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03-14-22 Thurston PTO Newsletter

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Thurston Elementary PTO

Heron Happenings

March 14, 2022Stay in touch with PTO [Email us](#) or [Visit our Site](#) or [Facebook Page](#)Newsletter submissions are due by Saturday, 5pm to: newsletter.thurstonpto@gmail.com

Upcoming Events and Reminders

March 15 @ 6-7pm: Virtual PTO Meeting ([Zoom Link](#))(PTO Meeting agenda: https://docs.google.com/document/d/1jJf1-VN2-e7iOpWX4XpOT4-CcMu8wRWuNorDgjlq_VY/edit?usp=sharing)**March 16:** Early Release for Students at 1:18 p.m.**March 28-April 1:** Spring Break

Yearbook Orders Due Today!

Thurston's yearbook sale deadline is here! All orders are due by TODAY, 3/14/2022. If you haven't already, don't forget to order your Thurston Elementary School Yearbook today at book.hrimaging.com for \$10.00 each.

U of M Free Children's Dental Clinic



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SATURDAY APRIL 9TH, 2022

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(989)-787-0712

- Registration begins at 7:30 AM
- Limited to first 100 patients registered
- Children ages 4-14 welcome, must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.



International Night Save-the-Date!



Save the date for Thurston's upcoming International Night! Come enjoy food, fellowship, and fun on Friday, May 6, 2022, from 5:30-7:30 p.m. at the picnic tables behind Thurston. At least 15 different countries are slated to be represented. We look forward to seeing you there!

Recess Volunteers



Want to meet other parents? Need some sunshine? Come be an adult playground monitor during Thurston's lunch hour (12:15-1:15 pm; 12:00-1:00 pm on early dismissal days). You may even catch a glimpse of your child as they race to the swings!

If you are interested and able to support Thurston's staff and students during lunch hour, please sign up for a day or multiple days during the week.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScKjFscbew5WcWXYihKVNmHpDI-3U-U1fF-LuYKxJgXY7A-Cg/viewform?usp=sf_link

Thurston Nature Center Leadership Opening!



The Thurston Nature Center is in need of a new individual to take over as committee chair. If you or someone you know may be interested, reach out to Elizabeth Moorehead to find out more!

The Thurston Nature Center invites parents interested in serving the mission of preservation and education. We are located just north of [Thurston Elementary School](#) on Prairie Street and on the south side of Bluett Road, across from [Clague Middle School](#) in northeast Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan.

The area is enjoyed by many people in the community, and school classes have used the nature center as part of [Ann Arbor Public Schools' Environmental Education Program](#) for decades. Fall and spring workdays help with trail maintenance and weed control.

<https://thurstonnaturecenter.info/>

Please contact Elizabeth Moorehead, committee chair, if interested: elizabeth.e.morehead@gmail.com

PTO Positions: 2022-2023 Openings

Have you been considering getting involved with the Thurston PTO? We will be looking for a new PTO President for the 2022-2023 term. The PTO President coordinates activities and fundraisers between Thurston staff/teachers and parents, runs our monthly PTO meetings, and supports parents who want to do something for the betterment of our community. If you are interested in running for Thurston PTO President, please reach out to the PTO for further information.

Thurston School Directory

Need to contact a Thurston parent or student? The Thurston School Directory lists their contact information and is available via the link below.

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/13XhaQjRAapQX4Ndp6VHB2jMD8vTjIsmoJl_Mn6zb8g/edit?usp=sharing

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Support Thurston PTO while shopping

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Busch's Log in to your MyWay account through buschs.com/MyWay and click the Cash for Education icon.

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