

**Eagle Point Elementary School**-excEPtional and getting better Every One, Every Day, Every Way!

# The Eagle Points-Family Edition

Week of April 8, 2024

**Eagle Point Facebook Link** 

#### Gr. 3 - Wisconsin Forward Exam

The Wisconsin Forward Test for Eagle Point third grade students begins this week. The schedule is:

Wednesday, April 10th - Math - 8:30 AM Thursday, April 11th - Math - 8:30 AM

HERE is a brochure to give you some more information about this assessment.

## **Elementary Art Show**



Don't miss the upcoming <u>Elementary Art Show</u>. The show will showcase art from every student from Eagle Point, Windsor, and Yahara. We hope to see you there!

April 15th - 4:30 - 7:00 - District Office

April 16th - 4:00 - 6:00 - District Office.

# **Eclipse - April 8th - Message from the Principal**



As you may know, there will be a partial solar eclipse visible in our area on April 8, 2024. Viewing a solar eclipse without proper eye protection can potentially cause permanent eye damage and vision loss. To safely view an eclipse, special eclipse glasses or other certified sun filters are required. With hundreds of students, we cannot ensure that every child would have the approved eye protection and use it properly throughout the entire eclipse.

While this is an exciting astronomical event, the district will not be facilitating a formal viewing of the eclipse. Outdoor recess scheduled after 12:45 will be moved indoors. Please note that during elementary and Harvest release times, supervision will be provided to ensure students do not directly view the eclipse. We understand that some parents/guardians may wish to excuse their children from class to observe the eclipse, and we fully support this decision.

We will have standard reminders that we will teach our students regarding sun safety. While we recognize that the solar eclipse may spark scientific interest, we will let classroom teachers determine what they may wish to have their classes learn about eclipses through classroom lessons and materials. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation in ensuring the safety and well-being of our students during this event.

# Family Norski Time

On Tuesday, April 2nd, teacher groups met to dive deeper into recent student data, assessments, observations, and grades. Through discussions, we worked as teams to create "Norski Groups" based on student strengths and areas of growth. These groups will begin meeting on Monday, April 8th during each grade level's assigned "Norski Time." During this time students will be working on skills specific to their learning needs. For those students who were identified as needing additional Reading and/or Math support, teachers will be providing

more specific information relating to things your student may be working on during "Norski Time" soon. We are so excited to help our learners continue to grow this school year! -Mrs. Billings, Reading Teacher

#### **Counselor Corner**



Have you asked, "What do the students do in life skills class?" Mrs. Luebke, our school counselor, has the answer. Click on the link: <u>Life Skills Learning</u>

Enter the Relaxation Station, Eagle Point's Virtual Calming Room. Parents can click on the individual pages and find several different learning activities to help them learn what kinds of things can help them! Click on the button below to see what it's all about! Relaxation Station

#### **EC Child Find**

Do you have questions about your 3-5 year old child's development related to behavior, communication or early learning skills? Our DASD Early Childhood team is available to help! Please view the flier here for more information.

#### **PTO News**

Look for our Kiss the Calf change drive set up in the front foyer starting April 8th and ending on April 17th. Bring in your spare change and put it in the jar of the staff member you would like to see Kiss the Calf at the Ice Cream Social! All change benefits the PTO for school programs. Participants are:



Mrs. Machkovech - Music Mrs. Shirley - Art

Mr. Roelke - Phy. Ed.

Ms. Stout - School Psychologist Mrs. Luebke - School Counselor

Mr. Madarin Phy Ed

Mr. Huebsch - Principal Mrs. Greco - Librarian

Mr. Madorin - Phy Ed.



Ice Cream Social: Thursday, April 18th, 4:30-6:30 pm in the cafeteria. Join us for Sassy Cow ice cream sundaes with all the toppings (nut free toppings will be available)! Free for all EP families, donations are welcome. Kessenich Farms will be on the playground blacktop with some live farm animals and feeding demonstrations. The DHS FFA club will also set up games and activities related to dairy farming. We are looking for volunteers. Click on this link if you can help: Volunteer for Ice Cream Social

Save the date: Friday, May 31st - PTO Spring Carnival

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- Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/EaglePointElementaryPTO/
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## **PBIS All School Reward**

Eagle Point Students earned their PBIS All School Reward by collecting 20 Golden Eggs! They had fun doing Choose Your Own Adventure Day! Students got to choose different adventures like, Art Hub, Legos, Board Games, Yoga, Art Projects, Bingo, STEM, Marble Runs, Penny Spinners and many more fun things!











## **Norski Nation News**



Click on this link for "Norski Nation News"! This will include all district-level content that is relevant for families. We are hoping this new process will eliminate the three emails a month you receive with the e-flyers as well as some additional stand alone district communications.

#### Norski Nation Highlights (click on Norski Nation News for details):

- Spring Fling April 6th Dance, games and face painting 4K 4th Gr.
- Summer Drama Camp Gr. 2 9th
- Elementary Art Show April 15th & 16th
- Mulit-Cultural Fair April 19th cultural foods, performances, games and more
- 4K 2024-25 Developmental Expo April 10th & 4K 2024-25 Enrollment