



YOUNG VIKINGS

VETERAN'S DAY ASSEMBLY

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11

9:00 A.M. AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

ALL ARE WELCOME !!

**TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO
THANK A
VETERAN FOR THEIR DEDICATED
SERVICE.**



Can Ya? Bring your cans for one of our H.O.P.E. sponsored can drives. Delivery is outside after school on Monday or at drop off on Tuesday. Look for the sign with your teachers name to "get credit" for fun classroom prizes at the end of the year. Our next can drive is Tues., Nov 8. Mrs. Gilbert's class won last month!!!!

If you are interested in the Girls Scouts of America, please check out the link below for more information.



<https://form.jotform.com/221795423467059>

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2022-23 Bittersweet Ski passes

for adults and students

are now available

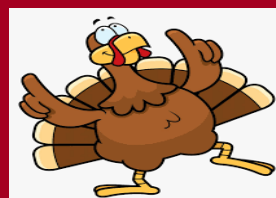
Forms are available at all school offices.



Thanksgiving Break

Are ya ready for some turkey? Ham? Mashed potatoes? Yams? Pie?

Thanksgiving break is:
11:10 dismissal on Tues., Nov. 22
No school Nov. 23, 24 or 25!
Gobble up!



Who's feeling positive? We all are!

**Our next positive message day is Wednesday,
November 16.**

4th Annual "EuCure for Crohn's" Tournament
November 12, 2022 @ St. Mary's Visitation

Check out our website for all the fun information for this euchre tournament. hpsvikings.org
All proceeds go to the Crohn's & Colitis Foundation of Michigan

NEW MESSAGE FROM FOOD SERVICE: Please keep in mind that school meals are not free to everyone this school year. Benefits are based on the meal application that is available for families to fill out. Meal balances are the responsibility of families to pay on a regular basis.

Balances & spending habits of your student may be tracked using hopkins.familyportal.cloud. You may also deposit money on your student account (fees apply) if you choose not to send cash or check.

Your student balance on familyportal is accurate up to the day; PowerSchool seems to be about 2 weeks behind on updating balances. Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

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Half Days...

Our half days for the 2022-23 school year are:

- *Tuesday, November 22
- *Monday, January 16
- *Friday, February 17
- *Thursday, March 2
- *Friday, March 3
- *Friday, April 28
- *Thursday, June 1
- *Friday, June 2

These are 11:10 dismissals.

**MAKE ARRANGEMENTS
FOR YOUR CHILD(REN)
THESE DAYS!!!**



Turn your clocks back an hour before bed on Saturday, November 5.



Proper Clothing Rules:

60 degrees or more...short sleeves

50-59 degrees....long sleeves

Less than 50 degrees....coat



Save the Date:

**SYCAMORE CHRISTMAS CONCERT
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 20
Y5-2ND GRADE 1:00 P.M.
3RD-5TH GRADE 2:00 P.M.**



Next H.O.P.E. Meeting:

Wednesday, November 30 6:30 p.m.

Next popcorn day:

Friday, November 18 50 cents a bag

Suggestions given by the Allegan County Health Dept. of "When to Keep Your Child Home":

- *Severely Ill
- *Fever: Temp. of 100.4F or greater AND behavior changes or other signs and symptoms (keep home until 24 hours fever-free, without use of fever-reducing meds)
- *Diarrhea: no loose stools for 24 hrs. prior to returning==
- *Vomiting: no vomiting episodes for 24 hrs. prior to returning==
- *Rash: with fever or change in behavior==
- *Skin sores (weeping sores that can't be covered with waterproof dressing)
- *Certain Communicable Diseases: may need to be excluded

==These are general recommendations only. Consult physician or local public health department.

Treat Day Tuesdays

Two treats for \$1.

Profits help fund March is Reading Month activities.

Students choose from a variety of snacks & drinks.

Christmas Shop & Can Return Volunteers Needed!!! If you are willing to help out, please sign up on our NEW H.O.P.E. Face book page: Sycamore Elementary H.O.P.E. Your help is greatly appreciated!!!



SAVE the DATE

Our first skate party will be at Byron Center Fun Spot on November 4!!

Time: 6:00 p.m. til close

Cost: \$8 includes skates & admission
Spectator cost: \$4

Christmas Break:

Thurs., Dec. 22-

Tues., Jan. 3

Fifty-one days til Christmas

