

B L U E H A W K N E W S

TOMORROW'S CELEBRATION

Tomorrow, April 4th, we will celebrate our readers! Kinder through 6th grade students will gather in the Lunchroom at **1:30PM** to wrap up our Running Start Reading Program. Students will enjoy a special treat, and drawings for prizes at each grade level will be held. Students were entered into the drawing each time they read, or were read to, 21 books or 21 chapters. Parents and siblings are welcome to join us. We would like to thank the Thompson Falls Woman's Club, First Security Bank, Valley Bank, the Masonic Lodge, and our Community Readers for each of their contributions to the program. Thank you parents and siblings for the time you've contributed to listening to or reading with your student. It truly makes a difference!

Tobacco Education

Karren McKinzie, with the SC Health Department, is currently doing tobacco education with our Kinder through 8th grade students, presenting about the use of tobacco and what the effects are on the body. The older students were presented with a list of cancers and long term diseases and they were challenged with placing them on the body to determine where the harm could be. Once they finished Karren showed the correct placement and taught about the potential harmful effects in that area of the body. Afterwards, facts were presented to students about the different types of tobacco and some statistics and some of the myths that go along with modern tobacco products. Students were asked to create poems about what they learned and why they would stay tobacco free. *We will share some of those poems in next week's newsletter.* Younger students, colored the areas of the body and some of the internal organs as Karren taught about the harm that could be caused in each of the areas. Students were given stickers, pencils and other merchandise to help remind them of the harmful use of tobacco.

2024-25 YEARBOOK

For the first time in more than two decades our yearbook will feature all students in kinder through eighth grade. Watch for flyers coming home today, with instructions on how to get your copy. At just \$15, it makes a great memento of this school year. Purchases may be made by returning the payment envelope or completing the purchase online. Finishing touches are currently being made on the 24 page, softcover book, and it will be shipping soon. Don't miss the opportunity for free shipping.

Beautification Days

Beautification Days in Thompson Falls are April 10th - April 12th. Thompson Falls Students and Staff will participate in various clean up activities around our campus on **Thursday, April 10th and Friday, April 11th**. If your student has gloves these would be great days for them to bring them to school. Earlier this year students were challenged to draw posters to be used as advertising for Beautification Days. One winner was picked from each grade level and those posters can be seen in various locations around town. See how many you can spot!

WE DIDN'T MAKE IT

When midnight arrived on March 31st, PTO's Box Tops Challenge had reached \$183, just \$17 short of their goal of \$200. We missed this opportunity for a free recess, but our PTO has more creative ideas, so stay tuned for the next challenge! A new challenge will be on the agenda at their upcoming meeting on **April 9th at 5:00PM** in the Elementary.

Important Happenings

4/3	Kindergarten Round Up - call for appointment
4/3	REACH (after school program for Gr 3-8) 3:30-5:00PM
4/4	FUN FRIDAY - Book Character Day
4/4	Running Start Celebration - 1:30PM
4/7	2nd Gr Tobacco Education - 9:30AM
4/7	1st Gr Tobacco Education - 10:20AM
4/7	3rd Gr Tobacco Education - 2:20PM
4/7	REACH (after school program for Gr 3-8) 3:30-5:00PM
4/9	REACH (after school program for Gr 3-8) 3:30-5:00PM
4/9	PTO Meeting - 5:00PM - Elementary
4/10	REACH (after school program for Gr 3-8) 3:30-5:00PM
4/11	FUN FRIDAY - Back To The Future Day
4/11	Popcorn Friday - sponsored by Naegeli Ranch
4/14	REACH (after school program for Gr 3-8) 3:30-5:00PM
4/16	REACH (after school program for Gr 3-8) 3:30-5:00PM
4/17	6th Gr Tdaps given
4/17	REACH (after school program for Gr 3-8) 3:30-5:00PM
4/18	FUN FRIDAY - Black and White Day
4/21-4/25	NO SCHOOL - Spring Break
4/28	REACH (after school program for Gr 3-8) 3:30-5:00PM
4/30	Last day of REACH - 3:30-5:00PM
5/1	Mid 4th Quarter
5/1	2nd Gr Tree Planting Ceremony
5/8	5th-12th Gr Band Concert - 6:30PM - HS Gym
5/9	5th/6th Gr Solar Ovens completed
5/9	Popcorn Friday - sponsored by Happy Trails PreSchool
5/13	K-6 Choir Concert - 6:30PM - JH Gym
5/14	Early Childhood Screening (Birth-5) call for appt.
5/16	5th/6th Gr Egg Cart Races
5/16	3rd Gr Field Trip - TFalls Dam
5/20	3rd Gr Field Trip - Noxon Dam
5/23	2nd Gr Field Trip - Harlow's Bison Ranch

Thompson Falls Elementary

Mr. Len Dorscher,
Principal

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3rd Quarter Honor Roll

1ST GRADE

Susanna Crawmer
Isak Crowder
Joseph Czerwinski
Colton Ellul
Zoey Eubanks
Emmett Fairbank
Braeden Helvey
Phoebe Lilly
Violet Myers
Enzo Pardee
Rhett Ruen
Theodore Scharfe
River Williams

2ND GRADE

Gabriel Barajas
Liam Bewick
Sage Blakney
Naomi Crawmer
Meika Dauss
Christina Fisher
Reese Friede
Temperence Greenland
Layla Haas
Reed Mickelson
Amelia Mosher
Madison Park
Hendrik Pavlik
Cora Shaw
Warren Shuttle

3RD GRADE

Lincoln Adams
Paisley Baird
Dallas Clearmont
Pippi Crowder
Anna Czerwinski
Zachary Eubanks
Matthew Fausett
Emmersyn Franck
Quentin Hagerman
Aspen Leaf
Riley Lowe
McKinnley Lyons
Todd Mitchell
Bohdi Oden
James Ratliff, Jr.
Conrad Susic
Blakely Thomas
Eleanor Traver
Carnelius Williams

4TH GRADE

Franklin Agting
Leah Bartlett
Rebecca Beasley
Emmett Blakney
Neala Block
Abram Cribbs
Avlynn Drake
Edward Fairbank
Travis Fitchett
Trevor Fitchett
Rhett Franklin
Sutton Giegling
Joshua Hutchings
Reaghan Kenney
Matthew Koskela
Cooper Lilly
Mason Mickelson
Elora Moore
Emmitt Thomas

5TH GRADE

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

6TH GRADE

Alec Cribbs
Kali Dyer
Sylvia Fairbank
Wyatt Franck
Ande Kate Franklin
Gauge Loya
Cassidy Lyons
Maiko Pavlik
Presley Rasmussen
Ava Taylor
Jossilyn Ward

CONGRATULATIONS

Blue Hawks