# The Road Runner Resource

A weekly newsletter to keep you in the loop

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### **Important Dates**

# Tuesday, September 19 Picture Day

# Wednesday, September 20

Walk to School Wednesday

### Thursday, September 21

Annual Activity Day – SR Kids' event during the school day

### Wednesday, September 27

Walk to School Wednesday

# Thursday, September 28

Skate Night @ 5:30 PM

# Friday, September 29

NO SCHOOL

### Wednesday, October 4

Walk to School Wednesday

### Thursday, October 5

Annual Fire Safety Program grades 1-3 during school day

Open House – All families K-5 5:30-7:00 PM

### Tuesday, October 10

PTO Meeting 4:30-5:30 PM

### Friday, October 13

Box Top Competition Ends

### Thursday, October 19

Fundraiser Pick-Up

# Report Cards Change in Practice

Starting this school year, report cards will be distributed at the end of quarter 2 and quarter 4 instead of each quarter for students in 4K-grade 5. Progress regarding your child will continue to be shared with you personally by your child's classroom teacher during Parent/Teacher Conferences during quarters 1 and 3. Your school will work with you to get student progress updates if you are not able to attend a Parent/Teacher Conference.

The District is making the change because there are a number of ways that teachers and parents regularly communicate about student progress including email, student planners, take-home folders, classroom newsletters, daily notebooks, and personal contact. In addition, nearly 100% of our parents attend elementary Parent/Teacher Conferences and the many additional means for daily and/or weekly communication has lessened the need for formal reporting.

# Reminder: Annual Activity Day – volunteers still needed!

Our Annual Activity Day is in the afternoon on Thursday, September 21. This event is an outdoor event for Spring Road students. Students will need to wear tennis shoes and comfortable clothing to allow movement for a variety of outdoor activities. Students may also bring a water bottle. Need a water bottle? We have Spring Road School water bottles available for purchase from the school office. The cost of each water bottle is \$3.00.

### VOLUNTEERS: Please sign up by visiting <a href="http://signup.com/go/zvBrVZF">http://signup.com/go/zvBrVZF</a>

Spring Road Students are participating in the Fuel Up to Play 60 program. Our goal is to reach 60 minutes of physical activity, and make healthy nutrition choices every day. The kickoff to our participation in Fuel Up to Play 60 will coincide with Activity Day on Thursday, September 21<sup>st</sup>. All students are encouraged to wear Green Bay Packer gear or your favorite team apparel to show you are ready to "kick off" a great school year (for Activity Day).

### Picture Day - Tuesday, September 19

Start Clipping & Collecting

Our annual Box Top Competition starts today! All students are encouraged to clip & collect Box Tops for Education for a friendly classroom competition. Competition ends on 10/13.

#### NEENAH WITH PRIDE

#### HOMECOMING SPIRIT WEEK

Monday, 9/25 – Red & White Day; wear red & white to school. NHS will show the Lion King (PRIDE) on the wall of Pickard as a drive-in movie at dusk. All are welcome.

**Tuesday, 9/26** – Tie Day. Ideas for this day: wear a tie, put a tie of sorts in your hair, and/or wear tie-dyed clothing.

**Wednesday, 9/27** – School Spirit Day; wear Spring Road School spirit wear, dress in our school colors of Red & White or as our mascot the Roadrunner.

Thursday, 9/28 – Packer Dress Day or your favorite sports team.

**Friday, 9/29** – NO School. Homecoming Parade at 4:30 PM. Starts at Neenah Pool & ends at the corner by Greene's Pour House. The football game is at 7:00 PM.

#### **GO ROCKETS!!!**

# Smiley Face

Students are welcome to enter the building on days with inclement weather. Inclement weather is temperatures below zero or rain. A yellow, smiley face will be posted on the doors of the main entrance to indicate a need to enter the building. Note: when the yellow, smiley face is posted, students must enter the building.

Upon entering the building, students will find his/her locker or coat hook and sit silently. Students are welcome to read a book, write a story, practice sight words or math facts, draw a picture, or anything else that is an independent, silent activity. Materials used must be in the child's locker or book bag; supplies by the student not the teacher.

# Playground Hours

Our playground has supervision at 7:45 a.m. on school days. Students are welcome to be at school on the playground any time after 7:45 a.m. Thank you to the many parents that have respected this safety rule by having your child wait in the car until 7:45 a.m.

We do not have supervision on our playground after school. Our playground is reserved for our after-school Y-Care program; Y-Care will be outside by 3:30 p.m. on most days. Parents choosing to remain after school to allow their child to play, must provide direct supervision. Children not participating in Y-Care are not allowed to engage in any activity with students in the Y-Care program.

## \$1,000 School Specialty gift certificate

Help our school win a School Specialty gift certificate by registering with our Physical Education Teacher, Mrs. Roxann Barrow for the Community First Fox Cities Marathon (any of the following: *Kids' Run, Diaper Dash, 5K, relay, half, marathon*). The events for the Fox Cities Marathon are September 22<sup>nd</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup>.

Please contact Mrs. Barrow at <u>rbarrow@neenah.k12.wi.us</u> or by calling our school office at 751-6975 ext. 20140for registration or more information.

### Our Fundraiser is Underway!

Shop online 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Products ordered are shipped directly to you! <u>Click here</u> to start shopping or use the following link

http://shop.clubschoicefundraising.com/?utm\_source=fb&utm\_medium=chair&schoolcode=SPRIN28 . You can also register your child at <a href="www.clubschoicefundraising.com">www.clubschoicefundraising.com</a> and promote the fundraising to friends and family. Thank you for supporting our fundraising project! School Code: SPRIN28