

Evaline Weekly News

9-26-25

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Rainy Day Recess Reminder

As the weather begins to change, please remember to send your student to school prepared for rainy days! Students will continue to enjoy outdoor recess when the weather is drizzly, so please make sure they come to school with a **rain jacket, appropriate layers, and shoes that can get wet.**



We know Pacific Northwest weather can be unpredictable, and we want our students to be comfortable and ready to enjoy their recess time no matter what the weather brings. A little preparation can make a big difference!

Thank you for helping us keep our students warm, comfortable, and ready to get outside and enjoy some fresh air and playtime!

Bus Drill & Bus Safety Reminder



During the second week of school, all students participated in our annual bus safety training. Students were loaded onto the school bus, reviewed the bus rules and expectations, and practiced how to safely evacuate the bus in the event of an emergency.

We ask parents and guardians to continue talking with their students about the importance of safe and respectful behavior while riding the bus. **Bus ridership is a privilege and is strictly regulated by state law. The safety of our students is our top priority, and all students are expected to follow the bus rules and listen to the driver at all times.**

Students whose behavior endangers the safety of others may be required to provide their own transportation until they are able to demonstrate that they can follow the rules and maintain appropriate conduct. Students who do not follow bus rules and regulations may also be subject to disciplinary action in accordance with Evaline School Board policy.

Bus Discipline Consequences:

- **1st bus infraction: A bus slip will be issued.**
- **2nd bus infraction: 2nd bus slip and 3-day suspension from riding the bus.**
- **3 or more bus infractions: May result in a long-term bus suspension.**

We appreciate your help in reminding students that safe bus behavior helps protect everyone on board. Thank you for working with us to make sure our buses remain a safe and positive place for all of our students!

Important Dates!!



OCT.

Fri. 2nd: 10:15-11:15 Booster Club Fund Run

Fri. 2nd: 11:30 Dismissal: Lion Paw Day / Staff Professional Dev.

Tues. 6th: TK - 2nd grade, Field Trip to Salkum Hatchery

Tues. 6th: Booster Club Meeting, 3:00 in 3rd/4th classroom

Tues. 20th: 3rd/4th grade, Water Testing at Winolequa Park

Tues. 20th: School Board Meeting 6:30 pm

Fri. 23rd: All School Pumpkin Patch Field Trip

Fri. 23rd: ASB Wreath Fundraiser Begin

Tues. 27th: Picture Day with BELL Studios (first thing in the A.M.)

Fri. 30th: Fall Festival Party, 11:30 Dismissal

NOV.

Sun. 1st: Daylight Saving Time Ends, Set Clocks Back One Hour

Mon. 2nd - Fri. 6th: 11:30 Dismissal for Conferences

Fri. 7th: 11:30 Dismissal: Lion Paw Day / Staff Professional Dev.

Tues. 10th: Veteran's Day Assembly at Boistfort School

Wed. 11th: Veteran's Day - NO SCHOOL

Fri. 13th: Wreath Orders Due Back at School

Tues. 17th: TK - 2nd grade, Field Trip to the Hands on Museum

Tues. 17th: School Board Meeting 6:30 pm

Tues. 24th: Thanksgiving Feast

Tues. 24th: Wreath Order Pick Up, 8:30am - 3:15pm

Wed. 25th: Wreath Order Pick Up, 8:30am - 11:45am

Wed. 25: Early Release For the Holiday, 11:30 Dismissal

Thurs. 26th - Fri. 27th: Thanksgiving Break - NO SCHOOL

Booster Club Fund Run — Reminder!

Just a reminder that our Back-to-School Fund Run is coming up soon!

Friday, October 2nd. 10:15–11:15 a.m.



Our students will be running, dancing, skipping, and walking their way around the track while raising money for the Evaline Booster Club! The Booster Club uses these funds to provide our students with extra experiences and special treats throughout the year, including student T-shirts, water bottles, swimming lessons, graduation gifts, our year-end BBQ, holiday celebrations, and more!

Pledge sheets have gone home with students and should be returned to school by the day of the Fund Run so we can fill in the number of laps your student completed. Sheets will be returned the same day. Please keep all money at home until after the fund run and you have collected all funds including your per lap donations.

Parents and families are welcome and encouraged to come cheer on our Lions! Your encouragement makes the event even more fun for our students.

Let's get moving, have some fun, and show our Evaline Lion Pride!



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TK and Kindergarten

Mrs. Tinnin

This week, kindergarteners are finishing their second chapter in math. Your child should be able to recognize and write numbers one through five.

TK students are working with numbers one through three. They are also working on taking turns, cutting safely using scissors, and how to be a good listener.

Kindergarteners are learning how to listen to sounds in words. Students use movement to show the different sounds they hear. They are also working on writing different lines. We will build on these exercises in future units. These first chapters are important for laying the groundwork for future reading as students start to learn the letter sounds.

TK students are finishing their All About Me unit. Next, they will listen to the classic tale The Lion and the Mouse. They will do different activities to support their learning and help their understanding of the tale.

Now that we are entering into the rainy season, please send rain boots or a change of shoes. Students can change into their rain boots for recess so they don't have to sit in wet shoes and socks all day.



First and Second Grade Classroom

Mrs. Mittge

Friday we celebrated our first 20 Super Student Stars with a "Wildlife Day." Students wore animal ears, studied owls, and dissected owl pellets.

In science, students are investigating phases of the moon.

First graders completed their first chapter in math. Please continue to practice counting by ones, twos, fives, and tens to 120. They should know how to take ten less and ten more from a number as well. Second graders should understand three-digit place value.

Thank you so much for being so consistent with your family's nightly reading. Students who read aloud every night for 20-30 minutes are more successful in school.

With the changing seasons students are going to be playing in all kinds of weather. Please send an extra pair of clothes with your child that can stay at school in case of emergencies. Students should also remember proper footwear and coats.

Thank you so much for a great week. I love working with this fabulous group of Evaline Explorers!

Third and Fourth Grade Classroom

Mrs. Mars

Students are making great progress in math. Third graders have begun their introductory unit on multiplication and are doing a phenomenal job. They will make the transition to multiplication karate math soon. 4th graders are starting on multiplying larger numbers. Knowing their initial facts is essential to them being successful with this. Please be practicing multiplication facts with your student for a few minutes each night.

Next week is our first Lion Paw Day. We will be having the Booster Club's Fund Run after our assembly. Students will start running/walking at 10:15. Parents are welcome to come join in on the fun either doing laps with your child or cheering them on. All the money raised for this fun even goes towards the amazing things the Booster club does for our students each year. Don't forget to get your pledges!

Fifth and Sixth Grade Classroom

Mr. Burlingame

Last week I wrote about the importance of reading and the impact it has on many aspects of our lives. I am happy to say that the reading in my classroom has increased dramatically. I now have 5 students already on the board with AR points. Our current class leader is Zuriah with 42.3 AR points! She's already passed leap 4 and has fulfilled her required points for the months of September and October. Way to go Zuriah!

If your student has chosen to be in band this year, instruments should be coming home every day for practice. It is imperative that they practice 15 minutes every day to develop the lip and finger muscles that are needed to play. Trumpet players should be starting with lip exercises that sound like they are goofing off on their mouthpieces- this is what they are supposed to be doing. Woodwind players do not need to do lip exercises like this. Both types of instruments will then need to blow long notes to build lip and lung strength. I know that this beginning period of instrument playing can be annoying to listen to but it is very important in their development. Please encourage your student to do their best and keep going. Thank you.