

February 23, 2023

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Upcoming NO SCHOOL days:

March 10 (Teacher Workshop Day)

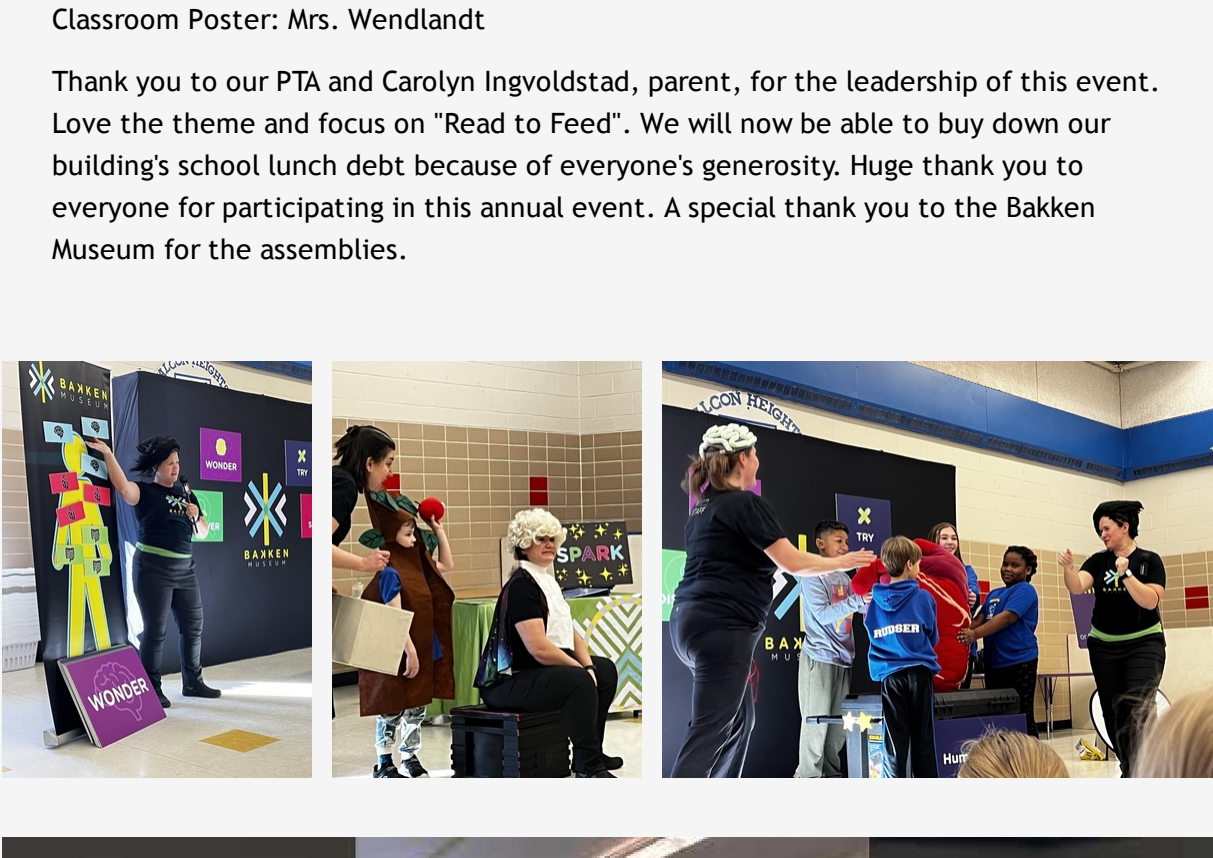
March 13-17 (Spring Break)

Message from Mrs. Behnke

Thank you everyone for your understanding as we have extended the Book Fair and rescheduled the 6th grade concert due to the weather event this week.

A quick look back to last Friday which was an exciting day at Falcon Heights.

Kindergarten celebrated 100 days of school, School Resource Officer Alaina Carrion read to several classes, and we held our Read a Thon assemblies. I have included a few photos and a short video. It was so much fun.



Read a Thon Results - Much to be proud of!!!

Total minutes read: 581,751

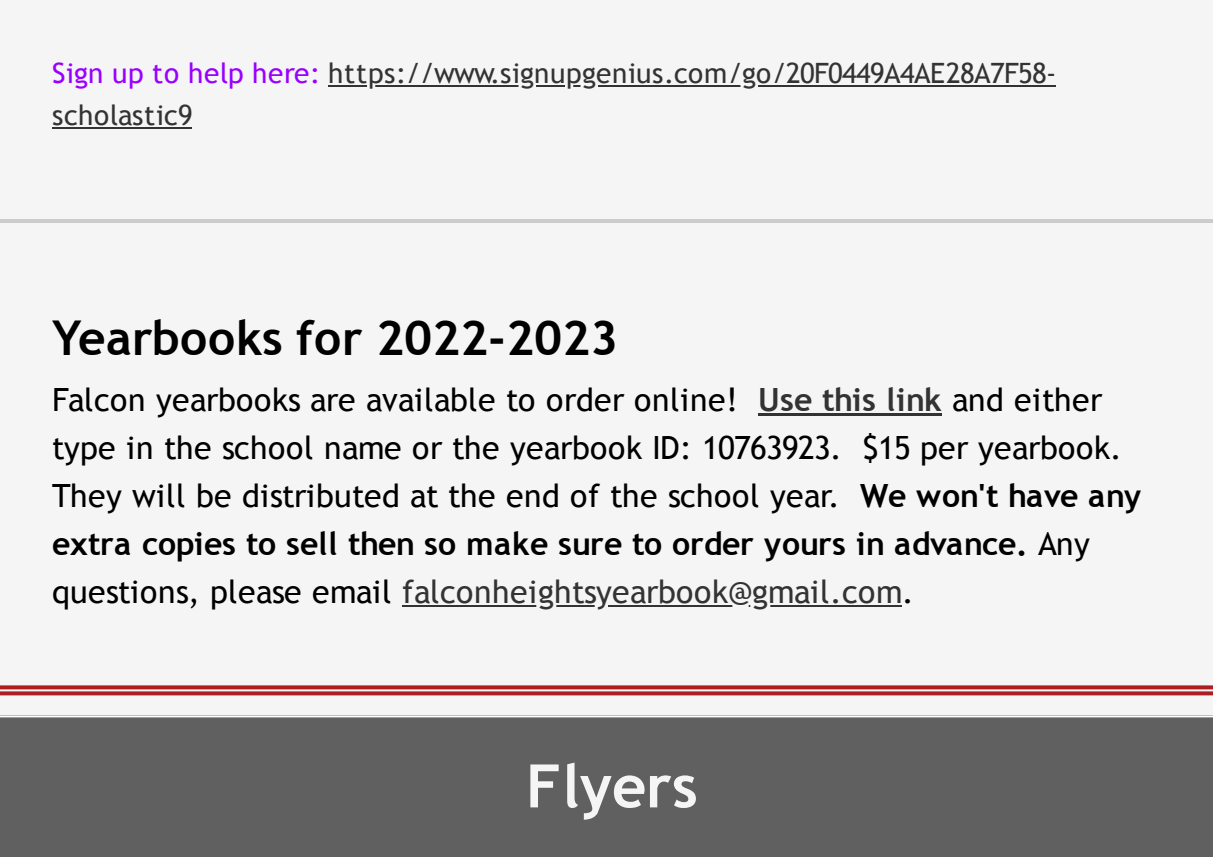
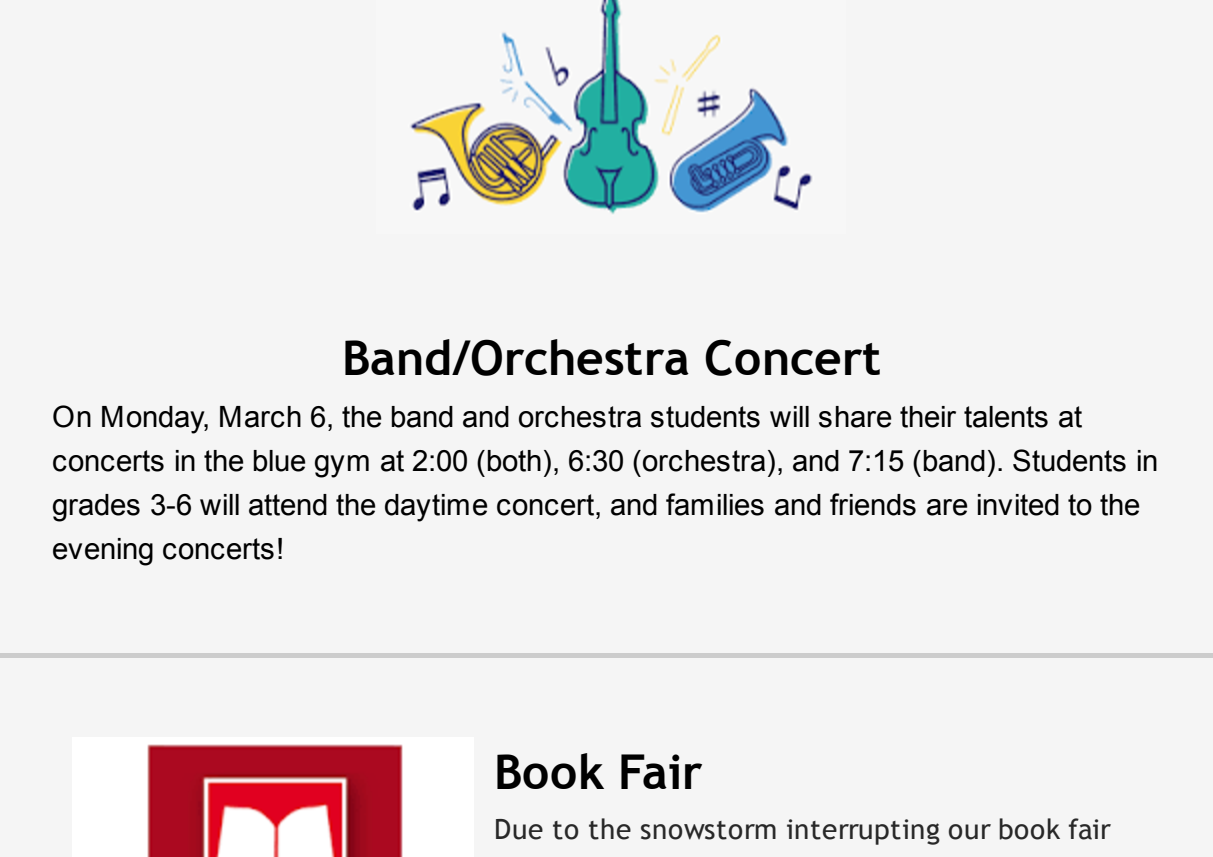
Total dollars raised: \$11,157.97 (!!!!!!!)

Top reading classroom: Mr. Hausman

Top fundraising classroom: Ms. Pelkola

Classroom Poster: Mrs. Wendlandt

Thank you to our PTA and Carolyn Ingvaldstad, parent, for the leadership of this event. Love the theme and focus on "Read to Feed". We will now be able to buy down our building's school lunch debt because of everyone's generosity. Huge thank you to everyone for participating in this annual event. A special thank you to the Bakken Museum for the assemblies.



FFEJ

FALCON FAMILIES FOR EQUITY AND JUSTICE

Family Movie Night

Please join the Falcon Families for Equity and Justice for Free Family Movie Night!

When: Friday, March 3rd. Doors open at 5:30 and movies start at 6pm.

Where: Falcon Heights Elementary School (in the gyms)

What: Puss in Boots: The Last Wish and Minions: The Rise of Gru

Bring something cozy to sit on and we'll provide free popcorn from AMC Rosedale theater.

We ask that caregivers please plan to stay with their children.

We can't wait to see you there!



Band/Orchestra Concert

On Monday, March 6, the band and orchestra students will share their talents at concerts in the blue gym at 2:00 (both), 6:30 (orchestra), and 7:15 (band). Students in grades 3-6 will attend the daytime concert, and families and friends are invited to the evening concerts!



Book Fair

Due to the snowstorm interrupting our book fair (what a great couple of days to get some reading in), dates have been extended to Friday, February 24 and Monday, February 27 from 1:00-6:00pm.

Sign up to help here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0449A4AE28A7F58-scholastic9>

Yearbooks for 2022-2023

Falcon yearbooks are available to order online! [Use this link](#) and either type in the school name or the yearbook ID: 10763923. \$15 per yearbook. They will be distributed at the end of the school year. We won't have any extra copies to sell then so make sure to order yours in advance. Any questions, please email falconheightsyearbook@gmail.com.

Flyers

Youth Enrichment Opportunity!

MULTI-SPORTS SAMPLER WITH AKA SPORT

Are your kids getting their 60 minutes of active play a day? Can't decide which sport you like best? Learn a variety of new sports and games with our Multi-Sports Sampler. Sports may include Lacrosse, Floor Hockey, Basketball, Tennis, Soccer, Baseball and/or other sports over 4 weeks with a focus on the importance of sportsmanship, cooperation and team play. Don't miss this enriching camp that includes instruction, games and a whole lot of fun.

To register, call 651-604-3770 or visit isd623.ce.eleyo.com
Wednesdays, Mar 8 – Apr 5 | 3:30 – 4:30 PM | \$55 | Grades K – 6

Youth Enrichment Opportunity!

SUNFLOWER INSPIRATION: A VAN GOGH SUNFLOWER EXPERIENCE

In this art-focused session over Spring Break, we will learn about famous artist Vincent van Gogh. Some of his most well-known pieces include paintings of sunflowers. In addition to our learning about Vincent van Gogh, we will create our own masterpieces inspired by the sunflower!

To register, call 651-604-3770 or visit isd623.ce.eleyo.com
Thursday, March 16 | 1:15 – 2:30 PM | \$25 | Grades K – 6

ROSEVILLE COMMUNITY EDUCATION SPRING BREAK OPEN BASKETBALL AT ANPÉTU TĚČA EDUCATION CENTER

OPPORTUNITY FOR FAMILIES!

Monday – Friday | March 13 – 17, 2023 | 1:30 – 3:30 p.m.
1910 County Road B W in Roseville

Basketballs are provided, or you are welcome to bring your own!

\$5 per person, per session (up to \$15 per family). Pay in cash at the door, or pay ahead online by scanning this QR code or visiting isd623.ce.eleyo.com.

FRIENDSHIP CONNECTION

Registration begins on March 20 for Summer 2023 & School Year 2023-2024!

Friendship Connection is the district's school-age care program that provides care before and after school, on non-school days, and during the summer.

Registration and fee information will be available by March 1, 2023! Save on registration fees with Early Bird Registration if you register March 20-31, 2023.

To register or learn more:

- Visit www.isd623.org/Friendship
- Call 651-604-3505
- Stop by your school's Friendship Connection room

February Lunch Menu

FEBRUARY LUNCH MENU				
	1	2	3	
	Vegetable Egg Roll Vegetable Fried Rice Shredded Edamame Bistro Box	Turkey Chili Cornbread Roasted Parmesan Potatoes Onion Rings Bistro Box	Cheeseburger Whole Grain Bun Coleslaw Bistro Box	
6	7	8	9	10
Cheesy Mozzarella Bites Marinara Sauce Apple Wedges Italian Seasoned Roast Broccoli Build Your Own Parfait	Plant Based Taco Tostitos Cheesy Refried Beans Shredded Cheese Build Your Own Parfait	Chicken Drumstick Whole Grain Bun Crispy Straight Cut Fries Ketchup Build Your Own Parfait	Crispy Chicken Tender Crispy Fries Seasoned Wedge Fries Orange Wedges Build Your Own Parfait	NO SCHOOL – TEACHER WORKSHOP
13	14	15	16	17
Cheesy Bread Dunker Marinara Sauce Steamed Broccoli Fresh Peas Spicy Butter Sandwich	Mandarin Orange Chicken Steamed Brown Rice Honey Sriracha Carrots Assorted Fresh Fruit Spicy Butter Sandwich	Crispy Chicken Fillet Whole Grain Bun Crispy Straight Cut Fries Ketchup Spicy Butter Sandwich	Jerk Chicken Drumstick Crispy Fries Caribbean Black Beans Fresh Peas Spicy Butter Sandwich	Macaroni and Cheese Whole Grain Bun Blueberries Spicy Butter Sandwich
20	21	22	23	24
NO SCHOOL – PRESIDENT'S DAY	French Toast Sticks Chicken Biscuits Seasoned Breakfast Potatoes Cantaloupe Bagel and Chocolate Hummus	Beef Sausage Basil Muesli (Sausage Style Rice) Steamed Green Beans Bananas Bagel and Chocolate Hummus	Beef Chicken Enchilada Sauce Tortilla Chips Steamed Broccoli Grapes Bagel and Chocolate Hummus	Beef Hotdog Whole Grain Bun Vegetarian Baked Beans Fresh Peas Bagel and Chocolate Hummus
27	28			
Stuffed Crust Cheese Pizza Seasoned Carrots Grapes Bistro Box	Chicken Alfredo Whole Grain Penne Pasta Garlic Toast Seasoned Green Beans Assorted Fresh Fruit Bistro Box			