

Edgerton Christian Elementary School

March 6, 2020



ECES Spring Donation Sale Friday, March 27!
Only **THREE** Weeks Away!

[Any items that can be donated early would be greatly appreciated,](#) so we can advertise the donated items on our website and in the ECES Newsletter.

Don't know what to bring to the Donation Sale? Gift baskets, wood pallet and repurposed décor/furniture, hunting and fishing trips, cabin and hotel stays, and other creative ideas will make a FUN evening of fundraising! The auction will begin at **6:45pm**.

** There are junior high students willing to babysit for you at your home *free of charge* so you can come to the sale. They get a special privilege at school for doing this so they are anxious to be "hired!" Contact the school if you're interested or have questions.

GRILLED HAMBURGER SUPPER

Come early and enjoy a Grilled Hamburger Supper sponsored by Parents' Club! They will be serving from **5:00-6:30pm**. It's a delicious way to start the evening!

CALLING ALL BAKERS

Parents Club is in need of **7 pans of unfrosted brownies** (not the cake kind, but the "fudge" variety) and **5 pans of chocolate chip cookie bars** for the Donation Sale Supper. Contact the school office if you are willing to donate a pan or two of bars and or brownies. **Your willingness to bake and share is appreciated! Thank You!**

REMINDERS To Help You Plan Ahead:

1. **Friday, March 13: Butter Braid delivery** - If your child has an order too large to go home with them on the bus or walking, we ask that you please call or email the office so we know who will be picking it up. Orders that students take home go to the classroom and the other orders for pick up after school go to the gym.
2. **Tuesday, March 17:** 8th grade play, "Shakespeare Goes To Gravel Gulch."
3. **Friday, March 20:** End of 3rd quarter, no Jazz Band practice, 6th grade chapel at 8:30am, and a scheduled early dismissal at noon.
4. As you're making your child's next appointments for ortho, dental, therapy, chiropractor, doctor, eye, etc., **please avoid the week of April 6th.** That week is when the next round of NWEA testing (replacement of ITBS) will take place.

We are excited to announce that **Shawna Sjaarda** will join us next year as a Kindergarten teacher along with Margene Raak. She started her teaching career at Nicaragua Christian Academy right after graduating from Dordt College. She then taught at Sioux Falls Christian and Leota Christian before making a family decision to raise/teach her children near Beaver Creek with her husband, Nick. We are looking forward to welcoming her and her family to Southwest MN Christian Schools next year!



SAVE THE DATE! Parents of prospective Kindergarten and their child are invited to **Kindergarten Round Up on Monday, March 23rd** for an evening of exploration into all the great aspects of Kindergarten at ECES! Your child needs to be 5 years old by September 1, 2020 to attend Kindergarten this fall. **If you know of others who do not presently send their children to our school, but may be interested, please let us know** – we'd like to contact them and send information about ECES.

LOOKING FOR GREAT REASONS NOT TO COOK SUPPER?

1. The Luverne CRC Youth Group will be holding their annual fundraising supper at Sterling's Café as a Tip Night on Monday, **March 9** from 5:30 – 7 PM. The meal includes house salad, burger bar, fries and soda for \$10. Proceeds will be used to serve at The Banquet and participate in Rock the Edge community serve project this summer. Please join us Downtown Luverne for a night of good food and fellowship!
2. The Southwest Christian High School Circles invite you to their annual Spring Soup and Dessert supper on Tuesday, **March 24**. The serving time is 5:30 to 7:30 PM. The soup menu will include Chili, Cheesy Vegetable, Pea, or Chicken Taco. BBQ Sandwiches and homemade desserts will also be offered. Free will donations are gratefully accepted!

SPECIAL REQUEST:

The materials listed below are needed for the 8th Grade play. If you have any of these items available for us to borrow for the play, please call or email the school as soon as possible. Also, please mark your items so we can get them back to you. Thank you!

- Bookshelf, 5-6 ft tall
- Old cash register
- Antique-looking hand mirror
- Bar stool
- Barrel
- Old music box
- Cowboy hats
- FAKE black guns (squirt guns that can be painted black, Halloween costume guns, etc)
- Rubber chicken
- Sheriff's badge
- 6 pieces of wood for building a fire
- Brown vest
- Black cape
- Banjo/small guitar
- Western or "old time" clothing – both dresses & men's outfits

Hot Lunch Menu March 9-13

Monday: Pizza hot dish, peas, fresh veggies, garlic toast, applesauce

Tuesday: Hamburgers, baked beans, fresh veggies, apples

Wednesday: Chicken fajita, refried beans, corn, fruit salad

Thursday: Pancakes, sausage, blueberry sauce, OJ, mandarin oranges, fresh veggies

Friday: Ham & cheese/bun, fresh veggies, green beans, pineapple

MARCH

- 9 Safety Patrol: Kaitlyn S Hannah C
- 13 Jazz Band (7:30) Breakfast: Makenzie Pap, Dawson Vander Top,
Jacob Masselink
- BUTTER BRAID DELIVERY**
- 16 Safety Patrol: Savannah S, Coco S
- 17 8th Grade Play "Shakespeare Goes To Gravel Gulch"
- 20 NO JAZZ BAND
6th Grade Chapel 8:30am
EARLY DISMISSAL 12:00
End of 3rd Qtr
- 23 Safety Patrol: Cameron F, Caden S
Kindergarten Round Up!
- 27 Jazz Band (7:30) Breakfast: Ashlyn Houselog, Hannah Masselink,
Mason Tinklenberg
- ECES Donation Sale**
Kindergarten Class Trip – Brookings Children Museum
- 30 Safety Patrol: Nilson VH, Gavin R

APRIL

- 6 Safety Patrol: Madyson F, Abby M
* KINDERGARTEN TODAY
- 6-9 NWEA Testing (replacement for ITBS)**
- 10 NO SCHOOL – Easter Break
- 13 NO SCHOOL
- 14 Safety Patrol: Keira DB, Hannah C
- 16 3rd-8th Grade Fine Arts Day (12:30-3:00pm)
- 17 Jazz Band (7:30) Breakfast: Carson Rozeboom, Presley Van Dyke,
Keegan Hamm
- 20 Safety Patrol: Carson R, Kade F
- 23 3rd Grade Class Trip To The Circus
- 24 NO JAZZ BAND
EARLY DISMISSAL 12:00
- 27 Safety Patrol: Selah K, Hannah M

MAY

- 1 Jazz Band (7:30) Breakfast: Kalli Blom, J.R. Van Stelton, Jonah Ulk
K-4 Spring Musical 9:30am
5-8 Track & Field Day at SWC 12:30-3:00pm
- 4 Safety Patrol: Kevin VH, Megan R
- 6 Preschool 4's Field Trip – Brookings Children's Museum
- 8 NO JAZZ BAND
- 11 Safety Patrol: Haylie T, Ava B
- 12 2nd Grade Class Trip
- 13 5-8 Dordt Track Meet 12:00-5:30 Sioux Center IA