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Safe Arrival Line 425.408.4410

## **Parent Teacher Conferences**

November  $16^{th} - 22^{nd}$ 

Early Dismissal 12:20

#### **Trait for November: Gratefulness**

Definition: Gratefulness – warmly or deeply appreciative of kindness or benefits received; thankful.

Research has shown that people who experience gratitude have increased feelings of connectedness and improved relationships. Genuine and consistent gratitude can lead to fewer negative emotions, greater overall health, and improved academic achievement.

Ask your student what they have learned about gratefulness this month!

Our staff is so grateful for the amazing support you provide us, and the delightful children you send to us each day!



## **Learning Assistance Program**

Mrs. Vogt, our East Ridge LAP paraeducator, will be supporting some kindergarten students this year. The Learning Assistance Program (LAP) is a state-funded program established by the Washington State Legislature in 1979. LAP services are part of the options available to accelerate student growth in reading readiness skills and to improve reading literacy. The purpose of LAP is to provide supplemental academic support if your student is performing below grade level, and operates in addition to your child's regular classroom reading instruction.

If you have questions about your child's participation in the LAP program, please contact Sarah White, principal, or Brenda Vogt, LAP paraeducator.

Phone: (425) 408-4434 Email: bvogt@nsd.org

# November & December

### 11/15 Early Release Wednesday, 2:10 pm

PTA Book for Lunch, 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade
Math Team, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, Room 33, 2:15-3:45 pm
PTA Visual Arts, Grades 1-5, Rm 14, 2:15-3:45 pm
PTA Little Coders Class, Room 13, 2:15-3:15 pm
PTA Sports Spectacular, K-2<sup>nd</sup>, Gym, 2:15-3:15 pm
PTA Book Fair, Library, 8:45 – 6:00 pm

11/16 Parent Teacher Conferences – 12:20 Dismissal
PTA Book Fair, Library, 8:45 – 9:00 pm – note later hours!

11/17 Parent Teacher Conferences – 12:20 Dismissal PTA Book Fair, Library, 8:45 – 6:00 pm

11/20 Parent Teacher Conferences – 12:20 Dismissal PTA Book Fair, Library, 8:45 – 6:00 pm

11/21 Parent Teacher Conferences – 12:20 Dismissal

11/22 Parent Teacher Conferences – 12:20 Dismissal

## 11/23-24 No School – Thanksgiving Break

11/27 PTA Book for Lunch, 4<sup>th</sup> Grade

11/28 4 & 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Lunch Recess Choir

11/29 Early Release Wednesday, 2:10 pm PTA Book for Lunch, 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade

Math Team, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, Room 33, 2:15-3:45 pm

11/30 PTA Book for Lunch, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade PTA Language Class, 3:45-4:50 pm

12/1 Science to Go, 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade

12/4 & 5 Cedar & Salmon, 4th Grade

12/5 Potlatch – Cedar & Salmon, doors close at 7:00 pm

12/5 PTA Board Meeting, 9:10 am 4 & 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Lunch Recess Choir

12/6 Early Release Wednesday, 2:10 pm

Science to Go, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Grades Math Team, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, Room 33, 2:15-3:45 pm Earth Club Work Party, 2:15-4:30 pm

\*PTA Play Schedule Listed in PTA Section\*

#### **24 Hour Attendance Line**

Please call if your child will be absent or tardy.

425.408.4410

## **Holiday Travel Plans**

If your family will be extending vacation plans beyond the district designated days, please complete a **Pre-Approved Absence Request Form** prior to your student's absence. If you are picking your child up early, please let your teacher know with a note. Absences not reported will be unexcused.

**24 Hour Attendance Line: 425.408.4410** 

# Saddle Up Partner & Save the Dates!

Let's roundup some great new books for a Rootin'-Tootin' good time! The ERPTA book fair will be held November 15<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup>. Stop by and check out the amazing assortment of books!

There will be a wish list of books by teacher for families to purchase and donate to the classrooms. Dates and times are listed below:

11/15 8:45 – 6:00 pm 11/16 8:45 – 9:00 pm – \*note the evening hours!

11/17 & 20 8:45 - 6:00 pm



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## **PTA Play**

11/29 Casting call for registered cast, 4th & 5th Grades, 2:15-4:15 pm, Gym

11/30 Casting call for registered cast, 1st-3rd Grades, 3:40-5:15 pm, Gym

12/8 Mandatory Cast, Stage Crew, Overcast and Parent Info Meeting, 3:40-5:15 pm, Gym













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