

The Snow Leopard's Spot

CASCADE ELEMENTARY'S MONTHLY NEWSLETTER - NOVEMBER 2021

FROM MRS. WINDERS

Hello Cascade families!

I would like to commend our students and staff for making our school such a wonderful place to learn. With student attendance improving daily, our focus can and will remain on the success of every Cascade student. With the end of the marking period approaching, it is wonderful to see every student working hard and exploring learning.

To our parents; I sincerely appreciate the effort you are making during the county-wide school health nurse shortage by checking your child for cold/fever symptoms before they leave for school each day. This helps keep our student health room visits to a minimum. If your child is sent the health office, we will access their symptoms and contact you if there is a concern.

The end of the first marking period is Thursday, November 4th (students do not have school Friday, November 5th.) Student grades should be accessible on ParentVue by **Monday, November 15th**. If you haven't already activated your Parentvue account, please do so before the expiration date. If you need help, please [email Mrs. Kandi](#) to get a updated code.

Winter weather is ahead! Don't forget to send your student with a coat each day. Unless the weather dips below 32 degrees or is rainy, we will be having recess outside!

We are also looking for reliable parents who are willing to be lunch assistants. Please see the link below to apply.

We just finished up our Kindness Spirit Week, and I was so touched to see how many students participated not only in the fun challenges, but also making sure to put other's needs first and think about how they can fill another's bucket. Students are able to add a heart to the "Kindness Tree" located in the cafeteria to keep this going the rest of the school year.

As we move into the Thanksgiving season, I am thankful for all you do to support your children and Cascade and am truly honored to be able to be your principal.

Warm Regards,
Mrs. Winders

CASCADE ELEMENTARY IS HIRING LUNCH ASSISTANTS!

[CLICK HERE TO APPLY FOR A LUNCH ASSISTANT POSITION!](#)

DON'T FORGET! PICTURE MAKE-UP DAY IS NOVEMBER 3RD!

[CLICK HERE TO PURCHASE PICTURES ONLINE!](#)



THE END OF THE FIRST MARKING PERIOD IS NOV 4TH!

Students DO NOT have school
Friday, November 5th!



DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS NOVEMBER 7TH!

Time to FALL BACK one hour!
Don't forget to change your
clocks!



FALL BREAK IS COMING!

Students do not have school
November 24-26!



CASCADE ELEMENTARY SPIRIT WEAR FOR SALE!

Spirit wear is available for purchase starting November 1st with orders due by November 22nd.
Order forms will be coming home, or you order online using the link below.

[**CLICK HERE TO ORDER CASCADE SPIRIT WEAR!**](#)

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS! THE FALL
BOOK FAIR IS COMING NOVEMBER 29TH-
DECEMBER 3RD!**



A SMALL SCHOOL MAKING A BIG DIFFERENCE!

Our staff feels that even the smallest action can make a difference. We reference *The Starfish Story* by Loren Easley:

One day a man was walking along the beach when he noticed a boy picking something up and gently throwing it into the ocean.

Approaching the boy, he asked, "What are you doing?"

The youth replied, "Throwing starfish back into the ocean. The surf is up and the tide is going out. If I don't throw them back, they'll die."

"Son," the man said, "don't you realize there are miles and miles of beach and hundreds of starfish? You can't make a difference!"

After listening politely, the boy bent down, picked up another starfish, and threw it back into the surf.

Then, smiling at the man, he said...."I made a difference for that one."

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