Parkview Newsletter

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"All your children shall be taught by the Lord and great shall be the peace of your children." ~Isaiah 54:13

POSTPONED—Skate Night



Due to all the illness that has been circulating, we will exercise caution and postpone the Glow Skate Night. Mark your calendars for **Saturday, March 9** to have a "wheely" good time with us!

Thank You

We want to express our **gratitude** for your **patience** and **understanding** as we navigated this week with so many of our students and staff being sick. We were disappointed to disrupt the academic calendar, but needed to prioritize the health of our school body. We look forward to returning to our full schedule with all classes operational. It seems there have been a variety of illness plaguing the community around us for several weeks now. Let's do all we can to ensure our school has a fighting chance again germs and bugs. There are many measures we can take to be proactive in boosting immune health. We know **diet** is a major player and there is a host of reliable evidence that indicates **added sugar** has a **negative impact** on overall health. This **article** from the **Cleveland Clinic** cites the **recommended guideline** for daily sugar

intake for children ages 2-18 from the American Heart Association. We appreciate your consideration in taking POSITVE measures to boost your child's health (adequate sleep, fresh air) as well as limiting negative influencers. Thank you!







Lunch Menu

Monday—NO SCHOOL

Tuesday—NO SCHOOL

Wednesday—Veggie meat sandwiches, pretzels & veggies

Thursday—NOON DISMISSAL

On the Calendar

January 15 & 16—NO SCHOOL

January 17—Mismatch Day

January 18—In-service, NOON DISMISSAL

January 23—Picture Retake Day

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MLK Holiday Week



Please note the week of the Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday will be a short one. There is NO SCHOOL on January 15 or 16 and we will dismiss at NOON on January 18

to allow teachers to prepare report cards for the end of the second quarter.

Mismatch Day

The student association has designated **Wednesday**, **January 17** as mismatch day. Students choosing to participate in this "spirit" day are encouraged to **wear clothes that DON'T match**.



Mix up colors or patterns to create a crazy outfit. Students not wearing mismatch clothes must be in a school uniform.

MAP Testing

MAP testing will take place **January**22 - 26. It's especially important that students are getting good nutrition and sleep during this time so they can perform to the best of

their abilities. Thank you.

8th-Grade Snack Menu

All snacks are \$1.00 with proceeds supporting class trip and graduation expenses:

- Chex Mix
- Popcorn
- Popcorner chips
- Kind granola bars
- Goldfish crackers
- Izze sparkling juice



Cheese pizza

Fridays ONLY! \$2.00/slice, pay by Thursday

Amazon Wish List

We have created an Amazon wish list for the school which includes items that are used on a regular basis in the classrooms and some items around the school that are in need of replacing. This will be an ongoing list that you can access

by clicking here. If you find it in your budget to be generous and bless our school, we thank you in advance!

Talent Show

The 8th grade class is planning a school talent show for **Saturday**, **February 8** at **6 pm**. Students (and families) are encouraged to participate by sharing a skill, song or other talent with our guests. The proceeds will support their class trip and graduation expenses. More information to come!

Picture Retakes



Picture retake day has been rescheduled for **Tuesday**, **January 23**rd. Please plan

accordingly if you intend for your child's picture to be taken this day. Thank you.

Intent to Return

Thank you to those families who have already completed the intent to return form for next school year. We ask that each family submit an intent to return form by **February 2**nd stating your plans for the coming school year. The form can be completed through the **Jupiter app** by tapping on the four horizontal bars in the top right corner of your screen and then scrolling to the bottom of the menu and clicking on "forms." The "Intent to Return 2024-2025" form should appear at the top of the list. **Please check one option in each of the two sections and click** "I approve" at the bottom of the

form. If you prefer a paper copy, please let us know and we can send one home for you.

Sicknesses

We kindly ask you to keep your child home if he/she is experiencing any of the following symptoms: fever, cough, vomiting, diarrhea, rash, sore throat or pink eye. Children should remain home until their symptoms begin to resolve and they have been fever-free for 24 hours. If coughing and/or sneezing persist, we ask that he/she wear a mask while at school.







Absent or Sick Child/Early Pick-Up

If your child will be absent for the day, please call the office **before 9 am the day of** to inform us of the reason for the absence. Please refer to the school handbook for a list of excusable absences.

Early pick-ups due to medical appointments may be arranged by calling the office no later than the morning of to notify of the time you will be picking up your child.

Late Pick-Up Policy



Parents who have not picked up their child(ren) by 3:20 pm M-Th or 12:05 pm on Friday will accrue late pick up fees at the rate of \$1/min, added to your monthly statement.

If you are not able to pick your child up promptly at dismissal times, we encourage you to utilize the after-school care service. By paying in advance, the fee is \$5/hr. If you are late, but haven't paid in advance the fee is \$1 PER MINUTE which adds up quickly.

For Sale



Honey: \$10 / 1 lb., \$19 / 2 lb.

Sprouts: \$4 / 4 oz. container

Visit the **school website** or contact Mrs. Kaiser at **315.729.7250** for more information.

After-School Care

After-school care is available for students who are not able to be picked up at the regularly scheduled dismissal times.

Parents wishing to make use of this service MUST schedule days and times by Friday for the following week, otherwise we will not be able to guarantee a provider will be available.



Hours: T and Th 3:15-5:30 pm, F noon-3:00 pm.

Fee: \$5/hour per child (\$1.25/quarter hour) paid in advance, **CASH only**. No exceptions.

An initial deposit of **\$60/child** must be paid to the office the Friday prior to a student beginning after care. Any unused funds will roll over.



Each Friday you must bank up to \$60/child to allow your child to participate in after care services the following week. Accounts which dip into the negative AND accrue new charges will be billed at the late pick-up fee of \$1/minute.





Parkview exists to empower students to think deeply, serve humbly and trust God wholeheartedly.