December 2019/January 2020

Dear Huron Families,

It is always so magical this time of year. The lights, the decorations, the snow! Children are mesmerized by it all. I am lucky enough to get to experience the excitement children have this time of year not only at school but also at home with my own little ones. Their excitement is contagious. The staff at Huron is so thankful to work with your children each day. We wish you a wonderful holiday season filled with great memories.

You can certainly feel the chill in the air. Children will continue to wait outside in the morning and go out for recess during the day unless the temperature is 20 degrees or colder with the wind chill. Please have children dress accordingly with heavy coats, hats and gloves.

Our wonderful PTO has several events happening this month. The week of December 9th they will be sponsoring Santa Shoppe. Students will have an opportunity to come and buy gifts. Additionally, on December 13th they are sponsoring Pancakes with Santa night. Please see the flyers that were sent home for both events.

December is a busy month with many events happening. Please read through this newsletter to make note of important dates and information. Holiday parties will take place on Thursday, December 19th at 2:45 PM. Friday, December 20th is an 11:55 AM dismissal. On this day we will be having a school wide pajama day and sing along for staff and students.

Happy Holidays!

Mrs. Kelly Shock
Principal
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CHRISTMAS PARTIES
The annual classroom parties will be held on Thursday, December 19, 2019 at 2:45 PM. All room parents and helpers please plan your departure for 3:25 PM so our parking lot will be accessible for our buses.

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

GEOGRAPHY BEE
Fourth and fifth grade students will have the opportunity to participate in our annual Geography Bee. The finals on January 10 at 1:30 PM will feature representatives from each 4th and 5th grade classroom. Parents are welcome to attend.

PLAN AHEAD

SEND MONEY TO SCHOOL
Every day we have students come into the office saying they have no money on their lunch account. Sometimes they have been using their money to buy snacks, so they run out faster than parents realize. If the students don’t have money, they will be given cheese and crackers for lunch.

The website www.sendmoneytoschool.com is a good way to not only put money on your child’s account, but to also see what your child is buying on a daily basis. You are able to block them from purchasing items you prefer they not buy. If you do not want your child to purchase snacks, please block them from doing so on this website.

Please make sure your child has money on his/her card if they plan on buying a hot lunch.

Thank you.

EXTRA CLOTHING
We are always in need of extra clothing for those little accidents that happen during the school day. If you have any clothing that your child does not need any longer, we would appreciate donations of pants, shirts, underwear, and socks. Jogging pants and sweat pants are great because they more easily fit the students.
THIRD GRADE KINDNESS PROJECT

Huron third graders made blanket for Mrs. Gleason, who is out on medical leave, along with this note to her:

♥ You are very special to us and we wanted to spread some kindness your way!
♥ When you are feeling cold on these chilly days, you can use this cozy blanket to warm you up! Remember that it was made especially for you with lots of love and kindness. Each cut and tie was done by one of our third graders!

We love you Mrs. Gleason!

The third graders also made aprons for our kitchen staff with the following note:

♥ We appreciate all of the love and effort your hands put into preparing and serving Huron students lunch everyday.
♥ We hope you like the aprons!

GIFT CARDS FOR HURON FAMILIES

If you would like to donate a gift card that will help a Huron student this Christmas, please send it to the Huron main office in care of Yvette Jones. The gift cards may be for any amount and to any area store. Most families prefer places where they can purchase inexpensive gifts, clothes, food and toiletries. Please turn any donation in by December 13th. All donations are needed and deeply appreciated.

Have a very Merry Christmas!

ALERT!!!

Please keep the following in mind when navigating the parking lot:

- Please do not use cell phones while driving through the lot.
- Drive slowly.
- Do not drop students off near the bus lane. Please park and walk them to the sidewalk.
- Please be patent.

Gift card icon
# Elementary Thursday Pizza

**Cheyenne**
- Fox
- Huron
- Miami
- Mohawk
- Ojibwa

Food Service: (586) 723-2110
Central Kitchen: (586) 723-2109

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**Available Daily:**
- Must Pre-Order
  - Turkey Salad w/ Roll & Goldfish Crackers
  - Chicken Pepper Salad w/ Dinner Roll
  - Chicken Caesar Salad w/ Roll & Goldfish Crackers
  - Turkey & Cheese Stackers
- Sandwiches:
  - Turkey & Cheese
  - Ham & Cheese
  - PB&J Uncrustable w/ String Cheese & Goldfish
- Includes:
  - Fruit and/or Vegetable & Milk

**Free & Reduced Students**
You may also choose from the Daily Offerings!

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**DECEMBER**

- **Student:** $2.75
- **Plus:** $4.25
- **(Additional Serving)**
- **Reduced:** $0.40
- **Milk:** $0.60

**BREAKFAST** is served daily at ALL elementary schools. Check your school for times!

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If you have a food allergy please be aware that CVS prepares food that may contain or have come into contact with peanuts, nuts or other possible allergens.
Throughout November students had a blast in the music room! 5th grade focused on their performance & singing skills as they prepared for their upcoming concert. 3rd and 4th grade reviewed rhythms and were introduced to 16th note patterns (ti-ki-ti-ki). Kindergarten, 1st, and 2nd grade also focused on rhythm while playing instruments & singing songs, including “The Huron Song!”

Upcoming Concert Dates:
Our 5th Graders will present their holiday program, “North Pole Musical,” on Monday, Dec. 16th at 6:30 PM
We have been having a great time in Science this month! Students have been engineering and working through the design process. Ask * Imagine * Plan * Create * Improve * Present

Thank you very much for all of the donations! Try some science and engineering at home and share it with our class to earn a Dojo point!
NEWS FROM THE ART ROOM

Thank You!

FOR ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL SQUARE 1 ART FUNDRAISER YEAR!

Huron artists have already begun enjoying some of the amazing things being purchased this year for the art room. The Huron community is so supportive and amazing thanks to our amazing families! Thank you. -Mrs. Vecchio
The months of November and December focused on learning and practicing the fundamentals of individual and team sports along with some holiday activities. We practiced form and steps to rolling during our bowling unit. December was focused on the fundamentals of basketball, fitness and ending with Christmas game activities.
We have been busy practicing our language skills. This month students have been reading about pumpkins and Fall holidays, and conducting "Pumpkin Investigations". They have been practicing their sequencing skills and "How-to" writing, as they carve pumpkins and make sock puppets, too!
Dakota High School Media Center & English Language Arts Book Clubs
- IN STORE & ONLINE -

Barnes & Noble Bookfair

Saturday, December 7th – 12th (9:00 AM-10:00 PM)

Barnes & Noble – SHELBY LOCATION on Hall Rd.
- Coffee with the Principal
- Student Art Exhibit
- Student & Staff Slam Poetry Readings
- Student Leadership Gift Wrapping
- DHS Student & Athletes Read for CVS Elementary Kids!
- Surprise Esteemed Guests and other Events

Can't attend our bookfair at Barnes & Noble?
Visit BN.COM/bookfairs to support us online from 12/07/19 to 12/12/19 by entering Bookfair ID 12562088 at checkout.

A percentage of your Barnes & Noble purchases will benefit our media center.

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Saturday, December 7 – 12 9:00AM – 10:00 PM
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Please present this voucher prior to making your purchase. A percentage of the net sale will be contributed to your school/organization. *

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