

SYCAMORE ELEMENTARY SCHOO

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DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5 @ 2:00 A.M.

SET YOUR CLOCKS BACK AN HOUR BEFORE BED ON SATURDAY NIGHT.



VETERAN'S DAY ASSEMBLY

At Hopkins High School Friday, November 10 9:00 a.m.

All are welcome to attend



Happy Halloween!! Tuesday, Oct. 31

11:10 dismissal You are invited to the Halloween parade at 10:30. This will be

held outside in the loop so dress appropriately. Come see your witches, goblins, princesses & ballerina's!



reat Each Tuesday, students can pick a snack...chips, drinks, cookies, donuts, crackers, fruit snacks.

PRICE: 75 cents for one or 3 snacks for \$2

Did you miss the first skate party? No worries:

Byron Center Fun Spot skating party for Sycamore is Friday,

November 10 from 6:-9: p.m.

Positive Message Day...Wed., Nov. 15...wear a shirt with a happy thought, positive message, smiley face, etc.

Popcorn! Our next popcorn day is Friday, November 17. Just 50 cents a bag!

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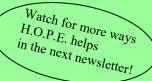
Did you know....H.O.P.E. does that?

School Programs:

Attend to the needs of all students

-Support field trips (bus fuel costs)

- -Partner with the BE NICE program
- -Assemblies





5th Annual "EuCure for Crohn's" Tournament November 11, 2023 Check-in 5:-6:30 p.m. Euchre at 6:30 sharp St. Mary's Visitation Community Center Entry tickets: \$25 21+ event with cash bar

Sandwiches & snacks will be provided 50/50 drawings

Raffle tickets for \$10 each with a long list of great prizes Any questions: John 616-821-6563 or Amy 616-821-6776 amy.c.fein@gmail.com

> Paypal—eucure4crohns@gmail.com Venmo—@eucureforcrohns



Our half days for the 2023-24 school year are:

- *Tuesday, October 31
- *Tuesday, November 21
- *Monday, January 15
- *Friday, February 16
- *Thursday, March 7
- *Friday, March 8
- *Friday, April 26
- *Monday, June 3
- *Tuesday, June 4

These are 11:10 dismissals.

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

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

- *Severely III
- *Fever: Temp. of 101F 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.

Thanksgiving & Christmas Break:

Thanksgiving Break:

11:10 dismissal on Tuesday, November 21 & NO SCHOOL Wednesday, November 22—Friday, November 24

Christmas Break:

NO SCHOOL Thursday, December 21—Tuesday, January 2

Back to school on Wednesday, January 3



The Sycamore Elementary Christmas Music Program will be held on Thursday, December 14

Y5-2nd grade 1:00 3rd-5gh grade 2:00

Proper Clothing Rules: 60 degrees or more...short sleeves 50-59 degrees....long sleeves Less than 50 degrees....coat



BACKGROUND CHECKS are required for all who will help in the classroom, attend a field trip, go to Field Day.....be ahead of the curve & fill them out now!

Hpsvikings.org Under "Family Resources"

Our H.O.P.E. Board:
Ali Mays...President
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Next H.O.P.E. mtg: Wed., Oct. 25 6:30 p.m.

SCHOOL MESSENGER:

You must opt in to receive non emergency school messenger alerts.

Please go to hpsvikings.org under parent portal and sign up!

Next Board of Education Mtg: Mon., Nov. 20 6: @ Sycamore Elementary Bldg.