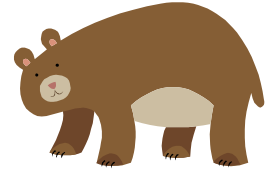


The Grizzly Growl



Dates To Remember:

Oct 10-12: 5th grade goes to MTN SCL

Oct 11: Title-Family Engagement MTG @ 6:00 followed by Booster Club MTG @ 6:30

Oct 16: Volunteer/Watch Dog Night 6-7PM Gym

Oct 19: K to Schuh Farms 12:15

Oct 16: 5th graders go to WWU

Oct 25th: Monster Mash Skate Night 6-8

November

Nov 2: SOM Breakfast 8:30 in library

Nov 7 & 8: 3 HR Early Release

Nov 8: Veteran's Day Parade 10 AM

Nov 9: No School

Nov 12: No School

Nov 15th: Picture Retake Day

Letter from the Principal, Mr. Cullum

Dear Parents, Guardians and Volunteers:

We have a lot going on at Mary Purcell this month. We have our Watch Dog and Volunteer information night on Tuesday the 16th, pizza will be provided. Mary Purcell Booster Club/Parent Group is sponsoring Monster Mash Skate Night for our students on October 25th. Students will be allowed to wear a costume to school on October 31st; however, students must leave any costume weapons at home and costumes must be family friendly. If you have any questions about costumes, please feel free to contact the school office @ 360-855-3555.

Hope to see you soon at some of these events.

Mike Cullum
Principal

MONSTER MASH

Skate Night!

Thursday, October 25th

6:00-8:00pm

at Skagit Skate

\$5.50 Regular Skate Rental



OUR BOX TOPS CONTEST STARTS NOW!!!

Thanks for saving box tops!

Please turn them in to your teacher
before they expire!



Volunteer Informational Night

Come enjoy a pizza dinner while you learn all the ways you can volunteer at your child's school.... from Watch D.O.G.S. to the Mary Purcell Booster Club to classroom helpers, we've got lots of ways you can get involved in your child's education. Tuesday, October 16 from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m., you're invited to join us in the Mary Purcell gym to learn more about volunteering. Your kids are welcome, of course! Flyers have been sent home. Please RSVP so we know how much pizza to order!

Attendance

Please call or email the office before 10:00 am on the day of your student's absence. If it is a pre-arranged absence a note or email can be sent in advance to the office. If we don't hear from you, state law requires that we contact you. If we don't hear from you by 10:00 our automated calling system will give you a call to inform you that your student has an unexcused absence. The e-mail for attendance is: kberg@swsd101.org or call 360-855-3555.

Food Service Information

The rollover date for this school year is October 16th, so the last benefit day for students that have not been Direct Certified or have not filled out a new 18/19 meal application for free/reduced benefits is October 15th. The food service department mailed a letter to families that received benefits last school year but have not turned in an application this school year. If have any questions, please call 360-855-3515.

- Lunch - \$3.00 full price
- \$.40 reduced price
- Breakfast - \$1.75 full price
- no charge reduced price
- Milk - \$.60 for all students

We stop serving breakfast at the 8:55 warning bell.

Basketball Information

5th and 6th Grade Boys Basketball Tryouts are 3:30 to 5 PM on Sunday 10/14/18 at Cascade Middle School. Any questions, contact Chris Spencer at cspencer@swsd101.org

Parent Information

Parents/guardians may request information regarding the professional qualifications of the student's classroom teachers and para educators, when applicable. If you would like more information about how to access this information you may go to our school website or contact Human Resources. This is a Title 1, Part A requirement according to the 2018-2019 CPR rubric #1.2

Congratulations to all the September Students of the Month!

**These students embodied the 4 Foundations:
Respect~Responsibility~Perseverance~Safety**

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| Adriana Parker | Hayden Saldivar | Mason McMillan |
| Alexis Sanchez | Jaedyn Blondin | Miles Palmer |
| Aliyah Fernandez | Jayla Mata | Natalie Tuom |
| Carla Jimenez Nava | Jaylee Sherriff | Sadie Fenton |
| Cassidy Kahler | Jaylenn Peters | Shae Johnson |
| Chloe Christiansen | Khloe Hooker | Treysen Plymale |
| Cole Jauron | Madi Davis | Ellie Weyand |