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March 20, 2019

"Together is Better"



IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR THE NEW YEAR!

New Year = New Email addresses for Howard-Suamico School District Staff






Starting December 26, 2018 all HSSD email addresses will end a new extension: @hssdschools.org and our website address will also become www.hssdschools.org. During the transition, former email addresses (ending in @hssd.k12.wi.us) will work for a limited time to receive email. We will be testing the new addresses in early January to double check that emails aren't caught up in recipients' spam filters. Stay tuned for updates after the holidays.

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 April 1st, 2019 Menu

Monday = Cheesy Bosco Sticks

Tuesday = Hamburger on a Bun

Wednesday = Mini Corn Dogs

Thursday = Diced Chicken and Gravy

Friday = Brunch for Lunch

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@hssd.k12.wi.us

PLEASE NOTE: If your child knows he is a pick-up, you do not need to notify the office.

Thank you for your cooperation!



 Lunch Menu Link Below:

https://schools.mealviewer.com/school/Suamico_Elementary



ATTENTION: KINDERGARTEN AND 1ST GRADE PARENTS REGARDING UPCOMING FIELD TRIPS:

1ST GRADE

Barkhausen Waterfowl Preserve

Date: Tuesday, April 30, 2019

PAYMENT DUE Friday, April 5th

1st Grade Field Trip Sign-Up

KINDERGARTEN

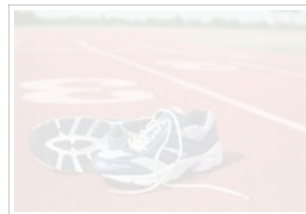
Green Bay Botanical Gardens

Date: Friday, May 17, 2019

PAYMENT DUE Friday, April 29th

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

[Kindergarten Field Trip Sign-Up](#)



BAY PORT YOUTH TRACK CLUB:

2019 BAY PORT YOUTH TRACK CLUB OPEN TO BOYS & GIRLS IN GRADES 3

- 4 - 5 - 6

The program includes a T-shirt, free entry into Bay Port track meets, an introduction to and instruction in track

and field events, and a ribbon for every child during our club meets. All track club activities will occur at the Bay Port High School track facilities.

[CLICK HERE](#) to sign up!



4TH GRADE FIELD TRIP TO MADISON:

Hello Suamico 4th Grade Parents:

Our 4th grade students will be going to Madison on Monday, June 3, 2019. If you are planning to attend as a parent, please be sure of the following:

- Student fee is \$0...costs are covered by PTO.
- Parent fee is \$40 per parent.
- Parents that are attending must be an approved HSSD volunteer!

MARCH- SUAMICO LITERACY NEWS:

The most important thing we can give our kids is a LOVE of reading. Here are some resources from the PACKERS as they support the importance of reading together!

- Packers & Brown County Library [Recommended Book Lists](#)
- Packers Mike & Jessica McCarthy
 - [Read Like a Champion](#) - Video
 - [Read Like a Champion - Emerging Reader](#) - Video
 - [Read Like a Champion - Early Reader](#) - Video
 - Triple check unknown words & comprehension
 - [Read Like a Champion - Fluent Reader](#) - Video



Mrs. Susan Tegen, Literacy Coach
Email: susatege@hssd.k12.wi.us



Mrs. Kathy Pludeman, Literacy Interventionist
Email: kathplud@hssd.k12.wi.us

Please feel free to contact either Susan or Kathy with any literacy related questions or comments.



PTO Meeting 2018/2019 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).

- April 2, 2019- 6:30
- May 7, 2019- 6:30

Agendas will be sent ahead of each meeting!

MARCH PTO MINUTES- [CLICK HERE](#)
PTO BY-LAWS- [CLICK HERE](#)



SPRING BREAK:

Neville Public Museum
210 Museum Place • Green Bay, WI 54303
www.NevillePublicMuseum.org
Bridging Communities • Connecting Generations

[CLICK HERE](#) for Spring Break free admission offer from the Neville Public Museum!



Save the date: **Thursday, April 25, 11, (5:30-9 pm) Annual Taste of the Villages and Auction** benefiting the Howard-Suamico

- Parents driving is acceptable, but discouraged. Students attending this trip together, riding the bus and enjoying their last moments together as part of Suamico Elementary is really one of the best parts of the trip. If you need to drive, I will require your child to take the bus on the way to Madison.

Please [CLICK HERE](#) to sign up and pay- If you have questions about the field trip or your volunteer status, please contact Lisa Swan at lisaswan@hssdschools.org or 920-662-9801.

DEADLINE IS FRIDAY MAY 3!



Suamico is excited to share that we will be offering the **Prevea LUV2RUN (L2R)** program this spring! If your child (2nd grade - 4th grade) is interested in running the Cellcom 5k Race on Saturday, May 18th this could be a great opportunity for him/her! Please read the information below to see if this could be a good fit for your son/daughter!

- Parents and students **must** attend a mandatory meeting on either April 4th & April 9th from 4:00-4:30 in order to sign up and participate.
- Students should be able to run about a mile prior to practice beginning on April 11th.
- Practices will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays right after school.
- All students **MUST** be picked up by parents/guardians **on time**. Pick up times will vary based on mileage (4:00- 4:20 p.m.)
- Parent volunteers are encouraged and welcomed for all practices!
- On Saturday, May 18th students will need to be brought to the Cellcom race by parents. Suamico runners will meet up for a picture beforehand and students can run with a buddy if they choose. Parents are responsible for their child before, during, and after the race.

See this [video from Aaron Rodgers about Prevea's LUV2RUN Program!](#)

Ms. Beaudry
Mrs. Foley



NOTICING ATTENTION/FOCUS ISSUES IN YOUR CHILD?

In the below attachment you will find some natural strategies to try that may support your child's overall health and well-being in addition to improved attention/focus. Please contact your child's teacher, school

counselor, school social worker, or school psychologist with any further questions or concerns. Together is better!

[ATTENTION WITHOUT MEDICATION HANDOUT](#)



School District Giving Tree
Pantry. We are planning some
new and exciting things for this
auction! We will have important

updates on our webpage, as the event gets closer. At 1951 West / Rock Garden
in Green Bay. [Click on this link for the many ways you can help.](#)



SEND IN YOUR BOX TOPS:

Please keep cutting, checking the expiration
date and sending in your Box Tops! Thank
you!



BAY PORT DRAMA CLUB:

[Bay Port Drama Club invites you to register
your kids \(from grades Kindergarten- 6th
Grade\) for our biannual Theater Workshop. On
Saturday, April 13th, from 9AM-2PM.](#) Bay Port
Drama Club will be hosting "The Princess and
the Frog" themed day of fun-filled learning
opportunities for students who are excited about
theater.



We have a **VERY** large supply of lost and found
items! When you stop by the school, please
come inside and take a look to see if anything
belongs to your child. The table is located
across from the office. **Any clothing that is not
picked** will be donated to the Howard
Suamico Giving
Tree.

FROM THE SCHOOL BOARD

"Education then, beyond all other devices of human origin, is the great equalizer of the conditions of men, the balance-wheel of the social machinery..."

Horace Mann

Our students continue to perform academically at a high level. Whether measured against our local districts, the state of Wisconsin or other countries, our students distinguish themselves on a regular basis. One of the keys to this level of success is the support the district receives from our community. When complemented by ongoing, transparent dialogue, the Howard and Suamico communities have demonstrated consistent, heart-felt support for our students, educators and leadership.

While there are many other positives in our district, public education is not without serious ongoing, as well as newer challenges. Perhaps the most long-standing hurdle continues to be the state funding formula that creates million dollar inequities amongst similar districts only miles apart. HSSD in partnership with local legislators have made meaningful progress in solving this issue, but much work remains. From anxiety to depression, a more recent and emerging nationwide struggle is the increased prevalence of mental health challenges amongst students. As a parent and board member I'm proud of the intensive, compassionate approach HSSD demonstrates every day as they tackle this unique challenge head-on. Even amongst the constant balance of success and struggle, I share Horace Mann's hope, via public education, for future generations.

For more information about the Howard-Suamico School District please visit our website at www.hssdschools.org or for additional information regarding this article, please reach out to your Board member Rachelle Paulsen.



Rachelle Paulsen

rachpaul@hssdschools.org





IMPORTANT INFORMATION FROM SCHOOL NURSE:

There is a lot of students sick this time of year. Please see below for important information. For a printed copy, click the links.

[Well Enough?](#)

[Flu, Cold or Whooping Cough](#)

[Important Flu Information](#)

Well Enough?	Stay Home 	Good to Go! 
Fever	If your child has a temperature of 100.4°F	When your child is fever-free for 24 hours (without fever reducing medications like Tylenol)
Vomiting	If your child has vomited in the last 24 hours	When vomiting stops and your child can hold food/water down
Diarrhea	If your child has diarrhea more than three times a day or if it is watery	When there is no diarrhea for 24 hours
Pinkeye	If the eye is stuck, bright red, oozing yellow or green discharge	When your child has been on antibiotic eye drops for at least 24 hours
Strep Throat	If your child has a confirmed case of strep throat	When your child has been on antibiotics for 24 hours
Cough/Sore Throat	If your child has an achy throat, swollen glands, a headache or stomachache	When symptoms improve

How to Prevent Illnesses

- 1) Wash hands or use hand sanitizer to clean your hands of any germs
- 2) Cover your cough or sneeze with your elbow or tissue to stop the spread of illness
- 3) Get plenty of rest, water and eat a healthy diet to boost your immune system
- 4) Stay home when you are sick to help prevent the spread of illness
- 5) Clean surfaces like doorknobs, counters, toys, light switches to clean them of any germs
- 6) Avoid touching your eyes, mouth and nose as that is where germs get into your body.



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

March	21 School Store 22 3RD QUARTER ENDS 25-29 NO SCHOOL- Spring Recess	August	27 Open House (4:30-6:00)
April	11 3rd Grade Field Trip 18 4th Grade LV Shadow Days (9:30-12:30) 19 NO SCHOOL 25 4th Grade LV Parent Meeting (6:30-7:30)	September	03 First Day of School 27 NO SCHOOL
May	10 2nd Grade Field Trip 16 School Store 17 Early Release at 1:25 27 NO SCHOOL- Memorial Day	October	25 NO SCHOOL
June	03 4th Grade Field Trip 06 Last Day of School	November	05 Parent Teacher Conferences (4-7:30) 07 Parent Teacher Conferences (4-7:30) 08 1ST QUARTER ENDS 27-29 NO SCHOOL
		December	23-31 NO SCHOOL- WINTER RECESS

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PTO Website: <http://suamicopto.weebly.com>



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