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All K-8 students practiced a lockdown drill this week. To keep the drill low key and one that is not upsetting to students and staff, we simply close classroom doors and keep the hallways clear as we check doors to make sure doors are locked and everyone is accounted for. All doors have keycard locks, allowing us to lock out individuals without a key card. As always, exterior doors are locked at all times, and we do not let visitors in during any drills. Our students and staff have been doing a great job of staying safe, keeping doors closed, and traveling to other buildings with an adult or with other students.

nderground Spirit

Have students come home this week wondering why they have seen staff wearing crowns, drinking coffee from pineapples, wearing sandals with socks. and generally acting a little "off"? We hope so! K-8 staff have been participating in "Underground Spirit Week" in an effort to get students to be inquisitive, ask questions, have some fun, and laugh. Each day this week had a different theme attached to it, much like a week full of Fun Fridays. Thanks to all staff who participated!

BASKETBALL CONTINUES

Thanks to our volunteer coaches, boys and girls basketball for 3rd through 6th grade students continues. These Blue Hawks had the opportunity to show a bit of what they have learned already at half time of the high school games this past Tuesday. If your student missed joining the fun, there is still time. This is a great opportunity to learn some skills and have fun. All practices will be held in the K-8 Gym. The schedule is as follows:

| Saturday, February 1 | Boys 9:00 | Girls 10:00 |
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| Saturday, February 8 | Boys 9:00 | Girls 10:00 |
| Saturday, February 15 | Boys 9:00 | Girls 10:00 |

The season will wrap up with players playing games during halftime of the high school games on Saturday, February 15th beginning about 4:30PM.

Our 4th grade students have been invited to participate in the Winter Tracks Program again this year. Students will hike to the Forest Service Mule Pasture on February 7th for an outdoor winter adventure. In outdoor workshops throughout the day, students will learn to track and identify local wildlife, as well as safety when around them. They will also learn how to start a fire, tie a few knots, use a compass and purify water.

Don't miss the PTO Meeting on Tuesday, February 4th. See you at 5:00

Important Happenings

1/30 REACH (after school program for Gr 3-8) 3:30-5:00PM 1/31 FUN FRIDAY - Super Hero Day

4th Gr. Visit to Missoula Children's Symphony 1/31

1/31 Early out—2:05PM

2/1 3rd-6th Baskebell...Boys-9AM, Girls-10AM—EL Gym

2/3 REACH (after school program for Gr 3-8) 3:30-5:00PM 2/3 School Board Meeting - 6PM - Board Room

2/4 PTO Meeting - 5:00PM - Elementary

2/5 REACH (after school program for Gr 3-8) 3:30-5:00PM

2/6 REACH (after school program for Gr 3-8) 3:30-5:00PM

2/7 100 Day

2/7 FUN FRIDAY - Dr Seuss Day 2/7 4th Gr Winter Tracks Program

2/7 Early out—2:05PM

2/8 3rd-6th Baskebell...Boys-9AM, Girls-10AM—EL Gym

2/10 REACH (after school program for Gr 3-8) 3:30-5:00PM

2/12 REACH (after school program for Gr 3-8) 3:30-5:00PM

2/13 REACH (after school program for Gr 3-8) 3:30-5:00PM

2/14 Classroom Valentine Parties

2/14 FUN FRIDAY - Fairy Tale Day

2/14 Popcorn Friday - sponsored by Jenny's Travel Agency

2/14 Early out—2:05PM

2/15 3rd-6th Baskebell...Boys-9AM, Girls-10AM—EL Gym

2/15 3rd-6th Baskebell Games ..@ halftime of HS Games

2/17 Mid 3rd Quarter

2/19 School Spelling Bee - 2:00PM - Band Room

2/21 **NO SCHOOL**

2/24 REACH (after school program for Gr 3-8) 3:30-5:00PM

2/26 Muffins with Moms - 7:30AM - Elem Cafeteria 2/26 REACH (after school program for Gr 3-8) 3:30-5:00PM

2/27

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2/28 NO SCHOOL

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Mr. Len Dorscher, Principal

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2nd Quarter Honor Roll

1ST GRADE

Susanna Crawmer
Joseph Czerwinski
Colton Ellul
Zoey Eubanks
Emmett Fairbank
Braeden Helvey
Phoebe Lilly
Violet Myers
Enzo Pardee
Theodore Scharfe
William Spake
Coda Williams
River Williams

2ND GRADE

Gabriel Barajas Liam Bewick Sage Blakney Naomi Crawmer Meika Dauss Reese Friede Layla Haas Reed Mickelson Amelia Mosher Elliana Nichols Madison Park Zoey Wallace

3RD GRADE

Lincoln Adams
Paisley Baird
Pippi Crowder
Anna Czerwinski
Zachary Eubanks
Emmersyn Franck
Quentin Hagerman
Aspen Leaf
Riley Lowe
McKinnley Lyons
Todd Mitchell
Jax Nay
Conrad Susic
Eleanor Traver
Carnelius Williams

4TH GRADE

Franklin Agting Leah Bartlett Rebecca Beasley **Emmett Blakney** Neala Block Serinity Boddy Sydney Cisney Edward Fairbank Travis Fitchett Trevor Fitchett Rhett Franklin **Sutton Giegling** Francisca Goen Thaddeus Hockhalter Reaghan Kenney Matthew Koskela Cooper Lilly Kobee McGann Mason Mickelson Elora Moore Oliver Scharfe **Emmitt Thomas**

5TH GRADE

Hartleigh Block
Emma Brotherton
Brooklyn Elliott
Peyton Heldstab
Jase Kelly
Aaron Koskela
Sydney Lofthus
Kalsin McGuire
Quinn Nichols
Victoria Pavlik
Makoy Schoenfeldt
Olivia Shear
Spencer Smith
Elliot Susic
Mackenzi Torti

6TH GRADE

Finn Davis
Kali Dyer
Sylvia Fairbank
Ande Kate Franklin
Cannon Helvey
Gauge Loya
Cassidy Lyons
Maiko Pavlik
Presley Rasmussen
Ava Taylor
Damon Traver
Jossilyn Ward

CONGRATULATIONS Blue Hawks