

Meadowlark
Elementary
School



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Grab your hat and read with the Cat!

KIDSBITS



March 2018

Dear Parents-

February has been a busy month here at Meadowlark. The month of February has been "I love to Read Month". We have celebrated reading all month with many activities. At the end of the quarter, students in each grade who have earned tickets by reading will be entered into a drawing for one of seven kindle-fires that were donated by the Chinook Masons. The 3rd quarter ends on March 16th, and parent teacher conferences are scheduled for March 26th and 27th. We look forward to this time to visit with you and share your child's accomplishments.

This past month Kindergartners had the opportunity to take a field trip to the post office. Third graders went on a virtual field trip to learn about wetland habitats. Fifth graders went on a virtual trip to Zion National Park. Second graders and Kindergartners went on a virtual field trip to an aquarium in California to learn about penguins. Third Graders made biomes this month that are on display at Meadowlark and will be displayed at First Bank starting March 19th.

Mr. Jon Martin, Principal

REMINDER: IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO JOIN YOUR CHILD FOR LUNCH, PLEASE LET YOUR CHILD KNOW TO ADD YOU TO THE LUNCH COUNT OR LET THE OFFICE KNOW TO ENSURE THERE IS ENOUGH FOOD.



Big thank you to the Chinook Town Pump and ExxonMobil!

As part of their Educational Alliance program, ExxonMobil and the Chinook Town Pump have again presented the Meadowlark with a \$500 grant, which will help fund Science Activities and purchases.



Bus Zone

Please remember that the bus zone in front of the school is not for parking or dropping off your child...This is ONLY for the buses TO LOAD AND UNLOAD children safely!!!! Also, please be aware of our handicapped zone and do not park there.

From Jana McPherson-Hauer

Chinook Public Schools has a communicable (contagious) disease policy that states those who exhibit signs of a communicable disease be excluded from school. This is a strategy to protect the health of other students and staff. It also provides an opportunity for the ill child to rest and get hydration and nutrition needed for recovery. When we take steps to prevent illness, we still may get sick, but the effects can be lessened.

The MBI team is currently implementing a student job program. Jobs available include office assistant, library assistant, lunchroom helper, recess helper, hall monitor, greeter, and flag attendant. All students are welcome to apply for a job. Job responsibilities will last for one week. We have seen a lot of interest already!!

Student of the Month!

Hasler-Elliot- Makenzie Miller	Weinheimer - Rian Molyneaux
Bell - Nevaeh Christensen	Gandenberger - Ashton Kokkeler
Barber - Susie King	Jones - Elisabeth McMaster
Metcalfe - Walter Schoen	Weinheimer - Mataya Inman
Fouts - Britt Powell	Scofield - Kirbey Hofeldt
Hinebauch - Addison Olsen	MacLeod - Kiera Hellman
Downs - Jenna Liddle	Rose - Britton Elliot

**Thank you very much...
for calling or e-mailing
if your child will be
late or absent.**

**Call Melissa at 357-2033 or email
evansm@chinookschools.org**

The more that you read,
the more things you will know.
The more that you learn,
the more places you'll go.

-- Dr. Seuss



Good Job Spelling Bee
participants!

Chinook Parent-Teacher Organization

The Box Top counts for January/February are in:

Grade	Teacher	Total
Kindergarten	Hasler-Elliot	107
	Weinheimer	226
First Grade	Bell	99
	Gandenberger	531
Second Grade	Barber	142
	Jones	91
Third Grade	Weinheimer	107
	Metcalfe	227
Fourth Grade	Fouts	452
	Scofield	546
Fifth Grade	MacLeod	191
	Hinebauch	103
Sixth Grade	Downs	136



Total -2958 This is \$295.80 so far this year! Mrs. Scofield's class is in the lead with Mrs. Gandenberger's class in a close 2nd.... Good Job!!! We were double this last year, so lets get collecting!!!

What's for Lunch?

March

- 1 Beef Barley Soup and Pretzels w/Cheese
- 2 Sweet & Sour Chicken w/Brown Rice
- 5 Chef Salad w/a Roll
- 6 Chicken and Potato Smiles
- 7 Cheese Ravioli
- 8 Tomato Soup w/ Grilled Cheese Sandwich
- 9 Oven Baked Fish w/Jo Jo Potatoes
- 12 Lil Smokies w/Mac & Cheese
- 13 Pizza Rippers
- 14 Ham & Bean Soup w/Ham Sandwich
- 15 Country Fried Beef Steak w/Mashed Potatoes
- 16 Cheddar Worst on a Bun w/Baked Beans
- 19 Traveling Taco
- 20 BBQ Pork Dippers w/Hashbrown Patty
- 21 Orange Chicken w/Brown Rice
- 22 Cheesy Potato Soup w/Tuna Sandwich
- 23 Popcorn Shrimp w/Tator Tots
- 26 Hamburger and French Fries
- 27 Chicken Fajita Refried Beans w/Churro
- 28 Spaghetti Soup w/Roll
- 29 Hot Ham & Cheese w/Jo Jo Potatoes
- 30 No School

And will you succeed?

Yes!! You will, indeed!

(98 and 3/4 percent guaranteed.)

KID! YOU'LL MOVE MOUNTAINS!

---DR. SEUSS



March Calendar



Friday, March 2

National Read Across America Day (Dr. Seuss Day)

Sunday, March 11

Daylight Savings Time begins; "Spring" forward 1 hour

Wednesday, March 14

Life Touch Pictures (preschool at 8:00, High School in the afternoon)

Friday, March 16

End of third quarter

Monday, March 19

Time slips for parent-teacher conferences go home with students

Call Your child's teacher at 357-2033 if you need to reschedule

Monday, March 26

Parent-Teacher Conferences and Book Fair from 3:30-7 pm

Tuesday, March 27

Parent-Teacher Conferences and Book Fair from 3:30-7 pm

Friday, March 30

No School

