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**1/10/25 NEWSLETTER**



**\*Respectful\***

**\*Responsible\***

**\*Ready & Safe\***

### Dates to Remember

Jan. 14 - 3:05 - 4:15 Gr. 2-3 Chickadees at Gibbs Library  
Jan. 15 - EARLY RELEASE DAY - Dismissal at 1:15  
Jan. 16 - 3:05 - 4:15 Gr. K-1 Chickadees at Gibbs Library  
Jan. 16 - 5:30 Parent Teacher Group Meeting  
Jan. 20 - MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY - NO SCHOOL  
Jan. 22 - 8:45 - 12:15 Gr. 4 Learn to Ski Program

### CHICKADEE READING PROGRAM



returns to the Gibbs Library  
Grades 2-3 on Tuesdays  
3:05 - 4:15 ~ pick up at Gibbs Library  
Grades K-1 on Thursdays  
3:15 - 4:15 ~ pick up at Gibbs Library  
Watch for weekly permission slips

### HOT LUNCH MENU

**All breakfasts include Milk, Fruit or Juice**  
**All lunches include Vegetable, Fruit & Milk**  
**\*Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich Available Everyday**  
**B - Breakfast ~ L - Lunch**

Mon. - **B**-WG Egg, Cheese & Ham Combo Bar or WG Banana Muffin  
- **L** -Home-made Mac 'n Cheese or Ham & Cheese Sandwich  
Tues. - **B** -WG Cinnamon Bun or WG Asst. Benefit Bar  
- **L** -WG Chicken Nuggets or Ham & Cheese Sandwich  
Wed. - **B**-WG Egg & Cheese Croissant or WG S'more Granola Bar  
- **L** - **Choice A** Cheese or **Choice B** Hawaiian Pizza or Ham & Cheese Sandwich  
Thurs. - **B** -WG Mini Pancakes or Yogurt Cup w/WG Crackers  
- **L** -BBQ Pulled Pork on Bun or Ham & Cheese Sandwich  
Fri. - **B** - Ms. Dawn's Choice or WG Asst. Cereal  
- **L** -Grilled Cheese Sandwich w/Tomato Soup or Ham & Cheese Sandwich

Menu subject to change - **cold lunch milk now 50¢**  
Student Breakfasts and Lunches are Free  
Adult Hot Lunch - \$5.50

### POSITIVE BEHAVIOR AT PRESCOTT MEMORIAL SCHOOL

At Prescott Memorial School, we focus on a different habit each month as part of our positive behavior program. This month, our habit is: **Think Win-Win**. This Week's focus: **I am a PROBLEM SOLVER. When a Problem Comes Up, I Help Think of a Way to Solve it.**

Students who earn a Panda High Five also receive 5 panda points and a feature in our newsletter to celebrate their hard work for the week.

We encourage our students to practice these habits both at school and at home, providing a wonderful opportunity for families to connect and reinforce these values together.

This week's Panda High Five recipients are:



Lillie ~ Jacklyn ~ Riley ~ Miah ~ Savannah ~ Kaley ~ Tristen

**THINK WIN-WIN**  
EVERYONE CAN WIN

**I am a PROBLEM SOLVER. When a Problem Comes Up, I Help Think of a Way to Solve it.**

**I Do NICE Things to Make My Friends Feel Happy and Special.**

**I Think About What Other People Want and Not Just What I Want.**

**I am KIND to Others and Try to Think of Ways to Help Everyone to be Happy.**



Get Poppin' for Prescott!!

We're excited to announce the start of our school's popcorn fundraiser which will be led by our PALS members.

Every Friday, beginning on January 10th until the end of the school year, students will have an opportunity to purchase a bag of freshly popped popcorn as an afternoon snack. All proceeds will directly benefit Prescott Memorial School by funding class activities, PBIS celebrations and more! Bags of popcorn will be sold for \$1.00. Students can sign up on Friday mornings with their teacher, if they'll be purchasing a bag of popcorn.

Help support our school and enjoy a tasty treat!

### **MEDOMAK MIDDLE SCHOOL WRESTLING**

MMS Wrestling for RSU 40 boys & girls Grades 5-8 begins on Jan 22. Please sign up in the MMS main office this week or email Mr. Lash if you plan to wrestle. Reminder that each athlete needs a sports physical before the first practice. The three required forms are the Sports Participation Form, Concussion Information Sheet and the Acknowledgement and Consent Form. Those forms can be found in the MMS main office or on the Athletics page at [www.rsu40.org](http://www.rsu40.org). Click on "Programs" and then "Athletics". FMI, please contact Matt Lash at [matthew\\_lash@rsu40.org](mailto:matthew_lash@rsu40.org) or Coach Steven Genthner at [Stevegenthner6@gmail.com](mailto:Stevegenthner6@gmail.com). Practices will be 6-7:30.

### **FROM THE FOOD SERVICE DIRECTOR**

Milk for students who bring a meal from home is no longer free. Unfortunately, we used up our grant money that was being used for this purpose. The cost is now .50 per milk and it is considered an a-la-carte item. We cannot allow students to charge a-la-carte items. So, please, add money to your child's account if they plan to purchase milk to go with their meal from home.

Milk still comes with all breakfast and lunches provided by the school (ticket meals). Meals from school are at no cost.

If you want to add money to your child's account and keep track of your child's meal transactions and balance, you can sign up for Myschoolbucks. It is a program through Heartland School Solutions. The program is free and viewing transactions and balances are free, but they do charge a fee to add money to your child's account. To sign up, go to Myschoolbucks.org

You can also send money into your child's school and it will be added to their accounts. Please put the money in a sealed envelope. Add your child's name and kitchen or food service on the outside of the envelope. This will help us make sure it goes to the right child's meal account.

Thanks,

Storm Hendrickson  
Food Service Director

### **WASHINGTON FOOD PANTRY**

Dates Food Pantry will be open:

Wed., February 5th

Wed., March 5th

Wed., April 2nd

Wed., May 7th

Wed., June 4th

8 am to 10 am & 4:30 pm to 6 pm