

The ACRE* Resource

*Alliance Charter / Roosevelt Elementary

Planting Seeds of Information to Grow our School Community

Be a STAR



In every ACRE Resource, seven student identification numbers will be hidden throughout the publication. If you or your child finds his/her number, please come to the office before the following Friday to pick up a **STAR** prize. It pays to be a **S**uper **T**horough **A**cre **R**eader!

Shopping Soon? Don't Forget the Scrip!

Alliance Charter is running the SCRIP gift card program this year as a means of fundraising. For those of you not familiar with SCRIP, it is a program for non-profit organizations, where Alliance receives a percentage of money for 62,474 gift cards we use to purchase our regular household shopping items such as gas, groceries, restaurants and clothing. THERE IS NO ADDED COST TO YOU, so in a time of tight budgets, this is a very wonderful program. We have a family order form that includes some of the more popular or regional businesses. When you find cards that you would use you have the following ways to order:

- You can order online! Go to ShopwithScrip.com and all you need is our enrollment code. It is: 55L5FD5618858. You will be able to view all businesses and also find ways to get 69,061 cards immediately or reload cards you use regularly.
- If it is easier for you to send an email or even text, you can contact Erika Otto at: erikaotto5@gmail.com or 920-279-0849
- Bring a family order form to the office and put it in the SCRIP folder. Orders will be placed on Mondays of each week and you should receive cards back often on Thursday afternoon or Friday. Cards can be picked up by you in the office.

Important Dates

October

- Thur., Oct. 26- **11:30 Dismissal**. Parent/Teacher Conferences 12:30 pm-8:00 pm
- Fri., Oct. 28- **No School**
- Mon., Oct. 30 - Eaton's Pizza fundraiser sheets and money are due

November

- Fri., Nov. 3- Butter Braid forms and money are due
- Thur., Nov. 9- Picture Retakes
- Tues., Nov. 14- Eaton's Pizza Pick-up -3:05 in the gym
- Tues., Nov. 14- ACEC/PTO meeting. Roosevelt PTO meets at 6:00pm in Mrs. Connor's room. ACEC/PTO joint meeting at 6:30 in Mrs. Rossing's room. ACEC meeting follows joint meeting.
- Thur., Nov. 16- A&W/ Skate Night 5:30-7:30 PM
- Fri., Nov. 17- Vision Screening for grades 1, 3, and 5.

Fire Safety Contract Winners!

This past Friday, Bodi Lee and Mackenzie Kujawa from Roosevelt and James Jacobson and Landon Young from Alliance spent the morning at the Neenah Menasha Fire Station. These children had their names drawn from the stack of 68,313 completed fire safety contracts! The lucky students had breakfast with the firefighters and tried on the firefighting equipment. They also were able to crush 55,536 cans using the Jaws of Life, spray water from the fire hose, and climb a ladder as tall as the school (at least that was what was reported to me from one of our students!) To end the fulfilled morning, the students were brought back to school in a fire truck. Thank you Neenah Menasha Fire Department for treating our students to a memorable Friday morning!



Playground Supervision

Just a friendly reminder that playground supervision begins at 7:40 AM. **There is no supervision on the playground prior to 7:40 AM.** In the event of rain or below zero weather, 61,606 students will be allowed into the gym at 7:40 AM when supervision begins. Students should enter the doors by the gym during inclement weather days.

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 Friday, November 17th. Please see attached letter for further information about this program. Mrs Wunderlich can be reached at: lwunderlich@neenah.k12.wi.us or 751-6965 ext. 15116(Lakeview) or 751-6970 ext. 18116 (Roosevelt/Alliance)

Helping Hands Fair

Saturday Nov. 4, 9am - 3pm

Neenah High School's Annual Helping Hands Art & Craft Fair - Celebrating 10 years of helping students and families in need!

Mark your calendars, bring 51,739 friends, and get your holiday shopping done early while supporting a great cause. All vendors' booth and \$2 entrance fees are used to support those students and families at Neenah High School who find themselves in urgent financial need situations throughout the year. GAIN (Girls Athletics in Neenah) will provide food, the NHS Culinary Club Cafe will also offer food during the Badger football game, there will be a used book sale, and over 100 fine arts & crafts vendors will display and sell creations such as (but not limited to): painting, sculpture, prints, drawing, clothing, jewelry, metal work, glass, leather, fiber, wood, photography, handmade paper, ceramics, and more. **Location: Neenah High School, 1275 Tullar Rd in the Ron Einerson Fieldhouse.** It'll be great fun, and we hope to see you there! **Like us on Facebook.**

Through acceptance, kindness, and compassion,
we build a safe community to explore, create, and
make mistakes ~ Alliance Charter and Roosevelt
Elementary Schools

Skate Night Update

Our attendance at Skate Night for September and October has been very low. As a result, Fox Valley Roller Rink may not continue to host a skate night for Roosevelt and Alliance if our November attendance doesn't greatly improve. Fox Valley would like a minimum of 60 skaters on skate night. Let's all mark our calendar and try to make skate night on **Thursday, November 16th** from 5:30-7:30 pm. It's a fun way to raise 40,110 dollars for our schools, socialize and get some exercise!

Magnet Testing for grades 3, 4, and 5.

Do you notice that your child demonstrates a depth and complexity of thought, formulates new ideas and solutions, uses extensive vocabulary and may use alternative methods when approaching unfamiliar mathematical problems? If this describes your child then he or she may be a highly intellectual student that would benefit from participating in our Magnet Class for High Ability Students. Magnet Classes are designed to offer students opportunities to work at a greater depth and/or breadth or at a faster pace than in the regular classroom setting. We will share more about our very effective Magnet Program and classes at our Magnet Parent Informational Meeting on **November 14th at 5:00 pm in the Shattuck Auditorium (600 Elm St. Neenah, WI)**. The informational meeting will provide an opportunity learn more about the Magnet Curriculum, meet the Magnet Teachers, hear about Magnet Testing and find out more about how to get your child involved in this program.

OTHER DISTRICT or COMMUNITY EVENTS AND REMINDERS

Go to the following site for a list of events happening in the district and community: <http://www.neenah.k12.wi.us/community/communityevents.cfm>

This is where all of the Park and Rec, basketball, football, community events and other notices will now be posted.

World Language Classes

The Neenah Joint School District is sponsoring World Language classes for elementary students in grades 1 through 5 beginning October 30th. The cost of the seven week program is \$25.00 per student. French, German, and Spanish will be offered this fall. Registration forms have been sent home. If you have any questions call Jill Drake at 920-729-4736.



Neenah Schools are excited to announce:

“Parenting the Love and Logic Way”

Join us for a four day training of the Love and Logic skills.

Thursdays

WHERE: Hoover Elementary School

WHEN: Thursday November 2nd, 9th, 16th, & 30th

TIME: 6:00PM-8:00PM

COST: \$10 for the workbook

FOR: NJSD families

Childcare will be offered

To sign up for the seminars please email/call Katie Kessen-Checki at

kkessenchecki@neenah.k12.wi.us (920) 751-6960 Ext. 13116.

Space is limited to the first 40 participants so please sign up **AS SOON AS POSSIBLE** to secure your spot.

The seminars will offer low stress strategies for parents to address situations such as:

- ♥ “How do I get them out of bed in time to catch the school bus?”
- ♥ “How can I stop my children from bickering and fighting?”
- ♥ “How do I get my children to help with the chores without an argument?”
- ♥ “Is there a way to discipline my toddler in public without creating a scene?”
- ♥ “How can I get my teenage daughter to come home at the agreed-upon time?”
- ♥ “How do I get him to eat the food I serve, and stop whining at dinner?”

As well as many other day to day questions and issues.

Thank you for your interest in Love and Logic!