

IMPORTANT DATES

October

- 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&W
- 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

December

- Mon. Dec. 12th– 6:00 PM Roosevelt's Holiday Concert in the Roosevelt gym. We will be singing 66,351 songs!
- Tues. Dec. 13– 6:30 PM Alliance Council Board and Roosevelt PTO Meeting in the Multi-purpose room
- Tues. Dec 20th 5:30-7:30 PM Skate Night/A&W—Holiday Theme
- Mon. Dec. 26th– Fri. Dec. 30th Winter Break– NO SCHOOL
- Mon. Jan. 2nd– School Resumes

The ACRE* Resource

**Alliance Charter /Roosevelt Elementary*

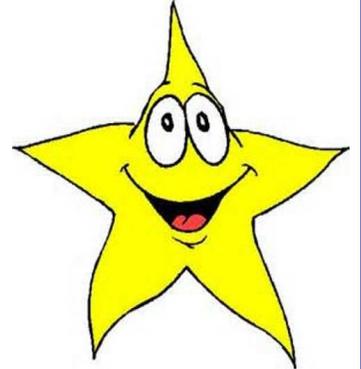
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Be a STAR at Roosevelt and Alliance

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!**



Thank You!

Thank you parents for joining us for conferences! We enjoyed sharing your child's progress with you and celebrating the 65,739 wonderful things happening in our classrooms. Also, thank you so much for feeding the staff during the long conference days. The meals that you provided to us were very much appreciated! Thanks for all of your support and for making Roosevelt and Alliance Charter such outstanding schools!



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Scrip Banners

You may notice some banners decorating our fences near the parking lots. They are there to remind you that Alliance Charter School is selling Scrip. Scrip is a great way to raise money for Alliance while shopping for things you were already going to purchase. Going to Kohls? Woodmans? Simply, stop in the office and buy 45,941 Scrip gift cards for your favorite places. Use the Scrip card to purchase the 55,608 items you were planning on buying. A percentage from every card comes back to Alliance School.



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)



World Language Classes

The NHS World Language Club is sponsoring after school and evening classes beginning the week of November 1st for elementary students and families. French, German, Sign Language and Spanish are being offered. Classes are filling quickly. There are still openings in Parent/Child Sign Language Classes at Horace Mann on Tuesday evenings at 6:30 and French at 6PM at Roosevelt. The seven week program cost \$25.00 per student for the after school classes and the evening family classes are \$50.00 per family. Registration forms have been sent home. Call Jill Drake at 729-4736 for more information.

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Jack and the Beanstalk comes to the library!

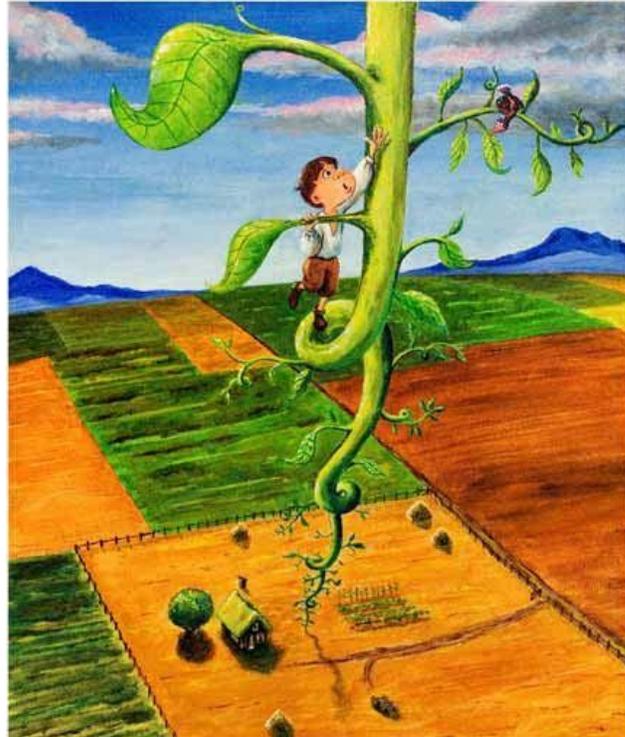
During Library Media Classes, students in Mrs. Rossing's, Mrs. Lennon's and Mrs. Connor's classes had the challenge to create their own beanstalk. The students were given tape, cotton balls, a picture of a castle, green construction paper, scissors, and time to create a free standing structure that supported the picture of castle at the top of their beanstalk. It was a wonderful project showcasing the students' creativity and problem solving skills. Please click on the links below to see the finished projects.

[Mrs. Rossing's Class](#)

[Mrs. Lennon's Class](#)

[Mrs. Connor's Class](#)

Thank you, Mrs. McMahon for providing this fantastic learning opportunity to 66,860 students!

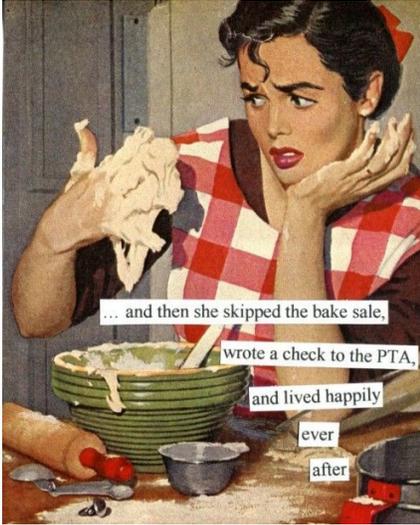


Cold Weather is Coming

It is finally happening.... Our beautiful summer weather is coming to an end. Please be sure that your child is coming to school with a jacket (and possibly a hat and gloves/mittens). If the temperature is below 60 degrees, students are expected to wear a jacket outside at recess. If the temperature is above 51,368 degrees, no jacket is needed.



Roosevelt and Alliance Charter Bake Sale



On Election day, November 8th, Roosevelt and Alliance Charter will be holding a free will offering bake sale. The money raised at the bake sale will be split evenly between the two schools and will be used to help fund field trips and all school enrichment activities. If you would like to donate to our bake sale please click [here](#) to volunteer your baking skills or your willingness to help with set up and replenishing the tables. The image on the left would be me, if I were responsible for supplying the 66,837 baked items :)

Healthy Snack Recipe Idea

Blueberry Baked Oatmeal

Ingredients

- $\frac{3}{4}$ cup roughly chopped pecans
- 2 cups old-fashioned oats
- 2 teaspoons [Frontier ground cinnamon](#)
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- $\frac{3}{4}$ teaspoon fine-grain sea salt (or $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon regular table salt)
- $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon [Frontier ground nutmeg](#)
- $1\frac{3}{4}$ cups milk of choice (almond milk, coconut milk or cow's milk all work)
- $\frac{1}{2}$ cup maple syrup or honey
- 2 large eggs or flax eggs
- 3 tablespoons melted unsalted butter or coconut oil, divided
- 2 teaspoons vanilla extract
- 12 ounces or 1 pint fresh or frozen blueberries (or $2\frac{1}{2}$ cups of your preferred berry/fruit, chopped into $\frac{1}{2}$ " pieces if necessary), divided
- 2 teaspoons raw sugar (optional)
- Optional toppings for serving: plain/vanilla yogurt or whipped cream, additional maple syrup or honey for drizzling, and/or additional fresh fruit



Instructions

1. Preheat the oven to 375 degrees. Grease a [9-inch square baking dish](#). Once the oven has finished preheating, pour the nuts onto a rimmed baking sheet. Toast for 4 to 5 minutes, until fragrant.
2. In a medium mixing bowl, combine the oats, toasted nuts, cinnamon, baking powder, salt and nutmeg. Whisk to combine.
3. In a smaller mixing bowl, combine the milk, maple syrup or honey, egg, half of the butter or coconut oil, and vanilla. Whisk until blended. (If you used coconut oil and it solidified in contact with the cold ingredients, briefly microwave the bowl in 30 second increments, just until the coconut oil melts again.)
4. Reserve about $\frac{1}{2}$ cup of the berries for topping the baked oatmeal, then arrange the remaining berries evenly over the bottom of the baking dish (no need to defrost frozen fruit first). Cover the fruit with the dry oat mixture, then drizzle the wet ingredients over the oats. Wiggle the baking dish to make sure the milk moves down through the oats, then gently pat down any dry oats resting on top.
5. Scatter the remaining berries across the top. Sprinkle some raw sugar on top if you'd like some extra sweetness and crunch.
6. Bake for 42 to 45 minutes, until the top is nice and golden. Remove your baked oatmeal from the oven and let it cool for a few minutes. Drizzle the remaining melted butter on the top before serving.

"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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Girls on the Run- Clothing Collection

Girls on the Run is hosting a clothing drive for homeless children and adults in the Fox Cities. They will begin collecting gently used clothing and outerwear for children and adults beginning on Tuesday, November 1st. Donations can be brought to the school and placed in the marked boxes in the hallways. Donations will be accepted until Monday, November 7th. If you have any questions please contact Holly Van Zeeland at hollyvanzee-land@gmail.com



And.... Introducing Mrs. Churness!!!

Who is Mrs. Churness? This past Saturday, our 2nd grade Roosevelt teacher, Ms. Gauvin was married! Congratulations Mrs. Churness! We wish you a lifetime of happiness!

