# Week of February 5th

DPS Principal Newsletter

# **HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WEEK**

#### \* 3PK Winter Fest \*

3PK students and their family members enjoyed winter themed activities today. They worked on their fine and gross motor skills, had some sensory play by making Snowman slime, practiced visual matching skills by looking carefully at snowflakes, completed 2 STEAM activities making "igloos" out of marshmallows and toothpicks and crafting snowball shooters, and read winter books. Before going home, students followed directions to make a Banana Snowman for snack. It was a great day!















#### **•** First Friday Fist Bumps

This month we thank the girls basketball players, along with Mr. Moodie, who came to greet DPS students with a Friday Fist Bump!



#### **Golden Spatula Winners**

DRUM ROLL .... for this week's 1st and 2nd grade Golden Spatula winners. See below!

Congrats to Mrs. Blodgett's class who had the most kindergarten tickets this week.

# 1st Grade



Alexa Bocanegra



Sienna Franklin

# 2nd Grade



Kennedy Deuel



Lucas McCall



Walter Syrell

## **Primary Particulars**

This includes information for next week, including activites, breakfast/lunch menu, upcoming events, and birthdays.

# 🕞 Did You Know 🌬



# Vision and Hearing Screenings

#### FROM THE HEALTH OFFICE

The district's School Health Services program supports your student's academic success by promoting health in the school setting. One way that we provide care for your student is by performing the health screenings as mandated by the State of New York.

During this school year, the following screenings will be required or completed at school:

#### Vision

- Distance and near acuity for all newly entering students and students in Pre-K or Kindergarten, Grades 1, 3, 5, 7, and 11.
- Color perception screening for all newly entering students.

#### Hearing

 Hearing screening for all newly entering students and students in Pre-K or Kindergarten, Grades 1, 3, 5, 7, and 11.

#### Scoliosis

 Scoliosis (spinal curvature) screening for all girls in grades 5 and 7, and boys in grade 9.

A letter will be sent home if your student needs follow-up with your healthcare provider. Please call the Health Office directly if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

#### Erin Smith, BN

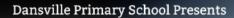
Erin Smith, RN Primary School Nurse (585) 335-4040 x2010



#### 100th Day of School ₿

The 100th Day of School is February 14th. A letter came home in your child's backpack with information. Please remember to return the slip at the bottom if you plan to have your child leave with you or another adult after the event rather than staying at school for regular dismissal.

### **100th Day Letter**



# THE SOUP-ER BOWL

Dansville Primary School will be collecting soup and other canned goods for the Food Pantry as part of our 100th Day of School Community Collection.

Please consider sending in a donation with your favorite primary school leaders by Monday, February 12th.

Check back after our 100th day celebration to see how many cans DPS was able to donate back to our community!

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### When to Keep Your Child Home From School

What to Do When Your Child is Sick

# **COVID-19 Guidelines**

Regulations for Students, Staff, & Parents

#### Parent/Student Handbook

Below is a link the 2023-2024 DPS Parent/Student Handbook. This will serve as an excellent resource to you throughout the school year.

**DPS Parent/Student Handbook** 

#### **Incident Form**

In addition to contacting the child's teacher, please complete this form to report an incident or act of bullying and/or harassment.

#### O Arrival and Dismissal

#### <u>Arrival</u>

All **4PK-2nd grade students** will enter at the main entrance of school and must be to school by 8:00.

- Students can be dropped off as early as 7:15.
- Breakfast will be served from 7:30-8:10.
- Buses unload students at 7:40.

All 3PK students will enter at the side door at 9:00 for the AM program or 12:30 for the PM program.

#### <u>Dismissal</u>

Dismissal changes must be made **before 1:00pm**. Parent pick-up will begin at 2:15pm each day at the following doors based on last name. Please make sure we have the name of the person picking up and that person has a **driver's license for identification**.

- <u>A-C</u> at the ELC doorway on the parking lot side
- <u>D-H</u> at the back playground door
- I-Q at the first door on the left in the driveway between the HS & PS
- <u>R-Z</u> at the second door on the left in the driveway between the HS & PS

All 3PK AM and PM students will exit at the side door at 11:30 for the AM program and 3:00 for the PM program. Our 3PK students are dropped off and picked up in the small Primary Bus Loop during the following times: 8:45-9:00, 11:20-11:35, 12:20-12:30, and 2:50-3:05. Please consider parking in a different location so that you aren't trapped in the loop.

#### 101 Cafeteria

Below are the breakfast and lunch menus -

February Breakfast Menu

**February Lunch Menu** 

# Community News



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> SOFTBALL \$45 8U, 10U, 12U

BASEBALL \$45 ROOKIE - 8U, MINOR - 10U, MAJOR - 12U

BABE RUTH BASEBALL \$100 JH 7TH/8TH, HS 9TH-12TH

> TBALL \$30 BOYS & GIRLS IN K OR 1ST

BUDDY BALL (5YR - 19 YR) AN ADAPTIVE BASEBALL PROGRAM FOR PLAYERS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

EARLY REGISTRATION WILL BE OPEN UNTIL 2/19/24 A LATE REGISRATION FEE OF \$10 WILL BE CHARGED AFTER 2/19/24 NO REGISRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER 3/1/24

Questions? Want to coach? Email: dansvilleyouthbaseball@gmail.com



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Facilitated by Mary Hassan, & Tawyna Hughes







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