

SYCAMORE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



YOUNG VIKINGS

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SKATE PARTY!

Our next skate party at Byron Center Fun Spot will be Friday, April 22 from 6:-10: p.m.



SYCAMORE H.O.P.E. MEETING:

THURSDAY, MARCH 10

6:30 P.M.

**PLEASE JOIN US TO SEE HOW YOU CAN HELP!!!
SYCAMORE STRONG!!!**

OUTSTANDING PEOPLE FOR EDUCATION AWARD

If you would like to nominate someone for making a difference in public education at Hopkins Public Schools, please fill the following out on line.

<https://forms.gle/sFZ6v9M5edigR1wk7>

Is there a teacher, bus driver, para pro, administrator, secretary, kitchen staff, custodial/maintenance staff, counselor, therapist, board member who stands out in your child's life.

Treat Day Tuesday

Students can purchase 2 treats for \$1 on Tuesday mornings which can be eaten at snack time. There is a huge selection of crackers, cookies, drinks, fruit snacks & so much more. All \$ goes toward fun activities for March is Reading Month. Please help support fun filled activities such as author visits, puppet shows and even field trips.

SYCAMORE H.O.P.E. FAMILY NIGHT

Sat., March 12 5:-8: p.m.

Come join the fun for the whole family! Live auctions, raffles, inflatables & Bingo! H.O.P.E. will be having a spaghetti dinner which includes salad & breadsticks by Acclaimed Catering and cookies by Temptations Bakery.

Adults: \$10 Kids: \$8 (price includes dinner, inflatables & Bingo games). Watch for ticket order forms & more information coming home with your student.

Y5/KDG. REGISTRATION

For new/incoming Y5/Kdg. students, our online registration will open on Tues., March 1. Please go to our Sycamore facebook page or to hpsvikings.org to enroll your student today!!

We will require your child's birth certificate, immunization record, vision screening & proof of residence.

Current Y5 students need not enroll...you already are!!

ENCORE! Summer Music Camp 2022

Registration for Summer Music Camp 2022 is open!

Go to <https://bit.ly/34VAveg>

Then to register.....<https://bit.ly/3sto6V3>

*Information is also coming home with your student.

**IMPORTANT note: We are no longer having MSers as campers. We would love to start training 6th-8th graders as counselors.

Email megavos@hpsvikings.org



Spirit Week

Monday, February 21—PJ Day

Tuesday, February 22—Twin Day

Wednesday, February 23—Crazy Hat

Or Hair Day

Thursday, February 24—Neon Colors Day

Friday, February 25—Blue & White Day

The Board does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex (including sexual orientation or gender identity), disability, age (except as authorized by law), religion, height, weight, marital or family status, military status, ancestry, genetic information, or any other legally protected category, (collectively, "Protected Classes") that are protected by Federal civil rights laws in its programs and activities.

UpCoMiNg DaTeS:

Sat., Mar. 12 Daylight Saving Time Begins!

THURS., MAR. 17 ST. PATRICK'S DAY

Mon., Apr. 4 Spring Break begins

Sun., Apr. 17 Easter

Our H.O.P.E. Board:

Ali Mays...President

Jen Aalderink...Vice President

Melissa Hiemstra....Treasurer

Bobbi Edwards....Secretary

These ladies do a lot for
our students!!!

Your help is

ALWAYS welcome.

Check it out at Sycamore

H.O.P.E. on Facebook or

email

sycamorehope@gmail.com

Proper Clothing Rules:

60 degrees or more...short sleeves

50-59 degrees....long sleeves

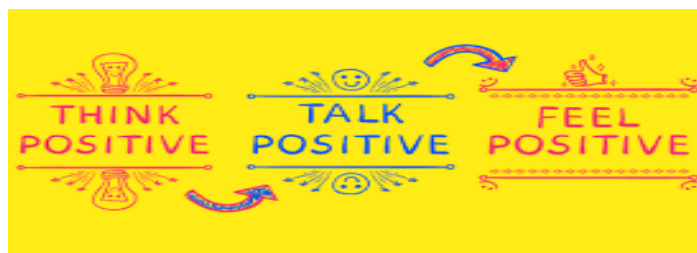
Less than 50 degrees....coat



Positive Message Day

Wear your positive message shirt again on Wed., March 16.

Be nice, be kind, be a friend, be happy, don't bully, make it a great day, smile.....



HALF DAYS OF SCHOOL

Thursday, March 3

&

Friday, March 4

11:10 dismissal for both days

Reminder:

Although masks are optional in the building, they are still required on the bus. Please remember to send your child out the door with their masks.



POPCORN DAY

Student Council Popcorn Day is Friday, March 18. Just 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.

Spring Pictures

Wednesday, March 9

More info to come



Background checks:

Anyone helping in the classroom, going on field trips, helping at field day, etc...background checks are required & must be updated each year.

The form is on line at hpsvikings.org.

Go to the "family resources" upper right corner & drop down to "volunteer background check".