

North Dearborn Elementary

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March 2	Lifetouch Yearbook Orders Due
March 2	Family Fun Night
March 3	NDES Chorus Performs @ Cyclones Game
March 5 - 9	Dr. Seuss Week Activities
March 5 - 9	Pennies for Pasta
March 8	School Board Meeting 7-8:30 (tentative)
March 9	Movie Night
March 6	Good News Club after school
March 12	PTO Meeting
March 13	Good News Club after school
March 19 - 23	Snow Make-up Days
March 26 - 30	Spring Break
March 20	Good News Club after school
March 9	Hoosier Civil War Soldier Visit (4 th Gr)
April 4	2 Hour Early Dismissal
April 12	3 rd & 4 th Grade Music Concert

Order Your YEARBOOK

The deadline for ordering yearbooks is March 2 so be sure to get your order in soon. You can order online at YBPAY.LIFETOUCH.COM, (Yearbook ID is 9578718) or you can send in a check made payable to Lifetouch. If your child needs another order form they can be found in the front office.



Spring Break

Spring Break is March 26-30, we wish everyone a safe and relaxing break. March 19-23 we will be in school for snow make-up days.



Come out for some family fun and support the NDES Chorus, Saturday, March 3 at 7:30. The chorus will be performing

the National Anthem before the Cincinnati Cyclones game at US Bank Arena. Our students have been working very hard and we are excited to have them represent NDES.



North Dearborn Elementary will once again be participating in the Pasta for Pennies Campaign to benefit the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. The fundraiser will run from March 5th-9th. The money raised will go toward research and support for patients and families with these illnesses. Put your pocket change to good use and let's make a "change" in the lives of others. The class that raises the most money will win a Pasta Party from Olive Garden. (If sending in a check please make it payable to LLS or The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society).



We will be celebrating Dr. Seuss' birthday in conjunction with our Pasta for Pennies campaign. We will have a week of fun activities and events for our students. Below is a schedule of events for the week:

- March 5: Silly Sock Day & Penny Day
Put on your silly socks and bring in pennies!
- March 6: Pajama Day & Nickle Day
Bring in your nickles when you wear PJ's!
- March 7: Wacky Wednesday/Dazzling Dime Day
Dress wacky and donate some dimes!
- March 8: Stuffed Animal/Quarter Day
Pack your favorite stuffed animal & quarters!
- March 9: Wear a Dr. Seuss hat (with "Bills") or a shirt
Team up with Dr. Seuss gear and dollar bills

Family FUN night

Friday, March 2nd from 5:30-7:30 come out to NDES for a fun night of activities with your child. Mr. Theising will see how the Parents do at activities their children do during Gym. Try Drum Fit, Paddle Strike, and other fun events. All grades are welcome. Hope to see you there!

Get ready for
Kindergarten

Dates have been set for Kindergarten Registration. Registration details have not been confirmed but we wanted to get the dates to you so you could prepare. Each elementary will have a registration day.

- April 3rd - Sunman Elementary
- April 5th - North Dearborn Elementary
- April 11th - Bright Elementary

If you are unable to make the registration day at the school your child will be attending you can register at one of the other schools. We will get further details and times to you just as soon as they are confirmed.



The Good News Club is back for the Spring Session! This is an exciting, fun-filled time that will teach your child respect for authority, character qualities, moral values and biblical principles.

This is an after-school event that takes place at NDES until 5:30. All boys and girls in grades K-5 are welcome to attend. Permission slips are available in the front office and on our website. The dates are March 6, 13, and 20 and April 3, 10, 17. If you have questions about this program you can contact Connie Schweinefus at 513-884-0118.

CHARACTER EDUCATION

We are continuing our Monthly Character Education with all of our NDES Students. Below is the March Character Trait we will be teaching:

Habit 6:
SYNERGIZE

TOGETHER IS BETTER

I value other people's strengths and learn from them.

I get along well with others, even people who are different than me.

I work well in groups.

I seek out other people's ideas to solve problems because I know that by teaming with others we can create better solutions than any of us can alone.

I am humble.

MOVIE NIGHT

The NDES PTO Movie Night will take place on Friday, March 9th. The feature film is Disney Pixars "Coco". Doors open at 6:00 and movie begins at 7:00. Pizza and snacks will be available.



North Dearborn Elementary would like to extend a huge Thank You to the Jack's Forever3 Foundation. This foundation was founded in memory of Jack Allan Carpenter in an effort to

promote driver awareness after a tragic result of a distracted driver. The Foundation is also dedicated to improving the lives of children in our community, hoping to put smiles on their faces the way Jack always put one on ours. This foundation has generously donated a monetary grant to NDES which will be going towards the creation of a MakerSpace area at NDES.

A MakerSpace is a place for all students who are creative and even not so creative to come and explore their passions using raw materials, tools, technology, repurposed items and imagination. Students can work individually or collaboratively using technology and/or drawing on the collective wisdom of those in the room to achieve their goal. We are looking forward to creating this area for our students. We will post pictures when the room is completed.

The Sunman-Dearborn Community School Food and Nutrition Services Department is excited to announce the start of the Food Sharing Table!



Beginning Monday, March 5th, students will place unopened items that they do not wish to eat or drink on a cart in the cafeteria. This provides an opportunity for other students to take additional items to eat or drink at no cost to them. Only items purchased from the cafeteria may be placed on the cart and it is only for the students. Our staff will be monitoring the cart to make sure the items placed on the cart are kept at the right temperature and have not been tampered with. Additional information can be found on our website.

Upcoming LIBRARY COMMUNITY EVENTS

- March 10 Book Busters: Historical Fiction
 - March 15 Awesome Author Kate Klise
 - March 17 Paws for Reading
 - March 20 Movie & Munchies
 - March 28 Outside the Lines
- Please be sure to check the Library website for detailed information and locations.