

January 6, 2023



LETTER FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Families,

Despite all the rain, it was so great to be back at school and see all of the students.

I hope you had a wonderful break. Please remember to take the Youth Truth survey this week.

Students in grades 3-6 will be taking it at school. This data helps us plan the best ways to serve our students.

Warm regards,

Patrick Eagle

YOUTH TRUTH SURVEY

This week students and staff will be taking the survey. We are also hoping that families will take the survey as well. Messages have gone out to all district families recently, but in case you have misplaced the link you can [click here](#) for it. Thank you in advance for your participation. Your information will be used to benefit students.

RULES ROUND UP

Today 6th grade volunteers hosted the Rules Round Up. They reviewed rules with all 1st - 6th grade students about our rules and guidelines. Special thanks to Mr. Menth for organizing the students and helping them practice.

SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS NEEDED

Now is a great time to become a substitute teacher. Pay rate is higher than it has ever been. In addition to helping kids and helping the school, you can get a first hand view of what is happening here. It also gives you a great deal of flexibility as you only work the days you want to. Please [click here](#) for more information on how to become a substitute teacher.

A 'NOTE' FROM THE MUSIC TEACHER

As we move into our fourth month of music classes, some students may begin experiencing the winter doldrums--beginning to lose interest or feeling too tired to practice their instrument. These are normal feelings but it's important for students to, as Taylor Swift suggests, "shake it off." To help with this, next week students will receive a BINGO chart with different, sometimes unusual practice suggestions with an emphasis on playing for others. This will also help them prepare for our concert in February! For each "bingo," up to 5 total, students may earn a small prize. If a student fills in the whole chart, a "blackout," they will be entered in a drawing for a larger prize! **Save the date! All music students in the 4th, 5th, and 6th grades will perform at our annual District Winter**

Concert on the evening of Thursday, February 23. Details about the concert will be shared in late January or early February.

UPCOMING DATES

1/16/23 - Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday - Holiday

1/19/23 - TK/Kindergarten parent information night

2/13/23 - Lincoln's Birthday - Holiday

2/20/23 - Presidents Day - Holiday

3/20-3/24 - Spring Break

3/31/23 - Talent Show auditions 3:00

4/27/23 - Talent Show rehearsal 6:30

4/28/23 - Talent Show Performance 6:30

Some photos from the 6th graders launching their hot air balloons.



Students participating in Rules Round up

