

Roosevelt Elementary

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October 2018

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	2	3	4	5
8	9 Fall picture Day 	10	11 Conferences 3:30-7:30	12
15	16 Conferences 3:30-8	17 Conferences 7:30-12 No school (K-8)	18 No school	19 No school
22	23 5-7 pm Family Literacy Night	24	25	26
29	30	31	1 Todd Green Performance @ WEAC 7-9 pm	

*Join us on October 23rd for Family Literacy Night
from 5-7pm. Dinner will be provided.*



Principal Corner

Greetings Roosevelt Families!

We've had a great start to the school year. We have two events coming up we hope you attend, conferences and Family Literacy Night (Oct. 23rd) We hope you will all attend conferences, it really is important for you to come and hear how your child has been doing. There are things to celebrate and things we need your support on, whether that be helping to get homework done, checking the planner or support behavior, we cannot do it well without your partnership.

Planners, backpacks and homework support

As we work at school to teach your child, your support at home is critical to your child's success. Every child at Roosevelt and Lakeland has a planner to write down assignments so PLEASE check your child's backpack and planner. Your child may come home and say, "...no I do not have homework I did it in school..." but please make it a routine to look for yourself. Check their planners and folders as you may find work needing to be completed, messages to you from the teacher or your child's work that has been completed that may need to find a spot on the refrigerator as they are proud of the work they bring home. The planner is also a wonderful communication tool. Send your child's teacher a note in it and we'll be sure to write back.

Please know we are here at school and open to meeting with you or answering your calls. Working with you in a partnership is something we value. It is through a partnership that we do the best for your children and our students so please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you.

Lori Lockhart, Roosevelt Principal





Pre K:

The first few weeks of preschool have been going great! We have been having fun outside on the new playground just for preschoolers, learning the routine of a school day and meeting new friends in our classes. We will be starting a study on Trees in October!

Kindergarten:

The first month is behind us and we have really enjoyed building relationships and learning new routines. In reading, we will practice asking and answering questions about a story. We will also be working on identifying letter names and sounds. In math, we will be counting, identifying numbers, representing numbers, and creating and solving number stories. Be sure to ask your child about his or her day!

1st Grade:

In first grade this month for reading we will ask and answer questions about key details in text and describe characters, settings, and events in stories. For writing we will write narratives. For math we will continue working on composing and decomposing numbers and addition and subtraction. Look for books to go home as reading homework after conferences.





2nd Grade:

2nd Grade has been hard at work learning about our rules and routines at school and getting to know our new friends! We are excited about a great year! A few academic highlights:

In math we are moving onto the second module of our new Eureka Math curriculum - measurement! We will discuss units of measurement, use measurement tools, estimate measurement, and practice our addition and subtraction facts by measuring.

For reading we are focusing on asking and answering questions in fiction stories. We are using the questioning words to discuss story elements such as characters, setting, problem, and solution. Please continue to read with your 2nd grader at night and mark on their 20/20 reading calendars!

We have enjoyed working on our science and social studies lessons over the last few weeks! This month in science we will be learning about states of matter and discussing historical artifacts and the Native American tribes indigenous to Minnesota in social studies.

As always we appreciate your partnership and are looking forward to visiting with you more at conferences!

3rd Grade:

Our year is off to a great start! With conferences coming up, we are so excited to meet with all our families! It is important to us that we work together for your child to be as successful as possible at school. In math we are wrapping up multiplication and division and moving on to addition and subtraction, rounding and place value. In reading we are working on determining theme in the stories we read. We are looking forward to a great month with lots of learning!



4th Grade:

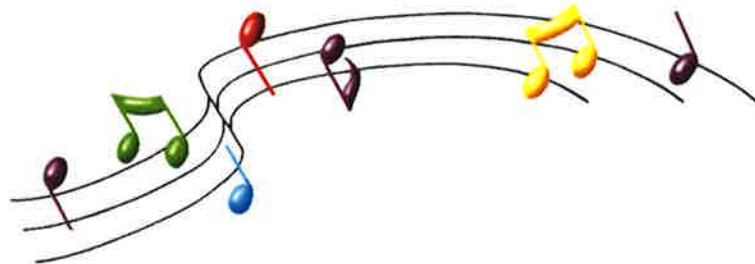
Fourth grade is off to a great start! We have been busy learning about place value in our new math curriculum. Starting in October our students will be learning about unit conversions and problem solving. In reading we have been working hard with main idea and details while reading our texts. Our students are doing a wonderful job learning the routines and expectations here at school!

5th Grade:

Hello from 5th grade! Our year has started out fast! We have hit our groove with independent reading time and the students are enjoying choosing books from our new book carts and are excited to visit the new library soon. Spelling, Vocabulary and Comprehension have gotten off to a great start as we have been looking at Point of View and reading stories about immigration. Math has started off by diving into our understanding of Decimal Place Value.

Looking forward to October we will be working on Character Development and Story Development during Comprehension. Students will continue to explore the world of Multiplication strategies in Math. Finally, 5th grade will be getting to go on a field trip to Sibley State Park!





Music:

We're off to a busy start in the music room! Grades three through five have busy reviewing note value, treble clef note letter names, and basic musical terms as well as learning new songs to reinforce those concepts. Kindergarten through second grade has been working on steady beat, rhythm and pleasant use of our singing voice. This year each grade level will have the opportunity to perform for family and friends. Grades 2,3,4 and 5 will be performing in SONGFESTS in the spring. Grades Kinder and 1 will be having INFORMANCES, for parents only, with dates to be determined.

Below are the SONGFEST dates and times:

Friday, March 22nd at 2:00 pm for Grades 2 and 3
Friday, April 12th at 2:00 pm for Grades 3 and 4



EL:

As a parent, there are many ways to help your child succeed in school! Helping your child get to school on time, get a good night's sleep, and looking for help if your child is having a hard time are all important steps that will make a difference each day.

<http://www.colorincolorado.org/school-success>

Media:

Welcome to October! Our theme for the Media Center is "CAMP OUT"! We will be highlighting books about the outdoors, animals and adventures! Who know's what fun places we'll get to go?

Please make sure to have your student swing by to pick up their monthly reading challenge sheet! We love inspiring your students to find great books!

During the month of September, classrooms have been working on building reading stamina. Stamina is how long a child can actively read independently while staying engaged in a text. Each classroom has a daily goal of 30 minutes.

Reading stamina is something that parents can help their children develop. Here's how you can help:

Vary the way the reading is done. Parents can have their child read to himself, read to someone, and listen to reading.

Choose "just right" books. This means your child should be able to sound out almost every word in the book correctly. Avoid using books that are too difficult to read alone.

Set reasonable goals. When starting out, limit book time to just a few minutes and work up from there. Add a few minutes to your reading time every week or so.

Celebrate progress and the time that is spent reading!



PTSA:

Get your box tops ready! Box tops classroom competition Oct 1st-Oct 5th. Turn your box tops into your child's teacher. The winning classrooms with the most box tops in each grade will win cookies and milk!

Cherrydale Fundraiser product distribution will be Mon, Oct 22nd after school in the gym.

Fall teacher conference meal is October 11th. We will be asking for donations of bread, desserts and vegetables to compliment the meal. Schoolastic book fair is scheduled for October 11th, 16th and 17th during conferences in the media room.

Fall festival is Friday, October 26th during school hours for grades Pre-K-2nd grade.

Our next PTSA meeting is scheduled for Thursday, October 4th at 6:30pm in the Roosevelt cafeteria. We hope to see you there!

If you are interesting in volunteering please contact the PTSA via email willmarrooseveltPTSA@gmail.com

August 2018

Dear Educator,

At Coborn's, we have a strong tradition of community caring, service, and support. We emphasize the importance of being involved and giving back. Each year, our company donates more than \$3 million and thousands of volunteer hours to our local communities.

Investing in youth is one of our top priorities, so we are excited to announce our MORE School Rewards program is returning for the 2018-2019 school year.

Since you participated in MORE School Rewards last year, your school is already enrolled and ready for your supporters to designate you as their preferred school. Supporters who designated your school for the 2017-2018 school year will carry forward; they will not need to reselect their designation unless they choose to change it.

Remember, MORE School Rewards is simple and easy as 1-2-3:

1. Your supporters designate their preferred school by logging into moreRewards.com or the MORE Rewards mobile app.
2. Those supporters shop Coborn's, Cash Wise, and Marketplace Foods stores for our store brands (Food Club, Full Circle, Top Care, @ease, Paws, Tippy Toes and more) to earn points for your school. There are more than 3,000 qualifying items!
3. Coborn's, Inc. is committed to donating \$150,000 to the program during the 2018-2019 school year (September 1, 2018 through May 31, 2019). The points your school earns will help grow your share of the \$150,000 total. It's like a pie - the size of your school's slice will depend on how many points you have received. Reward checks will be issued by June 30, 2019. Our top rewards earners will receive their checks in a special event in September 2019.

The entire program is paperless and your School Rewards funds can be used for whatever your school or organization needs!

To make the program more efficient for you, you'll find a MORE School Rewards promotional kit available at moreRewards.com/school. There you'll find helpful forms, a parent letter, posters and other program details.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the MORE Rewards helpline at moreRewards@cobornsincc.com or 1-844-700-MORE (6673).

Sincerely,

Dennis Host
Vice President of Marketing, Coborn's Inc.

OUR PROUD FAMILY OF STORES:



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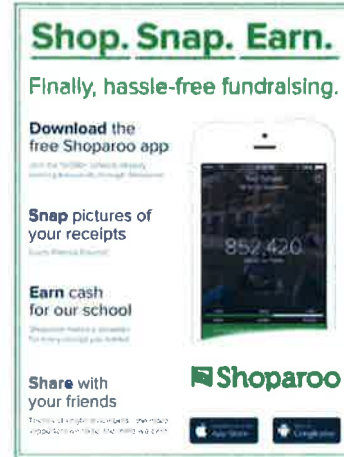
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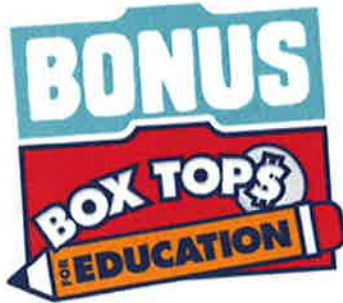
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OCTOBER NEWS AND EVENTS!!!!!!

MEETINGS

Roosevelt's Parent Teacher Student Association (PTSA) has many fun events planned during the school year for our Roosevelt students & families. **PLEASE NOTE** : This month's meeting will be held on October 4th at 6:30pm. due to Parent=Teacher Conferences on Oct.11. Follow us on our Facebook page: Roosevelt Elementary PTSA Willmar, MN. for the latest information and updates. We are always looking for fresh, new members and ideas so we look forward to seeing you at our next meeting!

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VOLUNTEERS

Send us an email TODAY at:

willmarroosevelpts@gmail.com

We will add you to our NEW volunteer list for this school year. Mention your cell number to receive text reminders via the Remind App before all of our events.

UPCOMING DATES

October 1-5:

Box Top Contest

Oct.11,16,17 (conferences):

Fall Book Fair

Oct. 26 (school day):

PreK-2nd Fall Festival

Nov. 16:

Turkey Bingo

January 11:

Movie Night

March 1:

Bingo for Books

Fundraiser:

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product distribution will be Monday, Oct 22nd after school in the gym.

Teacher Fall Conference Meal - Oct. 11

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