

IMPORTANT DATES

October

- Mon. Oct. 24th– Box Top Collection for Roosevelt ends
- Mon. Oct. 24th– Butter Braid Sale begins for Alliance
- Wed., Oct. 26– 4:00-8:00 PM Parent/Teacher Conferences and book fair
- Thurs., Oct. 27– 11:30 AM Dismissal Parent/Teacher Conferences & book fair 12:30-8:00 PM
- Fri., Oct. 28– NO SCHOOL–

November

- Tues. Nov. 1– 6:30 PM Alliance Council Board Meeting
- Thurs. Nov. 3– 11:30 Dismissal– End of the 1st Quarter
- Fri. Nov. 4– NO SCHOOL– Professional Learning Day
- Tues. Nov. 8– Election Day and Bake Sale For Roosevelt and Alliance
- Wed. Nov. 9th– Butter Braid sale ends
- Wed. Nov 16th 5:30-7:30 PM Skate Night/A&V
- Thurs. Nov 17th 5:00-7:00 PM Uncle Pancake is coming to school!
- Fri. Nov 18th– Butter Braid pick up 12:00-1:00pm at Roosevelt
- Thurs. Nov. 24 – Fri. Nov. 25– NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving Break

The ACRE* Resource

**Alliance Charter /Roosevelt Elementary*

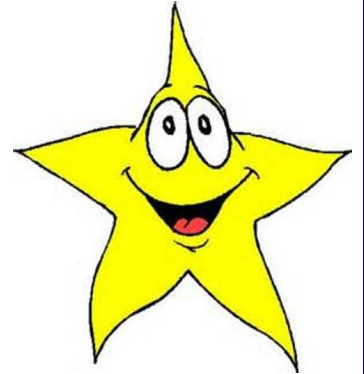
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October 21, 2016

Be a STAR at Roosevelt and Alliance

In every ACRE Resource, seven student identification numbers will be hidden throughout the publication. If you or your child finds his/her student identification number, have your child come to the office before the following Friday to pick up their **STAR** prize. It pays to be a **Super Thorough Acre Reader!**



Box Top Collections!

Students from Alliance just completed a Box Top collection and met their goal to collect 2,500 Box Tops. The students actually collected more 4,000! Since Alliance met their goal, they will be having a popcorn and pajama day! The date is to be announced in the near future!

Students from Roosevelt are competing in a Box Top contest that ends on Monday, Oct. 24th. The class that collects the most Box Tops will have a pizza party!

Thank you all for supporting our schools!



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Fire Safety Winners

Congratulations to Madyson Simonis, Annie Aykens, Emily Sickels and Myra Morgan. Students in grades 1-3 that turned in their fire safety contract where entered into a drawing. Two Alliance students and two Roosevelt students were randomly picked from the pile of 55,290 contracts. These four students will spend a morning at the Neenah/Menasha Fire Station and learn first hand about being a firefighter.



Boys' & Girls' Brigade Christmas Giving Program

The holidays are right around the corner. This is an exciting time of year, but for some families it is a time of added worry and stress. Many families worry about how they will be able to financially deal with the holidays. If you know of a family, (it might even be your own,) who is in need of some assistance this holiday season please contact our School Counselor, Mrs. Wunderlich. She can provide you with the needed referral card and information on this program.

All completed referral cards are due back to Mrs. Wunderlich no later than Monday, November 14th.

Mrs Wunderlich can be reached at: lwunderlich@neenah.k12.wi.us or 751-6965 ext. 15116(Lakeview) or 751-6970 ext. 18116 (Roosevelt/Alliance)



Parent/Teacher Conferences

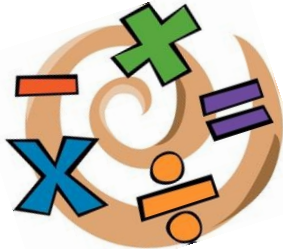


Parent/Teacher Conferences are on Wednesday, Oct. 26th from 4:00-8:00 and Thursday, Oct. 27th from 12:30-8:00. The Roosevelt families are providing dinner for the staff on Wednesday. If you would like to help with this meal please click [here](#). Alliance families are providing a lunch on Thursday for the staff. If you would like to help feed the 48,432 staff members, please click [here](#). A huge thank you to all 49,504 families that feed our hungry staff!

Math Road Maps

Often times, parents wonder what they can do to help their child in the area of math. Andra Mory, our Math Support teacher for Roosevelt and Alliance Charter, found an excellent resource that provides grade level expectations and activities for math. If you are interested in these articles click [here](#) for Alliance Charter, and [here](#) for Roosevelt. Once you are on the website, select the Math Road Map you would like to read.

If you would like a paper copy, please let your child's teacher know and one will be given to you.



Parking at School

It has been brought to my attention, that some people are parking in spaces that are reserved for those with a permit, when picking up or dropping off students. Please be respectful and leave these spaces for those that have the proper permit to use them. Thank you for your cooperation.



Alliance and Roosevelt Book Fair!

Roosevelt and Alliance will be holding a Scholastic Book Fair in the school gym on October 26th and 27th during parent teacher conferences. This is a great opportunity to get a jump on holiday shopping. Proceeds from the fair will be used to purchase books for the classrooms.

We are looking for 35,481 volunteers to help set-up/take-down and sell books. Please sign-up using the Sign up Genius link below.

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0449aaaf28a46-scholastic>

Contact Nichole Verhagen (tobornz@yahoo.com) with any ques-

Healthy Snack Recipe Idea

Healthy Pumpkin Muffins

Prep time	Cook time	Total time
10 mins	23 mins	33 mins

Easy, one bowl, maple-sweetened, pumpkin muffins made with whole wheat flour, oats, coconut oil and spices! These healthy muffins are as light, fluffy and delicious as their coffee shop counterparts. Tip: measure your pumpkin purée by packing it into a dry measuring cup and leveling the top, instead of using a liquid measuring cup.

Author: Cookie and Kate
Recipe type: Baked Good
Serves: 10 muffins

Ingredients

- ½ cup melted coconut oil or extra-virgin olive oil
- ½ cup maple syrup or honey
- 2 eggs, at room temperature
- 1 cup pumpkin purée
- ¼ cup milk of choice (I used almond milk)
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ½ teaspoon cinnamon, plus more for sprinkling on top
- ½ teaspoon ground ginger
- ¼ teaspoon nutmeg
- ¼ teaspoon allspice or cloves
- 1¾ cups [whole wheat pastry flour](#) or regular whole wheat flour
- ½ cup old-fashioned oats, plus more for sprinkling on top

Instructions

1. Preheat oven to 325 degrees Fahrenheit (165 degrees Celsius). If necessary, grease ten cups of your muffin tin with butter or non-stick cooking spray (my pan is non-stick and didn't require any grease).
2. In a large bowl, beat the oil and maple syrup or honey together with a whisk. Add eggs, and beat well. Mix in the pumpkin purée and milk, followed by the baking soda, vanilla extract, salt, cinnamon, ginger, nutmeg and allspice or cloves.
3. Add the flour and oats to the bowl and mix with a large spoon, just until combined. If you'd like to add any additional mix-ins, like nuts, chocolate or dried fruit, fold them in now.
4. Divide the batter evenly between the ten muffin cups. For these muffins, it's ok to fill the cups a little higher than you normally would. Sprinkle the tops of the muffins with a small amount of oats, followed by a sprinkle of cinnamon. Bake muffins for 23 to 26 minutes, or until a toothpick inserted into a muffin comes out clean.
5. Place the muffin tin on a cooling rack. These muffins are delicate until they cool down (you have been warned!), so it's best to wait until they have cooled down to remove them from the tin. You might need to run a butter knife along the outer edge of the muffins to loosen them from the pan. Enjoy muffins as is or with a spread of nut butter or regular butter.



"Through acceptance, kindness and compassion, we build a safe community to explore, create and make mistakes."

-Alliance Charter and Roosevelt Elementary schools.

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Butter Braid Sale for Alliance!

Alliance Charter will be selling Butter Braids beginning Oct. 24th and ending Nov. 9th. What are Butter Braids? Well, if you have never tried one, you are in luck because samples will be available during Parent/ Teacher conferences. The cost for a Butter Braid 46,112 dollars. Just kidding! It's really only \$13.00. Pickup for the Butter Braids will be on November 18th from 12:00-1:00 at Roosevelt School Alliance parents, please watch for your child's letter and order form to come home on Oct. 24th.



And Speaking of Baking...

Roosevelt and Alliance will be hosting a bake sale on Tuesday, Nov. 8th. Items will be displayed on tables during the day and night during the election. It will be a free will offering for the bake goods. The money raised during this bake sale will be used to help fund school field trips for the 2017-2018 school year. Be sure to encourage your 45,783 neighbors to treat themselves to a tasty home baked goody at our school while they are here to vote! Want to donate 47,993 items for the bake sale or help set up/take down? A Sign up Genius link will be coming soon for volunteers to sign up.

Have a great weekend!