

Eagles SOAR News

Appleton-Milan Elementary~January 2022

**Please note that this newsletter can also be found on our website!*

Thank you!

A huge thank you to everyone who supported our annual fundraiser. Even though this fundraiser was new, we had great success. Over \$2,500 was raised for our school. In addition, all teachers received gift cards to purchase items for their classrooms. Thank you!

Scholastic Book Fair

This year the book fair was 'back to normal' with families allowed to come into our school and purchase books and other items. Our community purchased over \$4,000 from the book fair which translates to \$1,500 in books for our school. WOW!

End of Second Quarter

Just a reminder that Jan. 20th is the end of the second quarter of school. There is no school on Friday, Jan. 21st.

Carpool Reminders

- morning drop-off: *please do not park*; simply drop off your child on the right side of the carpool lane so your child does not have to cross traffic- and has easy access to the sidewalk, then you can be on your way. This will help with the flow of traffic. The drop-off area is on the east side of the building.

- afternoon pick-up: thanks to everyone for following the new procedures. Please remember to plan accordingly if you need to pick your student up early.

Procedures

Dismissal Times are as follows:

- 3:00-3:05 pm: picker uppers
- 3:00-3:05 pm: walkers
- 3:05 pm: city busses
- 3:20-3:25 pm: all other busses

Friendly Reminders

Morning Arrival time. . .

- According to the handbook is 7:55 am
- Please do not drop off students prior to 7:55 am.
- If your student walks to school and arrives earlier than 7:55 am, they will need to wait outside or the entryway if the weather is inclement.

End of the school day pick up. . .

- Please do not take your child from the bus line. If you plan to pick your child up from school, contact the office and then wait in the parking lot.
- *Contact the school office **prior** to 2:00 pm if you are making transportation changes*

eLearning Day

Once again this school year, Lac qui Parle Valley School District will be implementing eLearning Days (formally known as Virtual

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Snow Days). In the event, the district is unable to hold school in person, we will move to an eLearning Day. (The district will still allow the first two snow days to be forgiven.) If a third snow day is accrued, teachers will utilize the eLearning Day format for the 3rd through 7th snow days and any other days that fall under this description if applicable. Teachers will provide eLearning Day materials for students at school in a hard copy format to be placed in their take home folders. Materials will also be available on the school website. Teachers will be available to students via email during regular school hours for questions. The day following an eLearning Day, students will bring their completed worksheets (with a parent /guardian signature) to school and turn them into their teachers for credit. Click [here](#) to read the district eLearning Plan.

Appleton Preschool 2: 320-297-1434
Appleton Preschool 3/4: 320-297-1403
Community Education: 320-752-4818
LqPV High School: 320-752-4800
Bus Garage: 320-289-1871



Winter Clothing

Remember that students go outside for recess until the temperature reaches -10 (windchill is factored into this temperature when applicable). Your student should come prepared accordingly with winter jackets, snow pants, boots, hats, mittens, scarves, etc. If you need any of these items, please contact the school office.

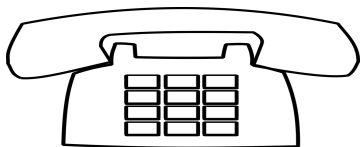
Box Tops

Appleton-Milan Elementary School still collects Box Tops for Education. There is a new and more efficient way to support our school~the Box Tops mobile app! Simply scan a receipt and earn ten cents for each participating product purchased. The money is sent directly to the user's school of choice. Download the app from the iTunes App Store and Google Play. You can still clip out and turn in Box Tops to our school. Either way, we appreciate your support!

January

Dates to Remember

Jan. 3 = School Resumes
Jan. 17 = No School/MRVED Day
Jan. 21 = No School/Faculty Workshop
Jan. 24 = Beginning of Quarter Three



Helpful Numbers

Appleton~Milan Elementary: 320-289-1114
Appleton Preschool 1: 320-297-1419

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