updated list and also on our district website. HSSD Website Link