



**Prescott Memorial School**  
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## 9/20/24 NEWSLETTER

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**\*Ready & Safe\***

### Dates to Remember

- Sept. 23 - 5-6 p.m. Gr. 4-6 Band Information Night
- Sept. 26 - 5:30 Parent/Teacher Group Meeting in the school library - **NEW MEMBERS WELCOME!**
- Oct. 9 - Open House/Fall Festival & Book Fair - watch for more details
- Oct. 11 - NO SCHOOL - Workshop Day
- Oct. 14 - NO SCHOOL - Indigenous People's Day
- Oct. 21 - School Pictures by Strawbridge
- Oct. 23 - EARLY RELEASE-students dismissed at **1:15**

### DONATIONS for Open House/Fall Festival

We are trying to gather apples, for making cider, and small pumpkins to decorate during our Fall Festival on October 9th. If you have either and are willing to donate them, please call the office so we will know what is coming in. Thank you!

### PARENT/TEACHER GROUP

It is that time of the year again - fall weather and school starting. It is also time for our parent teacher group to get together and start planning out our fall and Christmas events. We will have a meeting on Thursday, September 26 at 5:30 in the Prescott Memorial School library. Finalizing the Fall Festival and planning for trunk or treat will be on the agenda. Our membership is low and we would like to build it back up with new members and new ideas. Please join us.

### HOT LUNCH MENU

- All breakfasts include Milk, Fruit or Juice**  
**All lunches include Vegetable, Fruit & Milk**  
**B - Breakfast ~ L - Lunch**
- Mon. - **B** -WG Bacon Breakfast Pizza or WG Granola Bar  
 - **L** -PBJ Pocket w/Cheese Stick or Turkey & Cheese Sandwich
  - Tues. - **B** -Yogurt Cup or WG Blueberry Muffin  
 - **L** -Seasoned Burger & Cheese Sauce over WG Tortilla Chips or Turkey & Cheese Sandwich
  - Wed. - **B** -WG Apple Frudel or WG Banana CC Benefit Bar  
 - **L** - **Choice A** Cheese or **Choice B** Bacon Pizza or Turkey & Cheese Sandwich
  - Thur. - **B** -WG Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Bar or WG Strawberry Pop-tart  
 - **L** -BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich or Turkey & Cheese Sandwich
  - Fri. - **B** -Ms. Dawn's Choice or WG Assorted Cereal  
 - **L** - Chicken Bacon Ranch Wrap or Turkey & Cheese Sandwich

Menu subject to change - milk available  
 Student Breakfasts and Lunches are Free  
 Adult Hot Lunch - \$5.50

**It is extremely important to fill out the free and reduced lunch application. We would like everyone to fill it out, even if you believe that you do not qualify. At least put your child's name on it, so that we know everyone received the application.**

### Annual Online Update

Parents must complete the On-Line Annual Update. Thank you to all of the families who have completed their updates! If you haven't completed your annual update, please go to the district website, click on Parents & Students and select Student Registration from the drop down menu, where you will see [Parent Portal](#)-Complete your annual update here! Click on the Parent Portal and complete. If you can't remember your user name and password, please call Mrs. Ledger in the office @845-2424 or email [mary\\_ledger@rsu40.org](mailto:mary_ledger@rsu40.org) to get your user name and your password reset. We want to be sure all emergency information is up to date. Thank you.

### Band Parent Information Night

Band Parent Information Night will be on Monday, 23rd September at 5:00pm in the Prescott School Music Room.

Band is open to any 4th, 5th, or 6th Grade student who would like to participate. The band instruments include the flute, clarinet, alto saxophone, trumpet, trombone, and percussion.

David French Music, the rent-to-own company that has been servicing our schools for quite a few years, offer quality instruments at reasonable prices and terms.

If you would prefer not to rent an instrument but your student would still like to be in band, please let me know and I will find an instrument. It might not be your student's first choice, but I'll do my best.

If you are not able to be at the meeting on Monday but your student would still like to participate, please let me know and feel free to contact me on ParentSquare with any questions you have.

I'm looking forward to a fun year of beginning band, and the gloriously awful sounds we'll make on the road to becoming fine musicians.

Sincerely,

Mark Phillips  
 Music Teacher at Prescott Memorial School