



Prairie View Elementary Newsletter 2020

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PRINCIPAL PATRICE'S PONDERINGS....from Prairie View

- ✿ **Absentees-** Regular attendance at school is extremely important for your child. Your student's attendance record is one of the most frequently used parts of a school record because it shows your students habit-patterns. Your student is absent if they miss part or all of a school day. A half absence is recorded if a student is not present between one and four hours; a full day is recorded if your student is not present four or more hours. Parents are strongly encouraged to schedule doctor and dental appointments outside school hours when possible, or provide a medical note excusing the student from school if an appointment is scheduled during the school day. Please help your child understand the importance of regular attendance at school. We appreciate your help with attendance.
- ✿ **Volunteers and substitutes-** Volunteers and substitutes are very important to our school. They help in classrooms, work in the LMC, chaperone field trips, assist students, etc. In many cases, special events cannot take place without volunteers. A few key reminders for those of you who take time to volunteer or sub in our school:
 - You must complete a **Volunteer Registration** form annually and be on the approved volunteer list to be in the instructional areas during the school day or attend field trips. This form can take 2 weeks to process.
 - When volunteering, always sign in/out in the school office.
 - All volunteering must be pre-arranged with the teacher.
 - Maintain confidentiality regarding information seen and/or heard while working, this includes comments/posts on social media sites. If confidentiality is breached, you will be removed from the approved volunteer or substitute list.
 - Younger siblings are not allowed to be brought in during your volunteer or substitution time.

-Dr. Tronstad

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committed to achieving excellence.**

DATES TO REMEMBER

- March 2 – Pick-A-Time
conference scheduling OPENS
- March 5 – 2nd Gr Music 6:00pm
- March 9 – PTO meeting 6:30pm
- March 11 – **EARLY RELEASE**
(1:40pm)
- March 12 – PTO Family Fun Fair
4:30-7:00 p.m.
- March 12 – Pick-A-Time
Conference Scheduling CLOSES
- March 19 and 24 –
Parent/Teacher Conferences
4:00-8:00 p.m.
- March 20 – Kindergarten Music
2:15pm
- March 30 – **NO SCHOOL**



CONFERENCE SCHEDULING

Parent/teacher conferences will be held

Thursday, March 19, 2020

and

Tuesday, March 24, 2020

from 4:00-8:00 p.m. each day.

(March 23 is an option night for conferences that teachers will use if they need it)

Pick-A-Time will be available

Monday, March 2, at 12:00 a.m. and it will close on Thursday, March 12 at 11:59 p.m.

[Click here](#) for our website, which has a link to Pick-A-Time and instructions for signing up under the Parents tab.

Please contact your child's teacher with any questions or for assistance.

Spring conferences are coming, and I would like to remind families to please stop by the art room to say hello and see what we have been working on in Art class! We have an amazing community of artists in this school who make me proud to be their teacher each and every day!

The Original Works Fundraiser is coming once again! Prairie View offers this unique fundraiser in which families can have their own child's art work reproduced onto quality products such as ceramic mugs, magnets, t-shirts, and much more. Your child's Original Works packet with several of their art projects will be found by the front entrance on Parent Teacher Conference night, ready for you to pick up. More information will be found in the packet.

Mrs. Wink, Art Teacher

UPCOMING MUSIC PROGRAMS

March 5 – 2nd Grade at 6:00 p.m.

March 20 - Kindergarten at 2:15 p.m.

April 16 – 4th Grade at 6:00 p.m.

April 16 – 5th Grade at 7:00 p.m.

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Order your child's memory book online now!

Go to ybpay.lifetouch.com and enter yearbook ID Code 10413820



HHS FRC Team 6166
Thorobotics Presents

STEM DAY 4.0

March 28, 2020 12:30 – 4:30 pm

Attention parents of 5th Grade students!

All parents of 2020-2021 incoming 6th graders are invited to our 5th grade Parent/Guardian-student information night at Holmen Middle School in Gym B on Tuesday, April 21, 2020 from 6:30pm-7:30pm. This is an information meeting that both parents and students are welcome, yet not required, to attend.

Do not forget to check Virtual Backpack for educational opportunities, activities, and events available in our area. [Click here](#) for the link to Virtual Backpack.



COUNSELOR CONNECTION

February was a relaxing month in Guidance as we have been exploring self-management strategies and increasing our self-awareness by introducing the students to mindfulness, deep breathing, and tapping. Adolescent anxiety and depression is on the rise--up to one in three kids report significant anxiety and/or depression by the age of 18-- these techniques are valuable skills to have at any age. We are switching gears in March though, as we begin our unit on careers and academic planning. I am pleased to relay that our PBIS Tier 2 Check In/Check Out system has been running smoothly for the past month and the roll out has been a great success thus far. If I can be of any service to you or yours, please don't hesitate to call (608-526-1600) or drop me a line (eikbre@holmen.k12.wi.us).

PTO NEWS

Mark your Calendar to attend this
years'

Family Fun Fest

(hosted by the PTO)

**Thursday, March 12, 2020
from 4:30 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.**

Kindergarten Registration

We are working on a preliminary list of Kindergarten students for the 2020-2021 school year. The information is obtained from the census that is completed during the summer. Students are eligible for Kindergarten in the fall if they turn five by September 1st, 2020. If you are new to the area or have a neighbor who is new to the area and were not contacted by the census workers, please call Pupil Services at 526-6610 to register your child. A **certified** (with raised seal) birth certificate for students entering Kindergarten will need to be brought in before school starts, so the information required for enrollment can be noted. The original certificate will be handed back to you. Copies of the birth certificate will not be accepted as stated in the guidelines from the Department of Public Instruction.



Wake up to School Breakfast March 2-6

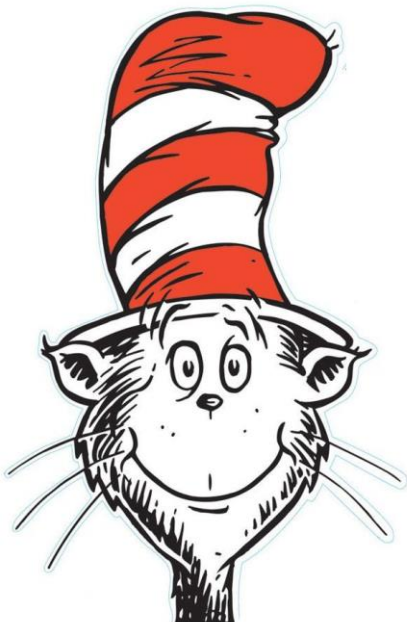
(National School Breakfast Week)



<u>MONDAY 3/2</u>	<u>TUESDAY 3/3</u>	<u>WEDNESDAY 3/4</u>	<u>THURSDAY 3/5</u>	<u>FRIDAY 3/6</u>
Green Eggs and Ham	Breakfast Pizza or Cherry or Apple Frudel	Egg Pop and Toast	Cheese Omelets or S'more Parfait	Mini Donuts Or Egg Pop and Toast
Dress Up for Dr. Seuss' Birthday!	Spin The Wheel	Bring Your Favorite Stuffed Animal to Breakfast	Ring Toss Game	Lucky Tray Day!

ASK HOW YOU CAN WIN **2 FREE MOVIE TICKETS AND POPCORN!**

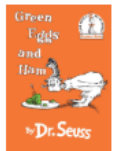
(Full breakfast menu on website)



Dress Up Days:

Monday: March 2

Green Eggs and Ham - wear green (Food Service will serve green eggs and ham)



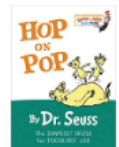
Tuesday: March 3

The Cat in the Hat - wear hats - all varieties are welcome



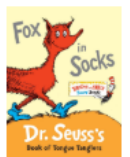
Wednesday: March 4

Hop on Pop - dress like a hip hop dancer or a pop star



Thursday: March 5

Fox in Socks or The Foot Book - wear mismatched or crazy socks



Friday: March 6 (Read-a-Thon) I am Not

Going to Get Up Today - wear pajamas



Library Learning

Accepting Donations:

LEGO bricks for the LMC and the LEGO/Tech Club

Gently used books for the Little Free Library

Other news in the LMC:

- **Read Across America / Dr. Seuss Week** By now you have received information about the Read-a-Thon and other activities planned for the week.
 - Monday, March 2 - Read-a-Thon pledges are due and it is the day we wear green. This is the absolute last day that any potato, tissue box, or cardboard core creations will be accepted.
 - Tuesday, March 3 - Students may wear hats during school.
 - Wednesday, March 4 - Dress like a hip hop dancer or a pop star. The school dress code will still apply.
 - Thursday, March 5 - Crazy or mismatched socks are worn.
 - Friday, March 6 - Wear pajamas and bring some books for our Read-a-Thon. The Logger Dog's Reading Incentive Program will also begin.
- **Scholastic BOGO Book Fair**



We will have our spring book event on March 19 and 24 from 4:00 - 7:30 P.M. in the LMC. This fair is a BOGO sale. Don't forget to download Scholastic Books' useful app on your phones prior to attending the fair. Also be sure to check out our Scholastic Book Fair [website](#) for more information. Help us nourish a reading habit in our young readers by attending the book fair in order to stock up on summer reading materials. Let's prevent any [Summer Slide](#).

- **Nonfiction Author, Tracy Nelson Maurer, will be at PV on April 22.** An order form for purchasing discounted books from Red Wagon Books will be provided. All order forms will be due April 3. The books will be delivered after April 22.



2020 Elementary Summer School

July 20 – August 6, 2020

Prairie View Elementary

8:30 a.m. – 11:35 a.m.

Location :

- All Ready, Set, Let's Learn for incoming Kindergarten and current Kindergarten through gr. 4 students will have summer school at Prairie View Elementary.
- *Current 5th grade students invited to attend would participate in Holmen Middle School's Summer School program. Contact Mrs. Keri Holter at 608.526.3391 with any HMS summer school questions.*

Classes: LIMITED SPACE

Ready, Set, Let's Learn (for students who will be attending K in the fall of 2020)

- We make every attempt to place students with peers who will be attending Kindergarten in the same school
- Children remain with one teacher and EA (Educational Assistant) for the entire morning.

Kindergarten – Gr. 4 (for students in K – Gr. 4 during the current 2019-20 school year)

- **Students are placed in the grade level they are in during the 2019-20 school year.**
- There will be 3 classes during the summer school morning: reading, math, and the grade level enrichment class with social-emotional skills embedded.
- There is only one enrichment class offered per grade level, so there is no need to select classes other than the current grade level in which your child is placed.
- Some students may work with an interventionist for reading and math.

Registration: Sue Eitland eitsue@holmen.k12.wi.us or Kristy McKnight mckkri@holmen.k12.wi.us or 608.526.1381.

- All Elementary Summer School registration will take place online.
- Students who are invited to attend summer school will receive a letter during the second week of March and have priority in registering.
- Invited students' families will receive an email with the link to register once registration opens later in March and must follow the deadline stated in the email in order to receive priority in registering.
- After invited students are registered during the 5-day timeframe, we will determine how much space remains and open up registration to all students on a first come, first served basis. All families will receive an email with the link to register during the week of April 13 - 17 if space allows. When classes are full, students are placed on a grade level waiting list, and we will inform those families. After April 17th, the registration window will close and you will need to call 608.526.1381 to place your child on the waiting list.
- If you need to withdraw your child from summer school after they have been registered, please call 608.526.1381 or email Kristy McKnight, administrative assistant, at mckkri@holmen.k12.wi.us by July 3rd.
- NO additions from the waiting list will be accepted for summer school after July 3rd.

Transportation-Beth Hobbs, Supervisor or Mike Raabe, Asst Supervisor - transp@holmen.k12.wi.us or 608.526.4752.

Transportation within our district's boundaries will be provided to and from Summer School following regularly established guidelines. If your child needs transportation, including if your child attends summer care through the Y at one of our district schools, make certain to complete the transportation section during online registration.

Note: Ed. Assistants do not ride on buses during summer school unless there is a specific individual student need.

Breakfast - Mike Gasper gasmic@holmen.k12.wi.us or Danielle M mardan@holmen.k12.wi.us 608.526.1324 or 1325

The Student Universal Nutrition (S.U.N.) program will be offering breakfast during summer school from 8:00 – 8:25 a.m. Breakfast consists of the entrée of the day or fruited yogurt or cereal, as well as a choice of fruit or juice, milk, and toast. Students will be able to use their family accounts to purchase breakfast. Please be sure to have funds available in your family account! The cost is \$2.00 per day for full paying students, and \$0.30 per day for reduced paying students. Free and reduced student status will remain the same as during the 2019-2020 school year. Families may apply for the Free/Reduced price meals at any time through an application found on the school district website www.holmen.k12.wi.us. A copy of the menu will be made available prior to the start of summer school. We hope your students will join us for breakfast!

Cold and Flu Season Continues...

We recommend **a student stay home** if they have any of these below signs/symptoms:

- Fever (100 degrees or higher)
- Vomiting or diarrhea
- Headache severe enough to interfere with learning
- Cough causing difficulty breathing, chest pain or enough to interfere with learning
- Sore throat serious enough to interfere with swallowing or accompanied by fever or rash
- Undiagnosed rash
- Any bacterial infection until student has been on antibiotic therapy for 24 hours

Returning to School:

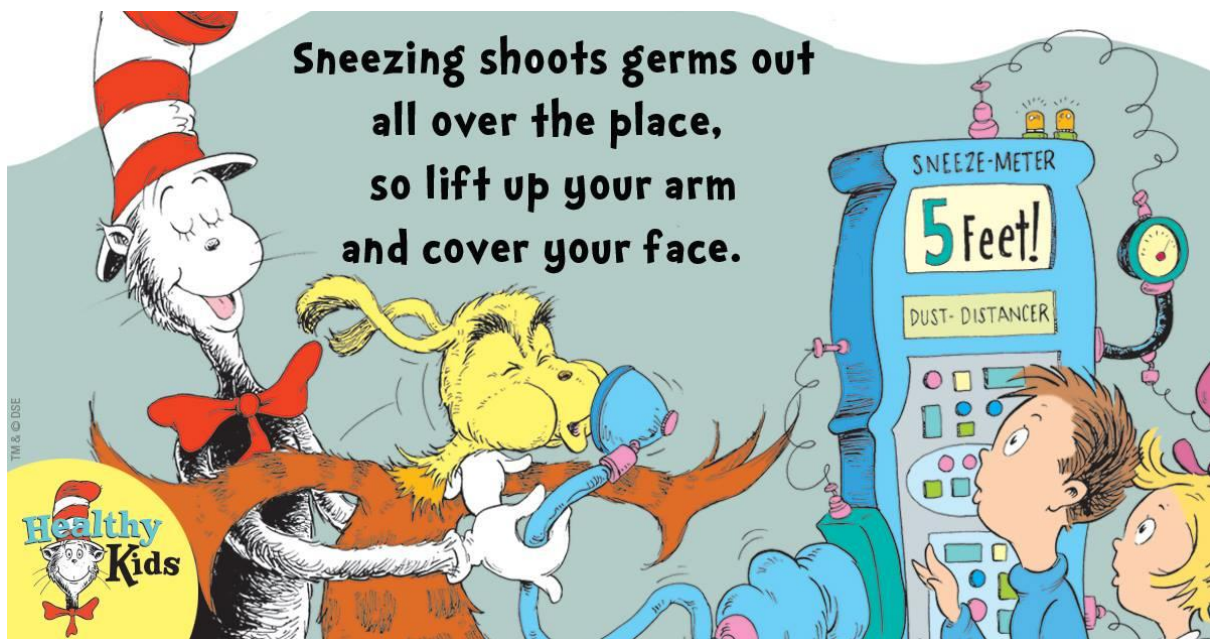
- Your child should be fever free (100 degrees or lower) for at least 24 hours without fever reducing medications.
- If your child has vomited or has diarrhea we recommend they stay home an additional day.

Suggestions for Recovery:

- Encourage fluids as tolerated
- Encourage extra rest time; consider limiting their extracurricular activities for a couple of days.
- Reinforce the importance of hand washing.
- Wipe down hard surfaces with a disinfectant solution.

CDC Influenza vs Cold

Signs and Symptoms	Influenza	Cold
Symptom onset	Abrupt	Gradual
Fever	Usual; lasts 3-4 days	Rare
Aches	Usual; often severe	Slight
Chills	Fairly common	Uncommon
Fatigue, weakness	Usual	Sometimes
Sneezing	Sometimes	Common
Stuffy nose	Sometimes	Common
Sore throat	Sometimes	Common
Chest discomfort, cough	Common; can be severe	Mild to moderate; hacking cough
Headache	Common	Rare



Home & School

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March 2020

Prairie View Elementary, Holmen WI

Brett Eiken, School Counselor



SHORT NOTES

Heads or tails logic

This brainteaser will encourage your youngster to think logically. Have each family member line up four pennies with heads facing up. The challenge is to turn them all to tails. The catch? Flip over exactly three pennies each time. Who can do it in the fewest number of tries?

A day in the life

What would life be like if your child were a shoe? How about a bicycle? Suggest that he write a diary entry from an object's point of view. Prompt him to imagine and write details about what the shoe or bike would see, hear, feel, and think.

Summer plans

Day camps and other summer programs often fill up fast. If you're looking for one for your child, consider signing up soon. Ask her school about programs—some may be free depending on your income. Also, browse the parks and recreation catalog or website for summer programs that match your youngster's interests.

Worth quoting

"The beautiful thing about learning is nobody can take it away from you."
B. B. King

JUST FOR FUN

Q: What do you get if you cross a porcupine with an alligator?

A: I don't know, but you probably shouldn't hug it.



Standardized test success

Doing well on a standardized test starts way before your child's teacher says, "You may begin." Boost your youngster's confidence and help her do her best with these tips.

Focus on schoolwork

The work habits your child uses all year long are the same ones she'll need on test day. Have her keep a list of what she does well when she does schoolwork, such as double-checking math answers or proofreading her essay. The night before the test, she can give herself a "pep talk" by reviewing her list.

Try a strategy

Let your youngster practice a key test-taking strategy in a stress-free way. Make up imaginary questions like "What is a unicorn's favorite food?" List answer choices, including one that's "right" (A: rainbow sprinkles), one that seems wrong (B: coal), and two that sound possible (C: pasta, D: pizza). While the question isn't real, the strategy is—discard any



obviously wrong answers, then weigh your first instinct against the remaining choices.

Practice keyboarding

If your child will take tests on a computer, help her work on keyboarding. She might type a story she wrote or email a relative, for instance. She'll practice typing, using special keys (shift, enter), and pointing and clicking the mouse on commands (save, send). *Tip:* No computer at home? Head to the library where she can use one for free. ♥

Sports: A winning attitude

Everyone likes winning. Losing? Not so much. Regardless, here are ways your youngster can be a good sport no matter the outcome:

- Cheer each other on when good things happen ("Nice catch!"), and sympathize when they don't ("You'll get the next one!").
- Shift your child's thinking. Instead of focusing on coming in first or scoring the most goals, suggest that he work on beating his personal best.
- When you watch sports together, point out examples of good sportsmanship. Perhaps his favorite basketball player helps an opponent up after a fall. ♥



Learning as a family

Keep your youngster excited about learning by making it a family affair. With these ideas, he'll see that learning is a lifelong journey.

Interview relatives. Your child can learn from relatives who remember living through an event or a time period he's studying in history. The whole family could gather around to hear about a grandparent's experience watching the first moon landing on television.



Give a lesson. Let your child be the teacher! Say he's learning about states of matter in science. He might help you cook and point out that water turns into a gas (steam) when it boils. Or he could make ice pops to demonstrate that water changes to a solid in the freezer.

On the go. Find family outings related to what your child studies. A high school orchestra concert lets him hear more experienced musicians playing instruments he uses in music class. If he's learning ways to protect the environment, consider participating in a local watershed cleanup as a family.♥

PARENT TO PARENT

Money smarts

The first time a relative sent my daughter Lauren a gift card, she spent it right away. It occurred to me that she might find it harder to part with cash than a piece of plastic. So the next time she got a gift card, I traded her bills and coins for it.

Lauren put the money in a jar to keep on her dresser and labeled it with the total. Now when we go to the store, she thinks carefully about whether she wants to dip into her jar for a pack of trading cards or a stuffed emoji. If she does, she can take out the money before our next shopping trip and write the new total on her jar.

So far this strategy is working. Lauren immediately "sees" how much she's spending—and she doesn't want her jar to be empty.♥



ACTIVITY CORNER

Make an engineering lab

Let your child loose in her own engineering "lab" where she can design objects and solve problems as she builds them. Follow these steps.

1. Gather supplies. Help your youngster collect household objects, craft supplies, and recycling bin items to use for engineering projects. *Examples:* rubber bands, balloons, index cards, craft sticks, tape, glue, string, bottles, boxes.

2. Brainstorm projects. Together, list contraptions she might design in her lab. Can she dream up a way to create a balloon-powered boat? Or maybe she has an idea for building a marble maze.

3. Get to work. Encourage your youngster to set up her lab in a corner of the family room, pick a project from her list, and get started.

Idea: Spark new projects and solutions by having her add supplies from time to time, such as bubble wrap or a cut-up pool noodle.♥



Q & A

Anxiety in children

Q: I've been hearing about kids being diagnosed with anxiety disorders. My son tends to worry a lot. How can I tell the difference between normal worrying and a serious problem?

A: Some anxiety is just part of everyday life. For example, it's perfectly natural if your child is nervous about giving a speech in class or worries that a friend is angry with him over a disagreement.



With an anxiety disorder, those feelings interfere with daily life. Talk to your son's doctor if you notice any symptoms, which include difficulty sleeping, loss of appetite, unexplained stomachaches or headaches, irritability, trouble concentrating, and avoiding regular activities.

If the doctor suspects an anxiety disorder, your child may be referred to a therapist who will work with him on new ways to react to things that worry him.♥

OUR PURPOSE

To provide busy parents with practical ideas that promote school success, parent involvement, and more effective parenting.

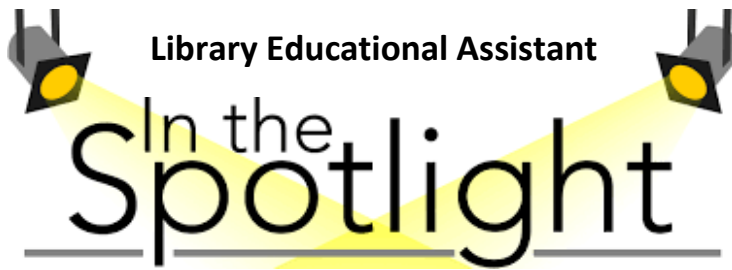
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Mrs. Haines

Prairie View's

Library Educational Assistant



Where is the best place you have traveled to and why?

I have taken a couple of cruises to the Caribbean. I love warm weather, no bugs and that the whole family can enjoy the entertainment.

What is your favorite movie?

Grumpy Old Men – I love to fish and I like comedy films

Tell us something that might surprise us about you?

I used to be a certified forklift operator, an inventory specialist and a realtor.

If you could learn to do anything what would it be?

I would love to learn how to draw and paint. I would also like to learn how to snowshoe or cross country ski.

What do you like most about working at an elementary school?

I have almost 500 reasons I like working at an elementary school. The 500 reasons are the amount of kids that we have who are learning every day.

If you could have any superpower what would it be and why?

My super power would be to have the love of Reading in every child!





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WENDY MCCOY @ 608-526-6610 OR
STOP BY THE DISTRICT OFFICE
(1019 MCHUGH RD)**

The School District of Holmen is an EOE.

Harvest of the Month



March



Corn



Pick:

- Choose corn with green, fresh looking husks.
- Pull the husk back to ensure the ear has plump, tightly packed kernels.

Store:

- Corn should be used shortly after purchasing but can be stored in the refrigerator with the husks on for a couple of days.
- Blanched corn can be frozen for several months.

Prepare:

- To prepare, remove the husk and silk. Wash, then grill, steam or boil. For quick and easy cleanup, microwave corn with the husk on, 2-3 minutes per ear. Then remove the husk & silk and enjoy!

Nutrition Info

One ear of corn has 90 calories and provides fiber and vitamin C.

Fun Facts

The average ear of corn has 800 kernels, arranged in 16 rows. There is also one piece of silk for each kernel of corn!

Depending on the variety, corn may have yellow, white, red, black, blue or multicolored kernels.

Corn is grown everywhere except Antarctica.

Uses

Try grilled sweet corn. Simply peel back corn husks and remove silk. Place 1 tablespoon of butter and a pinch of salt & pepper on each piece of corn. Close husks. Wrap each ear of corn tightly in aluminum foil and place on preheated grill. Cook approximately 30 minutes, turning occasionally, until corn is tender.

Top homemade pizza with a combination of roasted vegetables such as corn, zucchini, tomatoes, peppers and onions.

Farm2School Update: Served at School Served at Home!

Local corn in March? The corn served at schools is from Sno Pac located in Caledonia, MN. This corn was locally grown, harvested at peak season and processed by Sno Pac, making it available for year-round use. Sno Pac corn is also available in the natural food frozen section at most local grocery stores. Grab some and enjoy local corn at home!.

Family Friendly Activities

Play a game and have each family member keep track of the number of different vegetables they eat in one week. The winner, the one who has the greatest variety, gets to choose a family activity for the weekend.

Harvest of the Month

Nutrition Facts

Serving Size 1 quesadilla (180g)
Servings Per Container 8

Amount Per Serving

Calories 270 Calories from Fat 70

% Daily Value*

Total Fat 8g 12%

Saturated Fat 1.5g 8%

Trans Fat 0g

Cholesterol 5mg 2%

Sodium 500mg 21%

Total Carbohydrate 35g 12%

Dietary Fiber 6g 24%

Sugars 3g

Protein 15g

Vitamin A 6% Vitamin C 30%

Calcium 10% Iron 10%

*Percent Daily Values are based on a diet of other people's secrets. Your daily values may be higher or lower depending on your calorie needs:

	Calories: 2,000	2,500
Total Fat	Less than 65g	80g
Saturated Fat	Less than 20g	25g
Cholesterol	Less than 300mg	300mg
Sodium	Less than 2,400mg	2,400mg
Total Carbohydrate	300g	375g
Dietary Fiber	25g	30g

Calories per gram:
Fat 9 • Carbohydrate 4 • Protein 4

Fresh Veggie Quesadillas

Serves 8 (1 quesadilla/ serving)

Ingredients:

1 cup chopped bell pepper

1 cup chopped summer squash

1 cup corn

1 (15 ounce) can black beans, drained & rinsed

2 Tbsp. olive oil

8 (9-inch) whole wheat tortillas

2 cups sharp cheddar cheese

salsa, as desired

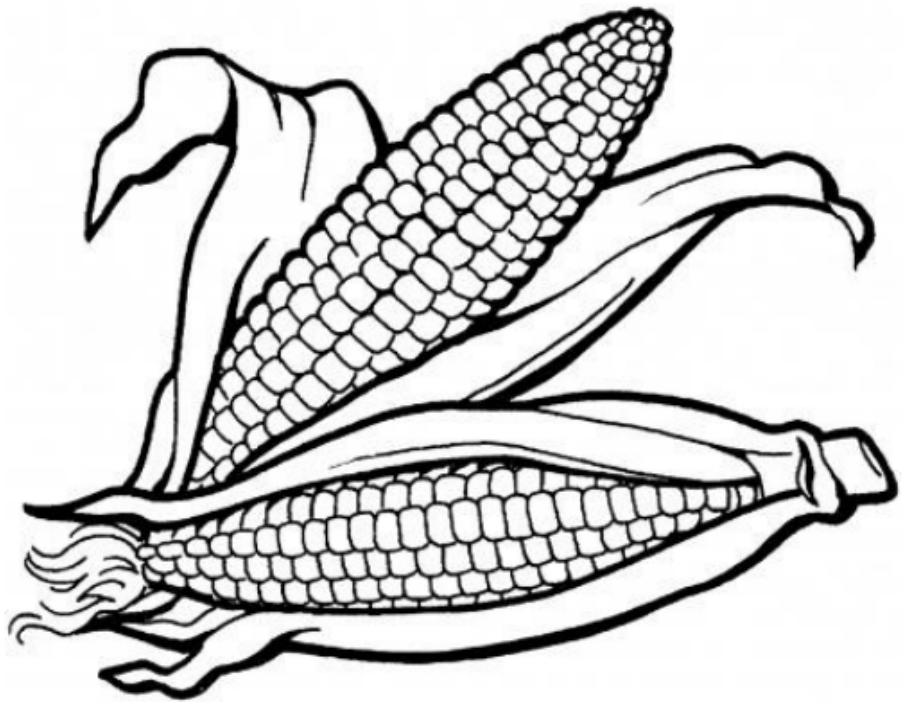
Directions:

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. In a large skillet over medium heat, sauté vegetables and beans in oil for 5-7 minutes. Spread vegetable mixture evenly over half of each tortilla; sprinkle with cheese. Fold the tortillas in half and place onto a baking sheet. Bake quesadillas until cheese has melted, about 10 minutes. Cut each quesadilla into 4 triangles. Serve with salsa as desired.

For more information on Farm2School visit:

www.laxf2s.org

Color
Sweet
Corn!





HHS FRC Team 6166 Thorobotics Presents **STEM DAY 4.0**

Join Holmen High School's Thorobotics FRC Team 6166 for STEM Day 4.0 for elementary and middle school-aged children. Check-in is from 12:30–1:00 at Holmen High School for pre-registrants **ONLY**. Come for an afternoon of exciting activities and learning that include the Thorobotics robot, build and design challenges, a biology exploration, mini roller coasters, coding, creativity, and more! 5th-grade students may choose to participate in elementary sessions or spend the full day constructing an electric boat to bring home with the 5–8th grade group. Each participant will receive a t-shirt, snack, and an afternoon of fun!

Event Details

WHEN	3-28-20 12:30-4:00 pm
WHERE	Holmen High School, 1001 McHugh Road, Holmen
COST	Please make checks out to Holmen High School or HHS AND please write student name(s) in the memo line of the check

Early Registration	2/14/20– 3/15/20	\$35.00/Child
Final Registration	3/16/20– 3/22/20	\$45.00/Child *Shirts will not be included as our printing deadline has passed

****NO registrations will be accepted after 3/22/20**

Register now at: bit.ly/4thSTEMDay

****Case Sensitive****

We are still looking for presenters! If you have an exciting STEM related job, hobby, or skill that you would be interested in sharing at this event please email Liz, Jen, or Tim for more information.

Please contact Liz Rosendale, Jennifer Schams, or Tim Nielsen with any questions.

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TAGLINES



March 2020

Fifth grade students had the opportunity to participate in Mississippi Valley Gifted and Talented Network's Math Fair which took place in Black River Falls at the Ho Chunk Division 1 Community Center. Students shared their math projects, solved logic puzzles, built three dimensional figures from two-dimensional plans, and worked in teams to compete in the Measurement Olympics. This event was for students in fifth grade to celebrate math. This year's theme was Holmen.

There are two upcoming events that students in fifth grade can participate in and one event that fourth grade students can join. Fifth grade students who love trivia should join the fifth grade quiz bowl group. Students in fourth and fifth grades can participate in the Noetic Learning Math Contest. This event is held at school during the day and is a paper pencil math test. Please contact me if you have any questions regarding these events.

"The difference between ordinary and extraordinary is that little extra."

 *Jimmy Johnson*



**TAG
Information**

If you would like more information regarding TAG programming, the TAG Program Plan is available on the district's website. It provides an overview of the process for identifying students and the multi-tiered approach to services. Please contact me with any questions.

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