



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Mask Mandate: Saturday, March 12th, the mask mandate will be lifted as mentioned in a recent LWSD district email. **Please begin having the conversation with your child about what you expect.** See a blurb from the district email below:

This means that beginning Saturday, March 12, barring a new requirement from our local health department, masks will become optional in our school buildings and on school buses. Staff and students will have the choice to wear a mask at school, with the expectation that others' choices will be respected.

Until March 12, masks will continue to be required for all students, staff, and visitors in all Lake Washington School District buildings and on buses.

One School, One Book

We are very excited to launch a school community shared read experience of "Wishtree" by Katherine Applegate! The New York Times bestselling story of kindness, friendship, and tolerance will bring our community together in a new way!

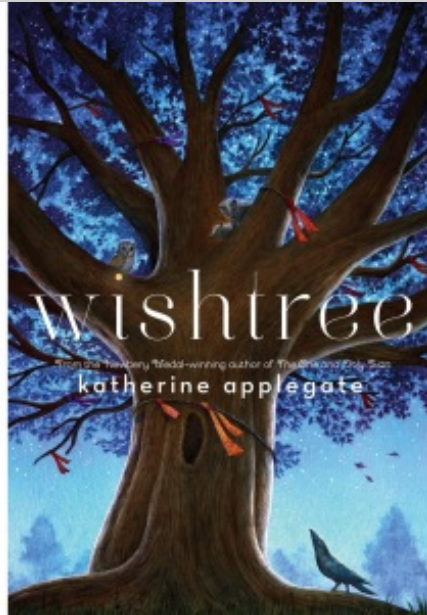
Here are the details:

- **In the Classroom:** Students will read the book and engage in dialogue and activities to enhance understanding.
- **At home:** Families are invited and encouraged to read along at home to continue the conversation and build on the learning. Watch for a suggested reading schedule and discussion questions!
- **As a community:** May 1st - Wish Day culminating event

Please purchase your copy of Wishtree and, if you are able, a copy or two extra to donate!

Please take a moment to complete the survey.

[Wishtree Book Survey](#)



National School Breakfast Week



Welcome to National School Breakfast week, the count down will now commence: 5, 4, 3, 2, 1....

Take Off for National School Breakfast week is underway.

Did you know studies show that students who eat breakfast reach higher levels of achievement and have better concentration and memory?

Our school cafeteria heroes work every day to make healthy meal options available.

[National School Breakfast Week](#)

Rose Hill Student Magazine

The Rose Hill 5th graders are excited to announce the second edition of the Rose Hill magazine that will be published once a month! 5th graders will be doing the editing, creating some of the articles, and will help format the overall structure each month. However, we also want your submissions! Any student in K-5 can submit a piece of artwork, story, informational essay, poetry, or comic strip. Please keep your submissions to no more than one page. **The deadline for submissions for the second edition is Mar 11.** You can submit it in person to the library or you can e-mail an electronic version to Winston Cheng, the paper's manager for the first couple of editions, s-wcheng@lwsd.org. We are super excited to get going. If you have questions about what can be submitted, please ask Mr. Neugebauer, tneugebauer@lwsd.org. The magazine will be published electronically, and we will have some paper copies in the library. This is a new endeavor for Rose Hill, so expect some adjustments as we get it up and running. Happy writing!

5th Grade Leadership

Student Magazine Team



IMPORTANT INFORMATION TO NOTE

Covid Information

We have been getting questions about students missing class for vaccine appointments or for students staying home due to side effects after the shot. See below for guidance on when to stay home. All absences related to COVID-19 will be excused. Let us know if you have any questions.

I just got vaccinated and have side effects that are similar to COVID-19. Do I have to stay home?

[Is it COVID-19 or a vaccine reaction? \(wa.gov\)](#)

You may return to work/school and not quarantine within a few days of vaccine

administration, IF:

- You HAVE NOT been in contact with someone with COVID-19 AND
- You feel well enough and are willing to perform normal activities such as work or school AND
- You do not have a fever AND
- Symptoms are LIMITED ONLY to those observed following COVID-19 vaccination: Pain, Redness, Swelling, Fatigue, Muscle Aches, Diarrhea, Nausea, or Headache.



BUSINESS MATTERS

ATTENDANCE - Parents must alert the school office if their child is going to come in late or miss school for any reason. **Please email RoseHillESAttend@lwsd.org or call 425-936-2681** to report any absences/late arrivals. Any questions you may contact our school registrar, Shawn Vasco at svasco@lwsd.org.

INCLEMENT WEATHER RECESS - Please remember we send students out to recess on rainy days unless it is raining very heavily. Be sure to dress your child appropriately with well fitted boots (if they have them) and jackets with hoods. Any clothing borrowed from the health room should be laundered and returned to the school office as quickly as possible.



CALENDAR

MAR 11 NO SCHOOL - LEAP DAY



Quick Links:

Rose Hill Elementary: <http://rosehill.lwsd.org/>

LWSD: www.lwsd.org

PTSA: <http://rheptsa.org>

Peachjar: [Community eflyers](#)





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