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# A Message from the Principal...

Hello Sailor Families,

Though the freezing temps have seemed to slow down the shipping industry, our school "Harbors" have been open for learning and for fun. The end of the second quarter is on Friday and report cards will be ready to view the week after. This is the "Mid Year" point and a great check to see

how students are progressing towards competency on the standards. This time of year is also FULL of assessments: Running Records (Reading), PALS (K-2), MAP testing, Report Card Assessing, etc. We need to continue to check in with each student so that we can adjust our teaching plan to ensure the most academic growth possible. There are three main parts to make a successful student/learner: Family, Student, School. When all three work together towards a common goal, GREAT THINGS HAPPEN! Let's continue to work TOGETHER to ensure that our students have the knowledge and skills to succeed in a changing world. On a side note, My wife and I are heading out to Aspen, CO. tonight as specials guests of Nick Baumgartner at the Winter X-Games. As you may recall, Nick came to our school last year and spoke to our kids about setting goals and never giving up. Nick represented the USA in the Olympics last year in addition to being a part of the thrilling X-games. Nick will be boarding at the X-games in Aspen, Colorado on Friday. The race will be televised on ESPN 3 from 12-3pm. The students at Bay Harbor have been "Nick" and snowboard crazy since his visit. I am excited to go out there, take some video and pics, and share with the students! Nick will be coming back to BH again to share his recent experiences with the kids.

Enjoy the rest of the week and the weekend!

Your partner in Education, Tony Ebeling, Principal







Click here to view the JANUARY Lunch and Breakfast Menu

**Click here** to view the 2014-2015 Recess and Lunch Schedule for each classroom

# **UPCOMING DATES OF IMPORTANCE**



NO SCHOOL THIS FRIDAY, JANUARY 23RD!

## JANUARY

22 - 2nd Quarter Ends, Student Council Meeting 7:45-8:30 am

23 - NO SCHOOL

**27** - Market Day Pick Up 5:05-6:05

**28** - School Spirit Day - "*Crazy Hair Day!*", Jump Rope For Heart (K & 1st grades - held during the school day)

**29** - Jump Rope for Heart (2nd-4th grades- held during the school day)

**30** - 1st grade to the Weidner Center 11:30-2:45, Report Cards Finalized

### FEBRUARY

2 - Follow Friday Schedule

3 - PTO Meeting 6:30

6 - Early Release 1:20 (follow Monday Schedule), School Store during lunch times, PTO

Father/Daughter Dance -6:00 -8:00 pm

9 - 4th Grade to the Giving Tree (8:50-11:30)

**11** - Bay Harbor Day! Wear your Bay Harbor Apparel or school colors!

**12** - Student Council Meeting 7:45-8:30 am Parent/teacher conferences 4:00-7:30, Book Fair 4:00-7:30

13 - Valentines Day Classroom Celebrations 2:20-

3:20, order forms for Gambler Game tickets due 17 - Parent/Teacher Conferences 4:00-7:30, Book

- Fair 4:00-7:30
- 19 Wear your READ t-shirt

## 20 - NO SCHOOL

- **24** Market Day Pick Up 5:05 6:05
- 25 School Spirit Day "Crazy Clothes Day!"
- 27 Luau Dance sponsored by the Student Council



#### Scenes from Last Year's Father/Daughter Dance **Father/Daughter Dance-**"A Night to Remember" -**Friday, February 6th - 6:00-8:00**

Bring your special little girl for a night where she can become a princess, have her first dance, share a yummy dessert and have a picture taken with you. The cost for this PTO event will be nominal. So mark your calendars, this one you won't want to miss! Look for the flyer in **TODAY'S Take Home Envelopes.** 



#### Spring Parent/Teacher Conferences -Confirmation Slips going home next week!

Look for confirmation slips next week in the Take Home Envelopes. You will

need to check over the date/time listed for your conference(s), and then sign and date and return them to the office.

# Jump Rope for Heart 2015 - NEXT WEEK!

Announcing the seventh annual Jump Rope for Heart



event at Bay Harbor Elementary School! Throughout the school day on Wednesday, January 28th students in kindergarten and first grade will participate in a specially designed event that allows even novice

jumpers to have fun. While on Thursday, January 23rd students in second, third and fourth grades will participate in an event created for their higher level of skill! All students who participate will have fun, improve fitness, develop jump rope skills and join the fight to eliminate heart disease and stroke!

Students/families who choose to participate and raise money for the American Heart Association need to complete a fundraising envelope that will be handed out two weeks before the event during physical education class. Students earn prizes based on the amount of money collected. Students are encouraged to call friends, neighbors or relatives to obtain sponsors. Donations will be accepted up until Friday, January 31st. Click here for more info.

### FUNDRAISING IS NOT REQUIRED FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE EVENT!

If you have any further questions or concerns....please contact: Mr. Vanden Hoogen- 662-8855



## 2014-2015 Howard-Suamico School District Calendar

Click here to view the At - A - Glance

### **Another Bay Harbor Apparel Sale**



School Calendar for 2014-2015

Click here to see next years (2015-2016) School Calendar



**Coming Again in February during Parent/Teacher Conferences.** Watch for more information/order form in an upcoming newsletter.



To welcome the New Year, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Grade students have spent the month of January learning about Diversity and Self-Esteem. Our main focus was learning the fact that we are all very different and thank goodness for that or life would be rather boring! J We spent time celebrating our unique differences and ways that we are special. Being different from each other also means we can learn a lot from other people's strengths and talents. As winter is really starting to settle in and there are also many assessments occurring, we discussed multiple ways to boost our own and other people's self-esteem. Students understand there will be many "wrinkles" in their self-esteem along life's journey, but that it is how you cope with those that count! Students were challenged with doing something nice for someone else to boost their own self-esteem. They LOVE talking about how they are special.... J

Becky Wright Bay Harbor Elementary School Counselor



# Interest Fair is Coming Soon -Thursday, March 19th...

Your child has the opportunity to take part in the 2015 Bay Harbor Interest Fair. Any student in kindergarten through fourth grade may enter. This type of fair allows

children to explore an interest they may have. More about the Interest Fair can be found on the Interest Fair website -

click here

• Click here to read a parent letter with more information about the fair.

## \*\*\*Reminder - The Entry forms are due by Friday, January 30th!

• Click here to print out the entry form.



### Green Bay Gamblers "School is Cool" Game!

Sunday, February 22nd. Your child can earn a free ticket to this game if they meet their January reading Goal. **Order forms for tickets are** 

due back on Friday, February 13th. Click here for more info!



Thank you to those who donated a box or more of Kleenex tissues for our health room. We really appreciate it!



## Lineville Intermediate School Music Choices

In March parents of 4th graders will be asked to choose a 5th grade music class. Course descriptions and registration information will be available on

March 11, and parents and students will learn about band, chorus, and orchestra classes at Lineville. A selection must be made and the registration completed within two weeks.

Parents who desire more information at this time are invited to visit the music class websites, which are linked to the Lineville home page: http://lineville.hssd.k12.wi.us

#### Background Check Reminder for Volunteering Dear Parents/Guardians,

If you plan to volunteer at school such as helping in the classroom, chaperoning on a field trip, or helping at a school event, etc., you



#### Aloha! Luau Dance Coming Soon - Save the Date! Friday, February 27th DJ and Dancing, Beverages, Snacks and Pizza! Click here for more info.



#### Only a few weeks left to make the Memories Last! You can order a DVD of the Holiday Concert until January 30th-

Click here to print off the DVD order form. The cost is \$10.00 each.

Please make checks payable to Bay Harbor Elementary. Thank you!



Golden Tray \* Golden Ball \* Golden Ticket

must have an approved background check on file with the district. This year, the last date to process any background checks will be March 27th. Please keep this in mind and complete the forms now if you think you may want to help out or volunteer! **Click here** for the link to the background check forms and **click here** to complete the online volunteer application. You must complete the volunteer application along with the background check forms to be approved. Please call Sally in the Bay Harbor office if you have any questions. Thank you

#### **Click here** for information about School Closings due to inclement weather



**Notes from the Nurse** - click here. This link has health information for parents, students and staff

HSSD Parent-Student on-line Handbook - Click here

#### District Newsletter - Click Here

## **Bay Harbor PTO**



Click here to follow the Bay Harbor PTO on Facebook

*Click here to see the winning Classrooms of last weeks Golden Awards!* 

#### **Community Events Calendar**

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 that is available for the iPhone, iPad, and Android devices in both the iTunes App Store and also on Google Play. The app can also be downloaded from our website at: www.hssd.k12.wi.us. The HSSD Community Page http://www.hssd.k12.wi.us/CommunityInformation Google Calendar highlights community events for families in the villages of Howard & Suamico i.e. The 46th Annual Howard & Suamico Christmas Parade; Festival of Lights, etc.

#### **HSSD Community Corner**

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