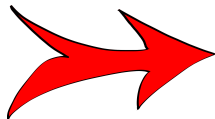


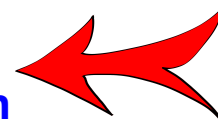
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Horizon's New Phone Number: 920-852-5485



News from Principal Ohlson



Hello Families,

Every year our students review the different drills we use in our building. We have Fire Drills, Tornado Drills, and Safety Drills. We use different ways to communicate what is happening in the building. Students hear the fire alarm when we practice exiting the building for the Fire Drill. I get on the intercom for Tornado and Safety drills. One drill we practice is the difference between a Hold, a Secure, and a Lockdown. A Hold is when we need to keep the hallway clear and is often used if there is a medical emergency or a student is having a tricky moment. We do this so we can help maintain the dignity of the individual involved. A Secure is used if something is happening outside of the building in the surrounding community. This is often determined by the APD. They will let us know if we need to keep students in the building. Students continue in their regular routine; they just don't go outside. Finally, is a Lockdown. A Lockdown is used only when there is an immediate threat to students.



Upcoming Events



September 20 Picture Day

October 14 HFN Meeting 6:00-7:30

October 24 Boo Bash

October 30 Pumpkin Run

September 30 No School

October 17 & 22 Conferences/Book Fair

October 25 No School

******Look below at our East Homecoming Dress Up Days******

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East High School Homecoming Week Dress Up Days

October 1st	Pajama Day
October 2nd	Hawaiian Day
October 3rd	Hat Day
October 4th	East Colors (Red, White, Blue)

Horizons Apparel Sale



Horizons Apparel Store is OPEN. You can order apparel for Horizons here. The store will close on Sept 30th.

<https://horizonselementary24.itemorder.com/shop/sale/>



HFN (Horizons Family Network)

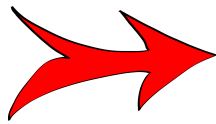


Horizons Family Network is a group composed of Horizons families and staff that come together for the common goal to support Horizons students, teachers, and school needs.

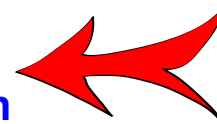
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Nuevo número de teléfono de Horizons 920-852-5485



Noticias del director Ohlson



Hola Familias,

Cada año nuestros estudiantes repasan los diferentes simulacros que usamos en nuestro edificio. Tenemos simulacros de incendio, simulacros de tornado y simulacros de seguridad.

Utilizamos diferentes maneras de comunicarlo que está sucediendo en el edificio. Los estudiantes escuchan la alarma de incendio cuando practicamos salir del edificio para el simulacro de incendio. Para los simulacros de tornado y seguridad yo hablo por intercomunicador. Un ejercicio que practicamos es la diferencia entre un "Hold", un "Secure" y un "Lockdown". Un "Hold" es cuando tenemos que mantener los pasillos libres y se utiliza a menudo si hay una emergencia médica o un estudiante está teniendo un momento difícil. Hacemos esto para ayudar a mantener la dignidad de la persona involucrada. Se utiliza un "Secure" si algo está sucediendo fuera del edificio en la comunidad circundante (cerca de la escuela). Esto suele determinarlo la APD (Departamento de Policía de Appleton). Ellos nos harán saber si necesitamos mantener a los estudiantes en el edificio. Los estudiantes continúan en su rutina regular; simplemente no salen. Por último, es un "Lockdown", un "Lockdown" se utiliza solamente cuando hay una amenaza inmediata a los estudiantes.



Próximos Eventos



20 de septiembre Día de la fotografía

14 de octubre Reunión HFN 6:00-7:30

Fiesta Boo Bash 24 de octubre

30 de octubre: Carrera de la Calabaza

30 de septiembre No hay clases

17 y 22 de octubre Conferencias y Feria del Libro

25 de octubre No hay clases

*****Mire a continuación nuestros días de disfraces para el regreso a casa en el Este*****

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Días de disfraces para la semana del regreso a casa de East High School

1 de octubre

Día del pijama

2 de octubre

Día hawaiano

3 de octubre

Día del sombrero

4 de octubre

Colores del este (rojo, blanco, azul)

Oferta de ropa Horizons



La tienda de ropa Horizons está ABIERTA. Puedes pedir ropa para Horizons aquí. La tienda cerrará el 30 de septiembre.

<https://horizonselementary24.itemorder.com/shop/sale/>



HFN (Red familiar Horizons)



Horizons Family Network es un grupo compuesto por familias y personal de Horizons que se unen con el objetivo común de apoyar a los estudiantes, maestros y necesidades escolares de Horizons.

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East High School Football Game Rules



Good morning. Due to some issues we've had at our first few football games, please note the following rules and share them with your students and families:

All students 8th grade and under must be accompanied by an adult for entry into the game.

Ticket cost is \$2 for students, \$5 for adults.

No food or beverages are allowed to be carried in.

Once you leave the stadium, you are not allowed back in.

Cheer loudly, but please remember to show good sportsmanship.

These are not being put in place to punish anyone, we just want to make the games enjoyable and safe for all who attend. Friday's game is the East Tackles Cancer game. We will have a raffle, silent auction, face painting and a survivor's lap after the game. We hope to see you there. Thanks for your assistance in spreading this message.



Reglas del juego de fútbol americano de East High School



Todos los estudiantes de octavo grado y menores deben estar acompañados de un adulto para ingresar juego.

El costo de la entrada es de \$2 para estudiantes y \$5 para adultos.

No se permite ingresar con alimentos ni bebidas.

Una vez que abandones el estadio, no podrás volver a ingresar.

Puedes animar fuerte, pero recuerda mostrar el espíritu deportivo.

Esto no se esta implementando para castigar a nadie, solo queremos que los juegos sean divertidos y seguros para los que asistan. El juego del viernes es el juego de East Tackels Cancer.

Esperamos verlos ahi. Gracias por su apoyo en difundir este mensaje.

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AGES
5-13

\$15

AFTER 9/27
\$20

FOX VALLEY TOUGH KID Challenge

REGISTRATION



OCTOBER 5TH

9 A.M. - 1 P.M.



HIGHLANDS ELEMENTARY
2037 N ELINOR ST.



FOX VALLEY TOUGH KID CHALLENGE (TKC) IS AN OBSTACLE COURSE EVENT AND FUNDRAISER FOR THE APPLETON AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT'S PHYSICAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT FEATURING KID-FRIENDLY YET CHALLENGING OBSTACLES.

THE 1.55-MILE COURSE AND 30 OBSTACLES CHALLENGE THE AGILITY AND STRENGTH OF OUR PARTICIPANTS. THIS YEAR THE COURSE HAS A FEW NEW TWISTS AND TURNS!



Success for
Every Student,
Every Day



Project ADAM
SAVES LIVES

Heart Safe School Designation Letter to School Community

Dear Community,

Horizons Elementary School is pleased to inform you that we have joined a community effort to implement a sustainable and comprehensive CPR and AED program. This decision is the result of our wish to make our buildings safe for our students, visitors and employees.

Sudden Cardiac Arrest (SCA) occurs when the heart suddenly and unexpectedly stops beating, cutting off blood flow to the brain and other vital organs. SCA is fatal if not treated immediately. Having access to an AED as well as having a written plan and a team of CPR/AED-trained staff ready to act in an emergency can save the life of someone suffering a SCA during those critical first few minutes. Through our cooperative efforts with **Project ADAM** and **Children's Hospital of Wisconsin**, we have joined hundreds of schools throughout the state of Wisconsin and beyond in preparing our school for a life-threatening emergency. This program enables us to offer any person who may experience a Sudden Cardiac Arrest during regular school hours, the best chance for survival.

Horizons currently has an AED in the building. The AED is stored in a wall cabinet. When the cabinet door is opened, a loud alarm will sound. This alerts everyone that there is a potential emergency. Our school has a maintenance plan in place for the units. The AEDs are designed to work effectively unless they are tampered with. Additionally, the AED will not shock a person unless it detects a shockable rhythm (ventricular fibrillation).

Staff has been trained to assist with an emergency during regular school hours. After school hours and during the summer, this is a Public Access Defibrillation (PAD) program. If you suspect someone is experiencing a Sudden Cardiac Arrest, please feel free to use the equipment at our school. Good Samaritan laws protect the layperson in a life-saving attempt, although we recommend becoming trained in CPR/AED use as an investment in your health and the health of others. Our local Emergency Medical Services and AASD Medical Director are aware of our procedures for the program.

"Project ADAM is a national, non-profit organization committed to saving lives through advocacy, education, preparedness and collaboration to prevent sudden cardiac death. Our affiliate programs improve the cardiac chain of survival in schools and communities in memory of Adam Lemel, a 17-year-old Whitefish Bay, WI, high school student who collapsed and died while playing basketball at school."

Many thanks for your participation in this important Heart Safe initiative in our school. To see our school on the Project ADAM map, visit www.projectadamwi.com.

Sincerely,

AASD District Nursing Staff



HEALTH SERVICES * P.O. Box 2019, Appleton, WI 54911 * 920-852-5344

Meningococcal Disease

As you may be aware, the Wisconsin Department of Health Services (DHS) made recent and very important changes to Wisconsin's administrative code (Wis. Admin. Code ch. DHS 144), which outlines immunization requirements for school entry. This change includes adding Meningococcal ACWY-containing vaccines to the requirements for students entering **seventh grade, and a booster dose for eligible students entering 12th grade**. This change comes after an increase in meningococcal cases seen in the US. As of March 25, 2024, the CDC reported 143 cases of meningococcal disease in the United States, which is a 75% increase from the same time period in 2023. This is the highest number of cases reported since 2014. The CDC notes that the increase in cases is mainly due to the serogroup Y, which can be prevented with vaccination. For additional information about these vaccines, please discuss with your student's provider or visit [CDC Meningococcal Vaccination Information](#).

October 5th is World Meningitis Day. Meningitis is one of the most common types of meningococcal disease. The observance aims to raise awareness about meningitis, its symptoms, and vaccines that can help prevent it. Visit the World Meningitis Website here to learn more—[Meningitis Research Foundation](#).

What is meningitis? Meningitis is the swelling of the lining around the brain and spinal cord (the meninges) and is usually caused by a bacterial, fungal or viral infection.

What are some common symptoms of meningitis? Fever, headache and stiff neck. There could also be other symptoms such as nausea, vomiting, eyes being more sensitive to light and confusion.

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FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT
FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Thank you for your interest in the YMCA Program at Horizons, an AASD Extended Day Learning Program. Please refer to the below information for registration purposes.

General program information:

- The registration fee of \$35 per child must be paid online when you complete your registration process. This is a Non-Refundable fee.
- Depending on your free/reduced status, there are monthly fees to both the before and after school program. Please see the bottom of this letter for the monthly rates, these are per child.
- Before school runs 6:30am until school starts and after school runs from dismissal until 6:00pm.
- When registering, please use a laptop or computer. A phone is not advised.

New Families:

- The registration process does take about 30 minutes per child as our system requires you to enter children's health history, emergency contacts and immunization records. Please plan accordingly. You are able to save the information and come back at a later time, if needed.
- New families who do not have a YMCA online account, please use the following link:
 - o <https://www.ymcafoxcities.org/create-account>
 - o Immunization records can be obtained, if your child was born in the state of Wisconsin.
 - o <https://www.dhfs.wisconsin.gov/pr/clientSearch.do?language=en>

How to register all families:

1. Navigate to: <https://www.ymcafoxcities.org/programs/aasd-extended-day-learning-program>
2. Click Register Now For 2024-2025: All Others
3. Select Horizons Elementary
4. Check the boxes next to the specific Before and/or After Care days your child will attend and click register.
5. Log into your online account, choose what child you are registering.
6. Verify/answer the questions, agree to the waivers, and complete the registration.

Monthly Rates		1 day a week	2 days a week	3 days a week	4 days a week	5 days a week
Before Care	Non-Needy	\$32	\$58	\$83	\$98	\$110
	Free/Reduced	\$15	\$25	\$30	\$35	\$46
After Care	Non-Needy	\$38	\$88	\$113	\$154	\$190
	Free/Reduced	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

If you qualify for Free and Reduced status with Chartwells, after care is at no cost due to funds provided by the Appleton Area School District. Any additional non-contracted days will be a \$15 charge.

Thank you,

Christina Neabling
 Coordinator for YMCA Program at Horizons
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