# SANDHILL E-NEWS

**WEEK OF MARCH 22, 2021** 

## Message from Mr. Johnson:

Hi Sandhill Families!

Thank you so much for quickly filling out our Phase 3
Reopening Survey! Last week we proposed that our K-5 students can choose to attend school every day, 5 days a week, or attend school virtually. On Monday, we presented our proposal for Phase 3 of Reopening for grades 3-5 to the Board of Education and our proposal was approved! On Monday, April 5, we are excited to welcome even more students every day, in-person!

A weather/clothing reminder: If your in-person Viking is one who is good at finding puddles or mud, a change of clothes may something smart to pack in our soggy Wisconsin spring weeks ahead.

I hope you have a wonderful weekend! It's so beautiful outside, I hope you're able to take some time to enjoy it. If after checking out the content in our E-Newsletter you are still left with questions or concerns, please reach out or contact the main office at 608-877-5400. We are always happy to chat with you.

Monday is a A Day.

Take care, Bob (Mr. Johnson)

## Spring Break Next Week

There is no school the week of March 29th. See you on Monday, April 5th!



# School Meals Reminder - Preparing for Phase 3

Per the USDA, meals are free to all students until the end of the 2020-21 school year and we want to make the transition to Phase 3 on April 5 as smooth as possible.

If you are currently signed up for meals and <u>are changing</u>
<u>learning models</u> on April 5, you should have received an email from Jenny McKenna asking for your meals confirmation.



If you are currently signed up for meals and <u>are not</u> changing learning models, your meals will remain the same.

If you are not signed up for meals and would like to, please visit our <u>website</u> OR see below to read through our options by grade level and learning model:

VIRTUAL VIKINGS GRADES K-5 may participate in weekly onsite meal pick up

• Onsite pick up will include breakfast and lunch for 7 days. Students must SIGN UP HERE.

**IN-PERSON VIKINGS GRADES K-2** may participate in daily school meals.

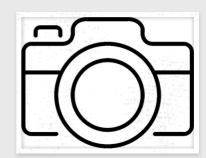
Students currently receiving meals will continue receiving meals daily; They will also
continue to receive a Friday grab and go bag including meals for Saturday and Sunday.
Students must take breakfast and lunch. If you are not receiving meals at school and
would like to, you will need to SIGN UP HERE.

IN-PERSON VIKINGS GRADES 3-5 may participate in option 1 and/or option 2.

- Option 1 Onsite pick up will include lunch for Saturday and Sunday and breakfast for all 7 days. Students must <u>SIGN UP HERE</u>.
- Option 2 Daily onsite lunch for all 5 days of the week Sign up is **not required**. Note that breakfast is not served in the building.

### LAST CHANCE - School Pictures

Please remember to sign up for school pictures! There will be no retake options this year. If your child does not have their picture taken, they will appear in the annual yearbook with their name only. Please only sign up if you HAVE NOT yet had a picture taken this school year.



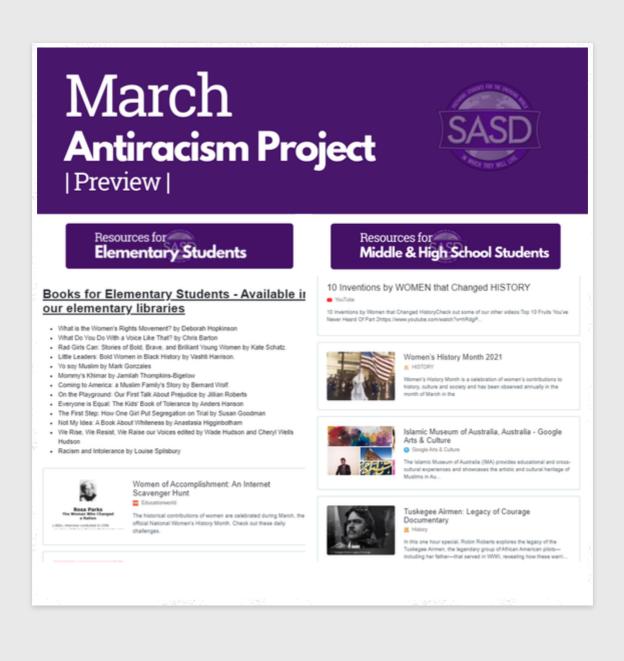
Please <u>click here</u> to access our picture sign up link and to review health protocols and order information.

#### **Sandhill Times:**

Tues. March 23, 2pm - 6pm Picture day ID EVT7PFDBM Sign Up

#### **Ordering Pictures**

Because school pictures will be running on a tight schedule, please make every effort to order pictures <u>online</u>. If you need to submit an order via check or cash, please be prepared to complete your order form quickly while at school and submit directly to the photographer. <u>Order online here</u> with your building Picture Day IDs indicated below.



## Are you or someone you know living in any of the following circumstances?

- Sharing the housing of others due to a loss of housing, economic hardship, foreclosure, eviction, or similar reason
- Living in motels, hotels, trailer parkers, or campgrounds due to the lack of other adequate options
- · Living in transitional living or emergency shelters
- Living in places not designated or intended as sleeping accommodations for humans
- Living in cars, parks, abandoned buildings, bus stations, etc.
- A youth not living with a parent/guardian and in one of the above situations

## For assistance with receiving services, contact one of the Stoughton Area School District Social Workers

Teresa Hermanson High School and 4K Programs teresa.hermanson@stoughton.k12.wi.us

Office phone: 608-877-5613 Cell Phone: 608-576-0707

Carly Kolb
River Bluff and Fox Prairie
carly.kolb@stoughton.k12.wi.us
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Cell number: 608-576-6375

Kayla McDermot Sandhill and Kegonsa kayla.mcdermot@stoughton.k12.wi.us Office phone: 608-877-5423 Cell phone: 608-440-0270

#### **Local Food Pantries and Personal Essential Pantry**

Stoughton Food Pantry 520 S 4th Street, Stoughton Hours: Monday-Wednesday 10am-2pm Thursdays 10am-2pm and 4pm-6pm Closed Friday First Saturday of the month 9am-11am Call for an appointment: 608-873-8103	United Methodist Food Pantry 525 Lincoln Avenue, Stoughton Hours: Tuesdays 9am-11am and 4pm-7pm Call for appointment: 608-873-3273 x 101
Personal Essentials Pantry 343 E. Main Street, Stoughton Hours: 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month: 1pm-5pm Call 608-620-3250	

## From the virtual desk of NHA:

In this week's NHA entry, we are sharing what a true consequence looks like, not Grindewald's vision from Harry Potter! Sorry, HP fans! Click through For the Greater Good.

To your (and your child's) GREATNESS, Humanity, & Significance!!!
Amy



## A Message From PHMDC

You may have plans for spring break. As you finalize your plans, think about all the ways you can reduce your risk of getting COVID for each leg of your journey, and how they can all add up to make your trip less risky.



#### Some examples are:

- Drive to your destination instead of flying.
- If driving, map out your route ahead of time to avoid stops in areas with high COVID activity. This site has great tips, including how to find less risky rest stops: <a href="http://wapo.st/2ZOWYUD">http://wapo.st/2ZOWYUD</a>
- A void crowded places and opt for locations and establishments that are less busy.
- Late Choose outdoor activities over indoor activities. A visit to a state or national park is less risky than visiting an indoor museum.
- Mask up.
- If you're traveling with or visiting folks outside of your household, discuss ahead of time how you'll safely combine your pods. Our blog post gives you tips: <a href="https://bit.ly/3pSAugy">https://bit.ly/3pSAugy</a>

## **SELF-SCREEN QUICK SHEET**



# Before sending your student to school, you must screen them.

Answer the question: Does my student meet one or more of the self-screen criteria listed? If NO, you may send your student to school. If YES, follow the Next Steps.



Student has tested positive for COVID-19



Student is experiencing symptoms\* of COVID-19



Student has had close contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19

#### **NEXT STEPS**

- 1. Call your school's attendance line to report your student's absence.
- 2. Fill out the **Student COVID-19** Form at stoughton.k12.wi.us under the "COVID-19" tab.
- 3. Contact your health care provider for next steps.



\*Symptoms of COVID-19



- Cough
- Shortness of breath or Sore throat difficulty breathing
- Fever equal to or greater than 100.4°F
- Chills
- Fatigue
- Muscle or body aches
- Headache
- New loss of taste or smell
- Diarrhea
- Congestion or runny nose
- Nausea or vomiting

### **CONTACTLESS LIBRARY BOOK CHECK OUT**

We are continuing to offer curbside pickup for library books. Students can still put books on hold through Destiny Discover on our E-Library website. When the books are ready, Mrs. Fingerson will reach out to students and families.

**SCHOOL LUNCH SIGN-UP** 

#### VIRTUAL STUDENT TECHNOLOGY SUPPORT

#### **DISTRICT A/B CALENDAR**

### Past Newsletters:

Week of 8/17/2020 Week of 8/24/2020 Week of 8/31/2020
Week of 9/7/2020 Week of 9/14/2020 Week of 9/21/2020
Week of 9/28/2020 Week of 10/5/2020 Week of 10/12/2020
Week of 10/19/2020 Week of 10/26/2020 Week of 11/2/2020
Week of 11/9/2020 Week of 11/16/2020 Week of 11/23/2020
Week of 11/30/2020 Week of 12/7/2020 Week of 12/14/2020
Week of 12/21/2020 Week of 1/11/2021 Week of 1/18/2021
Week of 1/25/2021 Week of 2/1/2021 Week of 3/1/2021
Week of 3/8/2021 Week of 3/15/2021 Week of 3/22/2021



