Webb Happenings Newsletter





March 17, 2025





Important Dates

3/19/25 - Bagel Day - Bagels are \$1.25 each

3/19/25 - Webb Reading Night 5:30-7:00PM @ Webb

3/20/25 - Student of the Month Breakfast - March Students - 7:30AM

3/20/25 - YMCA Sport Port

3/21/25 - Half Day of School -students dismissed at 11:20AM

3/24-3/28/25 - Spring Break - No School

4/7/25 - Webb PTA Meeting

4/11/25 - Half Day - Students dismissed at 11:20AM - Records Day for Teachers

4/17/25 - Half Day - Students dismissed at 11:20AM

4/18/25 - No SCHOOL for students - Teacher Professional Learning Day

From the Principal

Dear Webb Families,

We are wrapping up reading month this week and we have a few exciting things happening. Our Scholastic Book fair will be in the library all week (see information about extended hours for families below) and on Wednesday we have our annual reading night. We will be celebrating reading with a mystery theme and finally answering the question of who took the blue tickets. We hope you can join us for this fun event.

As always we want to remind you of the importance of reading over break. On Friday all of the students will get a reading log that can be filled out for reading over break. Those who fill it out and get it signed and returned on the Monday after break will get a special treat when they return. Thanks for all you do to support reading at home. Happy Reading Month!

Sincerely,

Corri Nastasi

Principal, Webb Elementary

YMCA SportPort

Our next YMCA after school event will be Thursday, March 20th . Webb Elementary Y on the Fly Registration Link 3-20

Bagels

Every Wednesday is bagel day at Webb. Students and staff can buy bagels for \$1.25 each. The flavors offered are cinnamon raisin, plain, salt & onion.

Online Play

Please be aware that it is important to closely monitor what your child is seeing/watching online. We have had an uptick in students drawing and talking about inappropriate topics due to exposure to some online content with shows like Poppy's Playtime, 5 nights at Freddy's, Sprunky Friends, etc. This content targets a younger audience and has cartoon characters with cute voices and light-hearted music, but the content is disturbing for children. We just want to let you know that this could be something your child is viewing and it might not catch your attention by the music, characters, etc.



Reading Night

We would like to invite all of our Webb families to our annual reading night. The theme this year is Mystery Night. We will have the Scholastic Book Fair open and available for all of our families along with dinner and fun activities for all. Hope to see you there!

Scholastic Book Fair

The Book Fair is here!! The kids can shop during their library times and after school until 3:30 every day this week. Wednesday Night is our big sale during reading night. We will have lots of discounted books and all the "extras" that scholastic is so good at providing!!! We raised \$5,000 last year!! Thank you to all of you who participate. You help us stock the best library in the District!!!

Reading Month Calendar

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todaya READER, tomorrowa LEADER	Reading is PAWsome. Wear your Webb wolf gear to school.	Beach party! Bring in sunglasses and a beach towel for independent reading.	Read your shirt. Wear a shirt with words on it.	Reading rainbow day. Wear your favorite colors.	Cozy up with a good book. Wear your PJs and bring a stuffed animal to school.	
	10	11	12	13	14	
	Wear slippers and slip into a good book!	Be a reading "jean-ous". Wear jeans today.	Hats off to reading. Wear a hat with words on it.	Sport a good book, Wear your favorite team gear today.	Shine a light on Reading! Bring a flashlight for independent reading.	
	17	18	19	20	Half Day 21	
	Green Eggs & Ham Day Wear green!	Black Out Day! Wear all black and don't use electronics.	Mystery Day! Dress like a detective and read a mystery book!	Reading is good exercise for your brain. Wear your exercise gear!	POP open a good book and enjoy popcorn today!	
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	Spring Break: No School March 24 - March 28 Don't forget to read!		All clothing and attire must be school appropriate.			

Lunch Options

Just a reminder that every student has an option to get a free lunch at Webb every day. For those that send in a cold lunch, your child can still get a lunch option that includes fruits & veggies and milk. There is a great fresh fruit and veggie bar in our cafeteria line every day for students that order a lunch and for students that would like the fruit and veggie lunch option to supplement their cold lunch. Please keep that in mind as you are planning for lunch and let your child know they can do that. They just have to let any adult in the cafeteria know. We will remind them at school as well.

Arrival/Breakfast at Webb

Please remember that the doors do NOT open for breakfast until 7:40AM. Students should NOT arrive (whether walking or being dropped off) before that time. We do not have any adults working before that time to monitor students. Also, students should NOT be dropped off for breakfast unless they are eating breakfast at Webb. If they arrive early and don't eat, parents will be called and students could be prevented from coming in early if it continues. Students who are just coming to school for the day can enter the school after 8AM. We appreciate your help with this as we do not have staff on duty to monitor students who are dropped off too early.

Playground After School

As the weather gets nicer, more families choose to stay and play on the playground after school. Please don't forget our school rule about playground use after school. Any students staying on the playground after school MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT and the adult must be physically in the playground area. This does NOT count for older siblings. Students who walk home, must go home and cannot return until after 6PM (when latchkey is done for the day) without an adult. We do NOT monitor the playground after school. Adults MUST monitor their students. We appreciate your help with this.



The Michigan Department of Education wants to provide students the opportunity to say positive things about their teachers, so they know they're appreciated.

We'll feature the videos on MDE platforms during May for Teacher Appreciation Month!

Help students submit their videos to us!

HOW TO RECORD VIDEOS

- sure the video is clear and the
- 15 to 30 seconds is just right.
- Record something **POSITIVE**.
- Mention something SPECIFIC.
- FIRST NAME and their GRADE.

WHAT TO SAY

Most importantly, BE **CREATIVE** and **HAVE FUN!**

Besides the child's first name, grade, school, and the teacher's name, encourage your child to say whatever positive messages come to mind.

If you'd like some prompts, try these!

I like how [TEACHER NAME] teaches because...

I appreciate [TEACHER NAMF1 because...

ITEACHER NAMEI's class is great because...

Thank you [TEACHER NAME] for being my

HOW TO SUBMIT VIDEOS

- When you are ready to send in the video, use the link or QR code below:



http://bit.ly/3xlYhpe Michigan Teacher **Appreciation Video Submission Form**

QUESTIONS? MDE-PME@Michigan.gov

Teacher Appreciation Week Project

National Teacher Appreciation Week is May 5-9, 2025. The Michigan Department of Education's (MDE) Office of Educator Excellence wishes to celebrate teachers across Michigan for the entire month of May.

MDE invites parents to submit 15-30 second videos of their students recognizing and thanking a specific teacher for their impact. Cell phones easily capture the videos. Videos and parental consent must be submitted via the Teacher Appreciation Video Project Google Form. Videos are currently being accepted until Friday, April 16, 2025. Submitted videos may be posted on the Teacher Appreciation Month webpage and MDE's YouTube channel. The Office of Educator Excellence's Facebook (@MIeducator) and X (formerly Twitter) social media pages will be promoting the videos throughout the month of May. If your child has great things to say about a teacher, use the instructions found on MDE's website to submit a video today!

Hazel Park Ice Arena

Public Skating has returned to Hazel Park Ice Arena!! Saturdays from 3:00 - 4:50 p.m. \$10.00 for skating / \$3.00 for skate rental

Registration Online at https://www.hazelparkicearena.com/public-skating

We are looking forward to having families from Webb Elementary School for Public Skating!



2025-26 SCHOOL YEAR

Early Fives & Kindergarten
Information night

COME AND LEARN ABOUT OUR PRESCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN CURRICULUM, ENROLLMENT OPTIONS, MEET THE STAFF AND MORE

WHO NEEDS TO ATTEND:

KINDERGARTEN:
CHILDREN 5 YEARS OLD ON OR
BEFORE SEPT. 1.
YOUNG FIVES:
HAVE TO BE 5 BY DEC. 1

WHAT TO BRING:

NEW STUDENTS

PARENT CURRENT ID, CHILD'S ORIGINAL BIRTH CERTIFICATE, SIGNED LEASE OR, MORTGAGE AGREEMENT OR, PROPERTY TAX STATEMENT AND DTE OR CONSUMERS ENERGY BILL, CURRENT SHOT RECORD, AND COMPLETE ONLINE REGISTRATION.

WEBSTER STUDENTS

ONLY NEED TO COMPLETE CURRENT HAZEL
PARK SCHOOL DISTRICT STUDENT
ENROLLMENT FORM ON THE HAZEL PARK
SCHOOLS WEBSITE.

WHEN:

MAY 7, 2025 6 TO 7 PM

ENROLL NOW FOR THE 2025-26 SCHOOL YEAR



LOCATIONS:

HOOVER ELEMENTARY

23720 HOOVER AVE., HAZEL PARK, MI 48030

UNITED OAKS ELEMENTARY

1001 EAST HARRY AVE., HAZEL PARK, MI 48030

WEBB ELEMENTARY

2100 WOODWARD HEIGHTS AVE., FERNDALE, MI 48220



To Enroll Scan the QR Code
Or Call 248-658-5205
Or Visit www.enrollHPS.com





STEM Camp at Cranbrook Institute of Science



Immerse students in a variety of engaging STEM learning opportunities integrated with Cranbrook Institute of Science experiences. This teaching and learning process will provide developmentally appropriate STEM and career awareness, which supports relevance to the instruction.

Throughout the duration of the camp, students will be exposed to various pieces of educational STEM equipment, where programming, problem solving, and critical thinking are required. Students will also have the opportunity to partake in daily Cranbrook Institute of Science Activities, related to museum exhibits.

In the fall of the 2025-26 school year, if your student is entering:

- 1st/2nd grade, register at: osisd.us/2025stemcamp-1-2
- 3rd/4th grade, register at: osisd.us/2025stemcamp-3-4
- · Registration password: Oakland2025

Please contact the Cranbrook Institute of Science Staff at CISReservations@cranbrook.edu or 248.645.3210 for more information.

EVENT DETAILS

- Students that are entering 1st-4th grade in the fall of the 2025-26 school year
- June 23 27, 2025
 9:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m.
- Free before and after camp care is available from 7:30 a.m and until 5:30 p.m.
- Lunch and snacks included
- Cranbrook Institute of Science 39221 Woodward Ave. Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304
- \$50 registration per child. Scholarships available.



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Session 1 – (For students entering 1st & 2nd Grade in the fall of the 2025/2026 School Year):

http://www.ultracamp.com/info/sessiondetail.aspx?idCamp=740&campCode=CSP&idSession=498400

Session 2 – (For students entering 3rd & 4th Grade in the fall of the 2025/2026 School Year):

http://www.ultracamp.com/info/sessiondetail.aspx?idCamp=740&campCode=CSP&idSession=498403









YOUTH SOFTBALL! YOUTH BASEBALL!

-REGISTRATION NOW OPEN-~PRACTICES BEGIN IN MAY~ ~GAMES BEGIN IN EARLY JUNE, WEATHER PERMITTING~



Youth baseball: 5-10 years, \$45 11-15 years, \$50

Girls' softball: 9-12 years, \$50



CALL THE HAZEL PARK RECREATION DEPT. TO REGISTER AT 248-547-5535 OR VISIT US AT 620 W. WOODWARD HEIGHTS

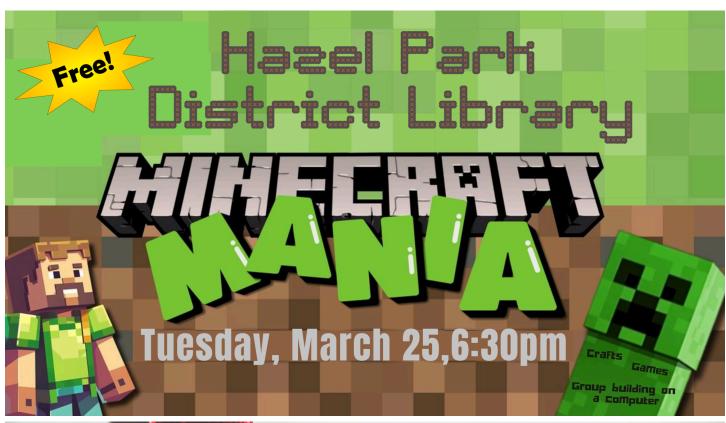






Must register in advance!









ADULT ANIME NIGHT

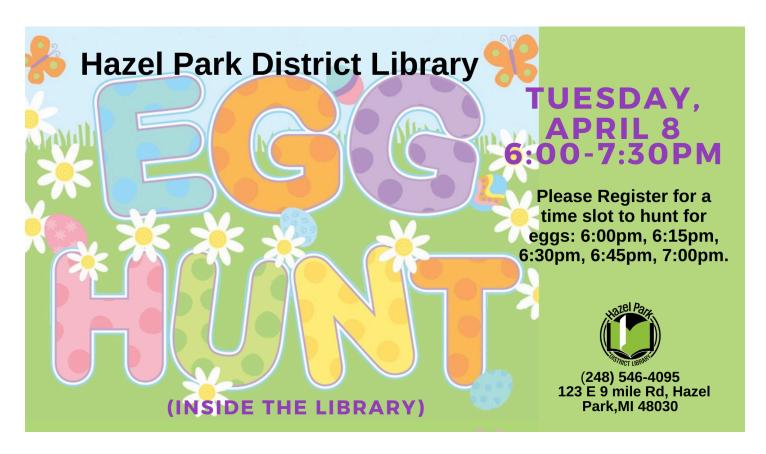
March 20

6:30pm - 9:30 pm

A night full of anime movies, ramen, sushi and fun!

Costumes aren't required but are encouraged.

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Hazel Park District Library

Baby

1:00 pm

(Older siblings are welcome) No Storytime February 12 & 19

Baby Story Time supports early literacy and language skills by encouraging singing, playing, talking, and shared reading. Join us for fun stories, finger plays, and snuggling in a welcoming environment! This FREE program is geared toward babies, but older siblings are welcome.





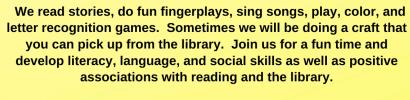
Hazel Park District Library





Fridays 10:30am

Ages 0-5 (Older siblings are welcome)



(No Storytime February 14, 21, 28, April 18)

