



# THE BEAR FACTS

Scotia Union School District Monthly Newsletter/February, 2024

## We Are Planning For Next Year!

Interdistrict agreement requests for the 2024-2025 school year are being accepted! If you live outside the Scotia Union School District, please make sure to turn in an interdistrict agreement request to the school in your district of residence. We have blank forms available in the office. We are proud and honored to have so many wonderful students from outside our district boundaries as part of the Scotia School Family!

Transitional Kindergarten and Kindergarten sign ups will begin in mid-April. If you or someone you know plans to enroll a child in transitional kindergarten or kindergarten in the fall, please call Miss Trudi in the office. In order to qualify for kindergarten, a child must be 5 on the first day of school, and for transitional kindergarten, a child must be 4 by the first day of school.

ASES enrollment forms for next year will be sent home in the spring - if you want to make sure your child is "on the List" for ASES for next year, please notify Mrs. Lisa Broadstock. Space is limited, and we currently have a waiting list for the current school year, so don't wait if you want your child to attend ASES!

## 100th Day of School

The 100th Day of School is Friday, February 7. ASB is sponsoring a dress up day - "Anything 100!"

## Valentine Events

Valentine's Day will include class parties and a dress up day! Our Athletics Program is selling Valentine Grams for \$1.00 each! Parents - this is a "sweet" way to send a message and treat to your child, or for your child to send a message and treat to a classmate. Order forms will be sent home. Please turn in Valentine Gram orders and money by Friday, February 9. Valentine Grams will be delivered to students on February 14.

## PTO

Our Parent Teacher Organization is hosting its First Friday Treats Sale on February 9! Students may purchase treats during recess. If you would like to donate treats, please send them to school with your child. The next PTO meeting will be held on Zoom on Wednesday, February 21, at 6:00.

Zoom Meeting ID: 982 322 6575      Passcode: scotiapto

## Athletics

We are in our gym! Our Boys Basketball program has 2 teams - one competing in the 5th/6th division and one competing in the 7th/8th division. We also have a cheer team!

We are hosting a 5th grade tournament February 9-10, and a Varsity Boys tournament and cheer competition February 16-17. Come on out and support our student athletes! Any sports related questions can be directed to our Athletic Director, Mrs. Ellsmore, at [jellsmore@scotiaschool.org](mailto:jellsmore@scotiaschool.org) Go Bears!

## Schoolwise

Are you a fourth-eighth grade parent? Do you have a Schoolwise Account? Schoolwise is the online platform to access your student's assignments, grades, test scores, and message the teachers. If you don't have a parent account, please contact your child's teacher for account information.

## UPCOMING DATES

2/7	100th Day of School! - Dress Up Day!	2/8	School Board Mtg. 7:00
2/14	Valentines Parties, Candy Grams, Dress Up Day!	2/21	PTO Meeting - Zoom - 6:00
2/19-23	Presidents Week Break		
3/1-3/2	Varsity Boys Basketball and Cheer Team to Crescent City Tourney		
3/4-3/8	Dr. Seuss Week		
3/18-3/22	Spring Parent Conferences - 1:00 Dismissal All Week		
4/15-4/19	Spring Break		

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