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## **February 12, 2020**



**15TH ANNUAL SWEETHEART AUCTION UPDATE!** *The Suamico PTO would like to thank our parents, staff, and students for a successful Sweetheart Auction! Thank you to the local businesses that helped make our event a success and to everyone who came out to support our school and raise funds to support our students' education. THANK YOU!!*

**BASKETS:** *IF YOU HAVE ANY EMPTY BASKETS FROM THE AUCTION THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO DONATE BACK FOR NEXT YEAR'S EVENT, PLEASE DROP THEM OFF AT THE OFFICE! THANKS!*






**\*\*Even if you missed the Sweetheart Auction, we have one last chance for you! For a purchase of \$99 you will receive a Harmann Studios family photo session (valued at \$500). Please contact the school office to purchase before your opportunity is gone!**

### **NEWSLETTER UPDATES:**

If you are looking for community events, or other information on what is going on in the community, you can click on the "Community Corner" tab above. This information will no longer be on Suamico's main newsletter page. You can also click on the below link for easy access:

**[COMMUNITY CORNER](#)**

## SUAMICO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DROP OFF PROCEDURES

-  Drop your child off along the coned area and have them exit the car closest to the building (not where cars can pass you on the left)
-  Pull up as far as you can
-  Have your child walk inside the coned area to the front door
-  For the safety of the children, do NOT drop off anywhere but along the coned area
-  Please do NOT park along the coned area. If you need to park, please use the east parking lot.

## SCHOOL LUNCH

### Week of February 17, 2020 Menu

**Monday** = Chicken Patty on a Bun

**Tuesday** = Cheese Quesadilla

**Wednesday** = French Toast Sticks

**Thursday** = Popcorn Chicken

**Friday** = Cheesy Pizza Slice

## CALLING FOR PARENT PICK-UP

When calling to add your child to the pick-up list, please try to do so **BEFORE 2:00 PM**. You may also send a note to your child's teacher or email the office at:

[cyntscho@hssdschools.org](mailto:cyntscho@hssdschools.org)

Thank you for your cooperation!

 Lunch Menu Link Below:

[https://schools.mealviewer.com/school/Suamico\\_Elementary](https://schools.mealviewer.com/school/Suamico_Elementary)



### ATTENTION: 3RD GRADE PARENTS REGARDING UPCOMING FIELD TRIPS:

#### 3RD GRADE

Barlow Planetarium &  
Weis Earth Science Museum

Date: Thursday, April 30, 2020

### Payment due Friday, March 20th

For more information and for online payment, please click the link below:

[3rd Grade Field Trip](#)

#### 3RD GRADE

Maribel Caves

Date: Thursday, May 14, 2020

### Payment due Friday, March 20th

For more information and for online payment, please click the link below:

[3rd Grade Field Trip](#)



### KIDS HEART CHALLENGE/JUMP ROPE FOR HEART

This year's Jump Rope For Heart event, now called Kids Heart Challenge, will take place during the school day. Mr. Murphy is in need of parent volunteers to assist with rope turning, general assistance, and the counting of the 1 minute hot pepper jumps. Please see the Master Class Schedule below to locate the available session times. If you are available to assist during a session, or multiple sessions, please contact Mr. Murphy at [victmorp@hssdschools.org](mailto:victmorp@hssdschools.org) or call 920-662-9857.

#### 2020 Suamico School Kids Heart Challenge Master Schedule February 10th 11th 13th

**Monday February 10th** Two Classrooms Per Time Slot  
Session #1 9:40-10:40 Prien & Bortz  
Session #2 2:00-3:00 Hallam & Anderson

**Tuesday February 11th** Two Classrooms Per Time Slot  
8:40 – 9:40 Preston & Culligan Session # 3 9:40 –  
10:40 Mikle & Bender  
Session #5 1:00-2:00 Reindl & Meisinger  
Session #6 2:00-3:00 Nyquist & Hanson

**Thursday February 13th** Two Classrooms Per Time Slot Session # 7  
8:40 – 9:40 Ehmke & Vissers  
Session #8 2:25-3:25 Nigbur & Arndt



**PLANNING AHEAD: LINEVILLE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL CLASS CHOICES:**

In March fourth graders and their parents will learn about the music class options at Lineville: band, chorus, and orchestra. A music class selection for fifth grade must be made by the end of March. In addition, course descriptions will be provided for several other fifth grade classes, and

parents will be able to indicate their preferences. Course descriptions and registration information will be available on March 11th, and selections must be made and the registration completed within two weeks.

Parents who desire more information at this time are invited to visit the music class websites, which are linked to the Lineville home page:

<http://linevillehssd.weebly.com>

**HOW TO EARN FOR SUAMICO ELEMENTARY..... BOX TOPS MAKES IT EASY:**

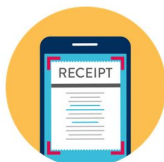
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No more clipping. No more sending Box Tops to school. All you need is your phone. Download the ALL-NEW Box Tops app and link your account to Suamico Elementary, shop as you normally would, then simply scan your store receipts to find participating products. The app will automatically credit your school's Box Tops earnings online.

\*\*You can still clip them and send them to school. Physical Box Top clips are being phased out of production but may continue to be found on many products throughout the store. Send your clipped Box Tops, along with any unexpired clips you may have at home to Suamico Elementary!

CLICK HERE TO SEE A VIDEO ON HOW THE NEW PROCESS

WORKS: <https://youtu.be/PvRWQLA-jRI>

**THE FLU: CLICK HERE for "The Flu: A Guide for Parents"**

Thank you in advance for your help!

Victor Murphy

Suamico Elementary Physical Education

Bay Port Head Varsity Girls Track Coach

Bay View 8th Grade Boys Basketball Coach

[victmorp@hssdschools.org](mailto:victmorp@hssdschools.org) 920-662-9857

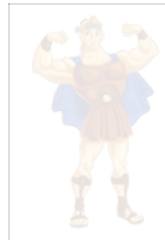


**4TH GRADE FIELD TRIP TO**

**MADISON:**

Although it is quite a ways away, the 4th grade Field Trip to Madison is scheduled for June 1st, 2020. Please mark your calendars! If you plan on attending the field trip with your child, you must complete a background check. Please **CLICK HERE** and you will be brought to the HSSD webpage where you can complete your on-line application. Please don't wait until the last minute as it takes a while for your background check to be reviewed.

**THANK YOU!**



**BAY PORT DRAMA CLUB WORKSHOP:**

Where: Bay Port High School

When: Saturday, February 15th

Time: 8:00am - 1:00pm

**\*\*PERFORMANCE AT 1:00PM\*\***

**Event Flyer**

**Hercules Drama Club Workshop Sign Up Link**



**PTO Meeting 2019/2020 Dates and Times:**

Please consider joining our PTO meetings on the following dates and times (all meetings take place in the Suamico library and babysitting is provided).

- March 10, 2020- 6:30
- April 7, 2020- 6:30
- May 5, 2020- 6:30

Agendas will be sent ahead of each meeting!

**FEBRUARY PTO MINUTES- CLICK HERE**

**PTO BY-LAWS- CLICK HERE**




**New Visitor Procedure**

In order to ensure the safety of our

# IS IT A COLD OR FLU?

Signs and Symptoms	Cold	Flu
Symptom onset	Gradual	Abrupt
Fever	Rare	Usual
Aches	Slight	Usual
Chills	Uncommon	Fairly common
Fatigue, weakness	Sometimes	Usual
Sneezing	Common	Sometimes
Stuffy nose	Common	Sometimes
Sore throat	Common	Sometimes
Chest discomfort, cough	Mild to moderate	Common
Headache	Rare	Common

#FIGHT FLU 

**TECHNOLOGIES**  
THE GOLD STANDARD IN SCHOOL SAFETY

In order to ensure the safety of our students and staff, the District will now be utilizing the Raptor security software in all

of our schools. Visitors and/or volunteers must present their drivers license or a photo id upon arrival in the office. It will be scanned by office personnel, and a badge printed with your picture along with the date and time. This badge must be visible while you are in the building during the school day. If you are dropping something off in the office, or signing your child in or out of school, you will not need to present your id. A new badge will be created each time you visit, so it is important to always have your photo id with you.



**FEBRUARY KINDNESS CHALLENGE:**

Student Council has chosen February as the month we will be honoring kindness at Suamico Elementary. We will be doing a whole school kindness challenge and we are making some tweaks to the process this year.

**Who:** K-4 students  
**What:** Kindness Challenge

**When:** The whole month of February

**Where:** Student can complete the acts of kindness in/outside of school

**How:** *Your son/daughter will be given a bingo card with several acts of kindness on it that they will be asked to complete, in any order, over the month of February. By encouraging your child to participate in the kindness challenge they could experience physical, social, and emotional benefits and lasting character building values. It's a win/win situation for your child, classmates, and the whole school community! Once your child has completed the bingo card, please spend some time looking/talking it over with him/her and sign and return it to their teacher. When the teacher receive the completed and signed bingo card he/she will then give your child a special kindness award. Their bingo card will then be placed in a whole-grade level bin to be randomly drawn for a bigger prize and recognition over the school announcements. Ultimately, we want to encourage kindness in/outside of school. Please let me know if you have any questions about the process and thank you for your support!*

**Why:** Because... kindness is cool! :)

**FROM THE SCHOOL BOARD:**

January, 2020

**Learning and Growing Together at the State Education Convention**

"Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world" Nelson Mandela

The State Education Convention, sponsored in part by the Wisconsin Association of School Boards (WASB), met January 21-24 in Milwaukee and provided an opportunity for school board members and other administrators from HSSD to network, learn and share important issues related to public education in Wisconsin. With the theme of "Expanding Your Vision," representatives heard keynote speakers and attended breakout sessions focusing on student learning, school finances, mental health, building community relationships, just to name a few. Learning from another school board or district can open new possibilities or create a reflection on our current policies for the Howard-Suamico School District.

For more information about the Howard-Suamico School District, Board of Education, please visit our website at [www.hssdschools.org](http://www.hssdschools.org), or for more information on this article, contact school board member listed below:



**Rachelle Paulsen**  
[rachpaul@hssdschools.org](mailto:rachpaul@hssdschools.org)



## Keeping you informed of Suamico Elementary Events.....

<p><b>February</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>14 NO SCHOOL</li> <li>20 Read 20</li> <li>21 Pajama Day</li> <li>25 Parent/Teacher Conference (4:00-7:30)</li> <li>27 Parent/Teacher Conference (4:00-7:30)</li> <li>28 NO SCHOOL</li> </ul> <p><b>March</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>11 Student Council Meeting 7:55-8:25 am</li> <li>11 4th Grade Music Demo Day at LV (1:30-3:00)</li> <li>12 Interest Fair- 6:00</li> <li>13 NO SCHOOL</li> <li>20 Read 20</li> <li>20 3rd Quarter Ends</li> <li>23-27 SPRING BREAK</li> </ul>	<p><b>April</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>10 NO SCHOOL</li> <li>15 Student Council Meeting 7:55-8:25 am</li> <li>17 School Store</li> <li>20 Read 20</li> <li>20 4th Grade Parent Meeting- LV (6:30)</li> <li>24 4th Grade Puberty Talk- 2:00</li> </ul> <p><b>May</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>07 Breakfast Buddies</li> <li>08 Welcome to Kindergarten</li> <li>13 Student Council Meeting 7:55-8:25 am</li> <li>15 NO SCHOOL</li> <li>20 Read 20</li> <li>25 NO SCHOOL</li> <li>29 Field Day (12:30-3:00)</li> </ul> <p><b>June</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>09 Early Release at 1:25 pm</li> <li>09 LAST DAY OF SCHOOL</li> <li>09 4th Quarter Ends</li> </ul>
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