Webb Happenings Newsletter



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Important Dates

1/6/25 - Webb PTA Meeting

1/8/25 - Bagel Day - Bagels are \$1.25 each

1/20/25 - No School - Professional Development Day

1/23/25 - Webb Science Nonfiction Night

1/24/25 - Half Day/Records Day - students dismissed @ 11:20AM

1/27/25 - Kindergarten Information Night 6-7PM

1/29/25 - Report Cards go home

1/30/25 - January Student of the Month Breakfast - 7:30AM

2/3/25 - Webb PTA Meeting 3:30PM in the Media Center

2/13/25 - Webb Talent Show

2/14/25 - Half Day of School - students dismissed @ 11:30AM

2/17-2/21/25 - Winter Break - NO SCHOOL

From the Principal

Dear Webb Families,

Happy New Year! I hope you all enjoyed some extra time with your kids these past two weeks. We are all ready to get back to learning this week and we hope the kids are too. Please remember how important it is to get back into regular sleep routines. Our kids need this so much. I cannot tell you how many times I am dealing with students with behavior issues and then it comes out that they were up late or are overtired for one reason or another. I feel that in myself as an adult when I am sleep deprived, and I see it in my own kids when they have been up late. Sleep plays an important role in learning and behavior. A parent once gave me some great advice when she was talking to me about having her kids read each night at home. She said, "Sometimes we fall off the horse, but the next day we get back on and try again. There are going to be days when you can't make it work, but the important part is you don't stop trying". There are going to be random late nights here and there for one reason or another, but the important part is that that is the exception and not the rule. As we get into the new year, I am hoping you will support your kids and get into consistent routines for good healthy sleep. When our sleep expert came in a few years ago to talk with our families she said kids this age need 10-12 hours of sleep for their bodies and brains to do the growing that is needed. With school starting at 8AM, that would mean bedtime should be around 8PM. I think you would be surprised at how much better your kids will feel and how much easier it will be to get them up and going in the morning. We look forward to working with you to have a successful second half of the school year.

Sincerely,

Corri Nastasi

Principal, Webb Elementary

Webb Holiday Concert

What a great holiday concert we had with our Y5's through 2nd grade students in December before the holiday break! Here is a link to the concert for those that are interested: https://youtu.be/n6GCRokATCI

Student of the Month

Congratulations to our January Students of the Month. We look forward to celebrating with these students and their families on Thursday, January 30th at 7:30AM.

Ms. Watts Y5s	Chandler Hubacker
Mrs.Platt K	Ivin Davis
Mrs. Wilkins K	Raelyn Penn
Mrs. Kroneck 1	Syx McCarroll
Ms. Platt 1	Jurrni Thomas
Mrs. Burgess 2	Niylah Vaughn
Mrs. Corso 2	Charlotte Cloud
Ms. Burr 3	Calee Griffin
Mrs. Trathen 3	Nico Dozier
Mrs. Thomas 3	Brynn Smith
Ms. Snyder 4	Henry Dudley
Mrs. Brew 4	Inara Stecker
Mrs. Sanborn 5	Darious Giles
Mrs. Hazen 5	Abraham Martin
Mrs. Tschirhart 5	E'Marriel Donaldson
Mrs. Hall CI	Amare Rambo
Mrs. Pollatz ASD	Jackson Mcilwain

YMCA SportPort

Our next YMCA after school event will be on Thursday, January 16th. The link will be included in next week's newsletter.

Reading Over Break

On the Friday before we left for the holiday break, all students received a reading log that could be filled out for each half hour they read over break. If your child read over break, please have them return their filled out, signed, reading log by no later than Tuesday for a special reward.

January Lunch Menu

January 2025 Webb Elementary Lunch **MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY** 3 6 8 10 7 Lunch Lunch Lunch Sweet & Sour Chicken Mini Chicken Corn Dogs **Boneless Chicken Wings** Cheesy Italian Pull Apart Cheese Lasagna Rollup Jumbo Crispy Chicken Tenders • Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks **Breaded Chicken Drumstick Toasty Cheese Sandwich** Classic Pepperoni Pizza Turkey Ham & Cheese Marinara Sauce Muffin, Yogurt & Cheese Fun Popcorn Chicken Salad **EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly** Sandwich **EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly** Flatbread Sandwich Sandwich 13 14 15 16 17 Lunch Lunch Lunch Jumbo Crispy Chicken Tenders • **BBQ Oven Roasted Chicken Personal Cheese Pizza** Macaroni & Cheese **Chicken Parmesan** Fiestada Pizza Southwest Queso Pull Apart **Drumstick** Hot Turkey Ham & Cheese Classic Pepperoni Pizza Turkey Ham & Cheese Bacon Cheeseburger Bagel EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly • Muffin, Yogurt & Cheese Fun Popcorn Chicken Salad Sandwich Flatbread Sandwich Lunch 20 22 23 24 21 Lunch Lunch Lunch Lunch Mini Chicken Corn Dogs Classic Cheeseburger **Chicken Patty** · Chicken & Cheese Quesadilla Marinara Sauce **Breaded Chicken Drumstick** Fiestada Pizza Classic Pepperoni Pizza Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Whole Grain Dinner Roll Popcorn Chicken Salad **EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly** EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly • Muffin, Yogurt & Cheese Fun Flatbread Sandwich Sandwich 27 28 29 30 31 Chicken & Cheese Quesadilla Macaroni & Cheese **BBQ** Oven Roasted Chicken **Jumbo Crispy Chicken Tenders** Beef Taco Meat Fiestada Pizza Southwest Queso Pull Apart **Drumstick** Turkey Ham & Cheese Bagel Whole Grain Dinner Roll Turkey Ham & Cheese EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly • **Bacon Cheeseburger** Melt Classic Pepperoni Pizza Muffin, Yogurt & Cheese Fun Popcorn Chicken Salad EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sandwich Flatbread Lunch Sandwich If you have a food allergy, please notify us. Ask your cafeteria manager if changes were made to today's menu so we can help keep you safe! Menus Subject to Change We try our best to serve our menus as posted; however, sometimes last minute changes occur. Please check with the cafe manager prior to the meal if you have any concerns.

Webb Bus

The bus that travels to Webb will now be available for students outside of the Webb school attendance area. Any students wishing to ride the bus from outside the Webb area should reach out to Gina at (248)658-5948 to make sure there is availability. Please keep in mind that you will have to join one of the established Webb stops. The bus will NOT be adding stops or traveling outside of the Webb area. You must be registered to use the bus, so please reach out to Gina to set it up if you would like your child(ren) to join.

Cold Weather

Although the weather has taken a warm turn, we are getting closer to winter so we want to remind you about the importance of sending your child to school with warm jackets, etc. We try to go out for recess as much as possible so the students get some fresh air and exercise. The cutoff temperature is 20 degrees with wind chill factored in. Please make sure that your child brings appropriate gear to school to keep them warm during outside recess. If there is snow on the ground the students will ONLY be allowed to play on the playground if they have winter boots on. If they don't have boots they must stay on the sidewalk area. We do have some donated winter items if your child is in need - reach out to the school office to see if we have any items that would fit.

Webb Talent Show

It's time for the annual Webb Talent Show. Please see the information below about the first meeting for any students that are interested in participating.



Do you want to be a STAR in the upcoming Webb Talent Show this year? SAVE THE DATE: Wed. JAN. 8th Meeting



Webb will be having its annual Talent Show on Thursday, Feb. 13th. This is a time for students to show off their talents: singing, dancing, karate acts, jokes, juggling, etc. If you would like to be a part of this year's talent show there will be a short **mandatory** meeting after school (3:30 pm) on Wed. Jan. 8th in Mrs. Platt's Kindergarten Classroom (Room #3 in the front hallway).

This meeting is for the students, as well as the parents.

Parents must be in attendance at the meeting! Thank you!

Mrs. Platt & Mrs. Wilkins & Ms. Burr

(Parents of after school latchkey students please see Mrs. Platt for arrangements with this - darcy.platt@myhpsd.org)

Kindergarten Information Night

Do you have a student or know of one who will be five before September 1st? Webb Elementary will be holding our annual Kindergarten Open House on January 27th from 6:00-7:00PM for all incoming kindergarten & Young 5's students. This is a great opportunity for the families and students to come in and meet the teachers, see the school/classrooms and learn about all of the wonderful educational opportunities Hazel Park has to offer.

Life Club

Hi Families! This is a reminder that Life Club, Session II will begin on Tuesday, January 14th. It is primarily for students in grades 2 and 3; however, it is open to students of every age. Students may only attend one of the four week sessions. If you need a permission slip, please send an email, and I will send one home with your student.

Session II, **Grades 2-3**: Jan 14, Jan 21, Jan 28, Feb 4 Session III, **Grades K-1**: Feb 25, March 4, March 11, March 18

Thanks! Mrs. Tompkins susan.tompkins@myhpsd.org



STEAM Newsletter

What's happening in STEAM: Xello and Coding

Unplugged Coding: Coding brick by brick



What students are saying about coding:

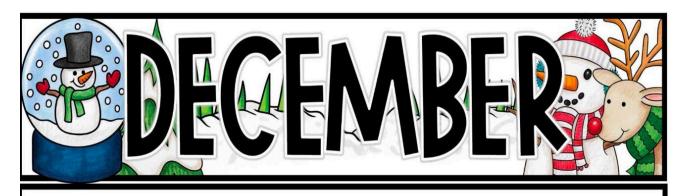
"It is very fun because I get to learn how to do it and can use code to control a bot." -Chole

"I like that it is hard and fun at the same time." -Journey

Webb's youngest coders!



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STEAM Newsletter



5th graders doing Xello missions

What students are saying about Xello:

"I like learning about being a pilot," said Noah. He also said, "You have to go to school for about 8 or 6 years to be a pilot."

Noel said, "I like learning about friendship and people standing up for each other."

Thank you for reading our STEAM newsletter!

Newspaper Editors:

Ms. VanBibber- kathleen.vanbibber@myhpsd.org Leah, 5th grade- Reading and Xello quotes Carly, 5th grade- Captions about coding Antoniio, 5th grade- Ask people about coding



Hazel Park District Library





HAZEL PARK DISTRICT LIBRARY

123 E Nine Mile Hazel Park, MI 48030 http://hazel-park.lib.mi.us/ 248-546-4095

Fridays 10:30am

Ages 0-5 (Older siblings are welcome)

We read stories, do fun fingerplays, sing songs, play, color, and letter recognition games. Sometimes we will be doing a craft that you can pick up from the library. Join us for a fun time and develop literacy, language, and social skills as well as positive associations with reading and the library.

(No Storytime August 30, November 29, December 27)

