



# THE BEAR FACTS

Scotia Union School District Monthly Newsletter/March, 2024

Planning For 2024-2025 - 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 by the first day of kindergarten. If a student is 4, then they qualify for our transitional kindergarten class! A child must be 4 on the first day of school to qualify for our transitional kindergarten class. Information about registration and a summer orientation day will be sent out in the coming weeks.

Read Across America- Dr. Seuss Week is March 4 - 8. Students will be participating in fun reading-related activities all week! Dress up days are also scheduled for the week, and daily dress up themes were previously sent home.

National School Breakfast Week is also March 4 - 8. Our cafeteria staff work hard to provide a delicious, nutritious, and free meal program for all students. Breakfast is served in the cafeteria every morning beginning at 8:00. We encourage all students to eat breakfast every morning. If your child doesn't typically eat breakfast at school, this is the week to try it out! Parents and younger siblings are welcome as well!

Parent Advisory Committee meeting March 7 at 5:30 in the library - The PAC's purpose is to represent families in the decision making process. The PAC also provides input on the District's Local Control and Accountability Plan.

Boys Basketball- Our 7th/8th grade boys basketball team and cheer team will be traveling to the Crescent City Jaycees Annual Tournament March 1-2. We will be sending the teams off with a schoolwide spirit rally on Friday, March 1. Go Bears!

1:00 Dismissal for Parent Conference Week is March 18 - 22. Teachers will be sending conference notes home March 7. All students will be excused at 1:00 to allow parents to meet with teachers. ASES will be open from 1:00-6:00 daily.

PTO Treat Fridays are now the 2nd Friday of each month. Students are welcome to purchase treats during recess to support our PTO. Parents are welcome to donate treats for the PTO to sell.

PTO Carnival will be Friday, April 12. Mark your calendars for a fun, family event! Teachers will be contacting parents to help work a shift at The Carnival. Please come out and have fun and support PTO! Wristbands for unlimited game play will be on sale soon - \$20 presale, \$25 at The Carnival. Planning ahead, we need glassware donations for the dime toss, and baked goodies for the cake walk. More information will be sent as the date approaches.

The next PTO meeting is March 13 at 6:00. Please join via Zoom. Meeting ID: 845-4799-2082 Meeting Password: scotiapto

## UPCOMING DATES:

March 1	Pep Rally
March 1-2	Crescent City Tournament
March 4-8	School Breakfast Week, Read Across America/Dr. Seuss Week
March 7	Parent Advisory Committee Meeting 5:30 Library
March 8	PTO Treat Sale, End of 2nd Trimester
March 12	Daylight Saving Time Begins
March 13	PTO meeting via Zoom meeting ID: 845-4799-2081 meeting password: scotiapto
March 14	Board Meeting 7:00, 3-5 grades to Logging Conference
March 14-15	Conference notes go home
March 15	ASB Dance 4-5 Grades 4:30-6:00, 6-8 Grades 6:30-9:00
March 18-22	Parent Conferences-1:00 Dismissal All Week
March 21	Report Cards go home (if no conference)
April 12	PTO Carnival
April 15-19	Spring Break