PSE WEEKLY HOWL

WEEK OF MAY 22ND!

Thank YOU!

• Thanks to Julie Pangborn, Lisa Comfort, Andrea Harrison, Maggie Heilman, Durham Family, and the farewell team for planning the 5th-grade events. Thank you to the 4th-grade team that helped with the set-up this morning.

Talent Show - Thank YOU!

Thank you to Mrs. Donaldson and the 5th-grade team for preparing and organizing the 5th-grade talent show. It was amazing! Also, thank you to the specialist for their help in organizing and covering classes this week so that the entire 5th grade could practice.

Yearbook Distribution

Yearbooks will be distributed for signatures on the last day of school. While we understand that some families will miss that day, we will be keeping with the tradition in years past that all kids receive their books at once. If your child is gone, they can pick up the yearbook at school before the office closes for summer on June 12. After that date, please email us at prairiestaryearbook@gmail.com, and we will make other arrangements. Thank you for your patience and the photo submissions that went into creating this year's yearbook!

Thanks,

Sally Groesbeck, Abbie Moles & Amy Warren

Blue Valley High School Class Keys

Two PSE Kindergarten students attended Class Day Ceremony at Blue Valley High School. Axel and Belle received "Keys to BVHS" from the Class of 2022 officers looking toward the future of the Class of 2035!



Field Day Volunteers Needed

Volunteers are needed for Field Day on May 24th. Please consider volunteering to work at a station for a couple of hours. We need you from 12:45-3:30. Thank you in advance! ~Coach and Stacey

Volunteers for Field Day

Register for the 2023-24 school year today

<u>Elementary school registration</u> for the 2023-24 school year is open and <u>online now</u> for current students. Registration is required annually and is the time to update your child's information and pay fees. Completing registration confirms that your child will attend school in August. Thank you for providing important information as part of the registration process. For more information about registration, visit <u>www.bluevalleyk12.org/registration</u>.

Wolf Walk 23-24 School Year

Hard believe we're already at this point, but it's time to start planning for next year's Wolf Wellness Week! Please consider joining the committee; sign up here:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0F4EA8AF2EABFD0-2023

Order School Supplies from our PSE PTO for the 23-24 School Year!

Prairie Star Elementary School has partnered with 1st Day School Supplies to simplify school supply shopping! Use the following link to purchase a school supply kit for your PSE student.

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school. The order deadline is July 1 - no exceptions. If you have questions, don't hesitate to get in touch with Jessica Cartwright (jcart1105@gmail.com)



School Supplies for PSMS-Incoming 6th Grade Students!

Prairie Star Middle School has partnered with 1st Day School Supplies to simplify school supply shopping! Use the following link to purchase a school supply kit for your PSMS student. School supplies will be delivered to PSMS in August and distributed before the first day of school. The order deadline is July 1 - no exceptions. If you have questions, don't hesitate to contact Erin Briggeman (erin_boomer@yahoo.com). PRAIRIE STAR MIDDLE STUDENTS: Order Your School Supply Kit Now!

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Your pre-built school supply kit is ready to order with the exact school supplies your teacher requested. Click ...

Incoming Kindergarten Summer Camps

Meet the Kindergarten Teachers, Make New Friends, and Learn "How to do Schooll"

We are excited to offer K Camp to your incoming Kindergarten student!

During the session, your child will have an opportunity to learn and reinforce "whole body listening," taking turns, following the "plan," and other important skills needed for a smooth transition to Kindergarten.

Two Sessions Available...

Session 1: Monday, **June** 12 - Thursday, **June** 15, 9:00 am-12:00 pm Session 2: Monday, **July** 10 - Thursday, **July** 13, 9:00 am-12:00 pm

Both sessions will be held in the Kindergarten classrooms at Prairie Star Elementary!

More Information...

*Tuition for each session is \$175. You can Venmo Sue Rassette (@Peggy-Rassette) on or before the first day of camp.

*Snack provided each day (please inform us of any food allergies)

*Daily written reports are provided for parents, and a comprehensive report at the end of each session.

*Daily outdoor play

Sign Up Here!

Complete the following form to sign up: https://forms.gle/qoRy1nX8WEJ4axjJA

PSE Kindergarten Information

Please use the following link for all the PSE Kindergarten information.

Sign up for Kindergarten orientation if you have not already done so! https://www.smore.com/cn485

Important Dates for Kindergarten Families
Kindergarten Orientation Sessions | Wednesday, August 16
First full day of school for Kindergarten | Thursday, August 17

YMCA Fall Enrollment Opens May 10

For parents unfamiliar with Y-Club, the YMCA operates within district elementary schools during the school year. The program opens at 7:00 AM daily for early drop-off and stays open until 6:00 PM. Please <u>click here</u> to find out where to learn more or register for the 2023-24 school year. Registration opens on May 10th.

Important Dates:

May 24th!

• Field Day 12:45-3:15

May 26th

• Last 1/2 Day of school

Save the dates for August!

- August 8th- PSE MOVIE NIGHT 6:00-8:00 pm
- August 14th- New and Improved this year School Pictures 3:00-5:00
- August 14th- Sneak Peek 4:30-5:30
- · August 16th- Kindergarten Orientation, First Day for 1st-5th grades
- August 24th- Back to School Night 6:00-7:30

Save the DATES -End of YEAR FUN!

PSE Field Day

WHEN

Wednesday, May 24th, 12:30pm

WHERE

3800 West 143rd Street

Leawood, KS

MORE INFORMATION

Best day of the year. :)

Field Day - Wednesday, May 24th - Parent Volunteers Needed-<u>Volunteers for Field Day</u>

- Field Day will be during the school day on Wednesday, May 24th, from 12:50-3:20 (weather permitting).
- All students can wear a PSE t-shirt, fun!
- Please apply sunscreen before school or send sunscreen that they will use themselves.
- Students may wear a hat if they wish!
- Volunteer for a couple of hours by using this signup genius: <u>Volunteers for Field Day</u>

5th Grade Clap-out May 26th

We are starting the 5th-grade clap-out on May 26th at 11:00. All 5th-grade parents that would like to attend need to line the sidewalk from the parking lot (by PSMS track) to the playground by 11:00. We will walk outside from the old recess doors. When you see your child, please join them and walk with them. If you cannot attend, those students will step back in the front doors and to class and be dismissed as usual. This will allow us to keep everyone safe during dismissal and enable you to spend time with your child on the last day at PSE.

Grades K-4 will be dismissed starting at 11:35.

Fourth Quarter Report Card Reminder

End of Quarter Information - Viewing Canvas Courses and Fourth Quarter Grades

At the end of each quarter, courses in Canvas will conclude and will no longer be visible on the Canvas app and website. Courses for this year's fourth quarter will conclude on May 25th.

Report cards will be generated and families will be able to view second quarter grades on ParentVUE at the end of the day on June 1, 2023.

How do I view my child's report card?

- Log in on ParentVue
- · Select your elementary student's name
- In the left navigation bar, choose REPORT CARD

If you have questions about Standards Based Grading as you view your child's report card, please review the information found on the <u>Elementary Report Card resource page</u>.

Each new quarter, classroom teachers will publish their next quarter Canvas course. As courses are published, students and families will again be able to see current courses on the Canvas app and Canvas website. For Canvas parent resources, visit www.bluevalleyk12.org/canvas.