



Hillsboro Elementary
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January 2010

School hours 8:55-3:30

"Pick-ups" are at 3:25

Our Mission is to: Challenge students to be responsible learners.

January Important Dates:

- 4th First day back from winter break.
- 15th End of Second Nine Weeks.
- 18th No School Martin Luther King Day
- 19th Fund Raisers sent home
- 22nd Grade Cards go home

Art Show

The art department is gearing up for the art show on April 10, 2010. See the back of this newsletter for more information.



Change in weather

Our building temperature is set at 72 degrees. All students go outside for recess when the weather permits. Students do not stay in unless there is a doctor's excuse. Please dress your child appropriately.

Lost and Found

We took over 50 coats, hats, and sweatshirts to Samaritan Outreach

over the holi- day break. Please put your child's name in their coats, hats, and on their lunch boxes so we can return them to your child.



Old Technology

Thanks to those who have sent in "old technology". We now have a manual typewriter, electric typewriter, record player, and a slide projector. We are still looking for an 8 track tape player and tapes, records (45 & 33's), dial phone, and any other "old technology" to display in our library. If you have something you are willing to donate please let us know.



AIMSWEB Assessments

You may hear your child talk about assessments they had at school. Sometime during the weeks of Jan. 18- Feb. 8th your child will be assessed with a reading and math AIMSWEB assessment. These assessments help us to gage our educational growth. Your child's teacher will let you know the results.

TIME FOR SCHOOL

Our school day starts at 8:55. Tardy is 9:00. We are having a lot of students that are coming late to school. Please help us with this issue. Students can be dropped off at 8:35.



Fund Raisers:

"After School Mall booklet" is a fund raiser that will be sent home Jan. 19th. It does not require you to sell anything. Your child will get a booklet that requires 7 names and addresses (friends/relatives) to complete the booklet. When returned, your child will receive a prize. The school receives about \$2.00 for each completed booklet. We appreciate your help with this fundraiser. The money goes toward Camp Joy, games for the classrooms and other needed items.

Market Day is a monthly fund raiser that lets you purchase food over the internet and pick it up at school. Our school will receive 10% profit of all sales. The flyers are sent home monthly.

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Don't forget about:

- Pizza Hut Book-it
- One Call Now
- Paying for lunch charges
- Homework expectations
- (Go to our web site for more information these.)

Need to know:

Breakfast:

Served from 8:35—8:55
 Cost: \$1.00 (reduced .30)

Lunch: cost \$2.25 (red. \$.40)

K-1: 12:05-12:35
 2-3: 11:00-11:30
 4-5: 11:35-12:00

Milk is \$.40

The FASTRAC system allows parents to pay weeks in advance.

Indian of the Week

When your child is chosen as the "Indian of the Week" they will be asked to fill out a poster and return it to be displayed outside their classroom door. **Indians of the week may bring a parent/guardian to lunch**

one time during their special week.

Please call before 9:30 so the café can reserve a lunch (\$3.00) for you. Please do not bring "fast food" to this special luncheon.

Pick-up badges

Remember to use your pick-up badges to get your children out of the pick-up area. Please call ahead, by 2:30, if you need to get your child before 3:30

Medications

All medications need to be given to the nurse and the proper forms filled out. We have a nurse or aide on duty at all times. The medication form you re-

ceived at the beginning of the school is to be used only if you have medications to bring in for your child.

Safety First

All visitors/parents/volunteers will be asked to stop in the main office after the start of the school day to sign in. We will ask visitors/parents/volunteers to wear badges when in the building.

Drop off time is 8:35 Please do not drop off students before that time. There is no supervision before 8:35.

We collect:

- Box Tops for Education,
- Soda pop tabs,
- Nestle Pure Life water labels
- Campbell Soup labels



Banking Every Thursday!!



Word of the Month

Perseverance