

# March 22nd



## HIGHLAND ACADEMY

# Highland Weekly

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## *Highland Families,*

The first week of Quarter 4 is officially in the books! From workshops to field trips, it was a busy week. We took almost 100 students to the B2wins performance at the Performing Arts Center on Thursday, dancing and singing to their violin and ukulele. It was an entertaining experience, and we appreciate the time and energy our Advisors spent making this event possible.

On Monday, Highland will begin proctoring the AK Star and Alaska Science Assessment. This is a statewide assessment that measures student growth and learning over the course of the school year. Students in grades 6th-9th will be tested in English language arts and math. Our 8th and 10th grade students will also participate in the Alaska Science Assessment. Please see the following documents and links with additional information:

- [Informational Letter](#)
- [FAQs](#)
- [Tutorials and Practice Tests](#)

If you have any questions about the AK Star or Alaska Science Assessment, please feel free to contact the school.

[Yearbook is running another great promotion this month!](#) If you purchase a yearbook in the month of March, you will be entered into a drawing to win one of five pairs of prom tickets (valued at \$40)! There are just 13 yearbooks remaining, so reserve your's today!

The weather is quickly changing, please remind students to wear appropriate footwear and be safe in the parking lot when they are walking to and from vehicles. Please continue to drive slowly and be on the look out for all pedestrians. Thank you for helping keep our community safe.

Have a wonderful weekend!

-Ms. Crosby, Principal

Student Leadership is working hard to organize Highland's 2024 prom. This space themed event will take place on Friday, April 13th at the Fox Hollow Chalet. Middle school students are invited to attend the prom from 7 pm-10 pm. Prom ends at 11:00 pm for our high school students. From dancing to food, a photo booth to corn hole, this is an event you won't want to miss!

Tickets cost \$30 for one person, and \$50 for a couple. They will be on sale during lunch, and must be purchased before the date of the event. Next week, you will also be able to purchase prom tickets through Q/ParentConnect.

A huge thank you to PTSO for their assistance and support for this event. They will be providing the funds to help cover the cost of food, DJ and photo booth. We appreciate your support!

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

- March 25th - AK Star Math Testing (grades 6-9)
- March 26th - AK Star Language Arts Testing (grades 6-9)
- April 1st - Alaska Science Assessment Testing (grades 8 and 10)
- April 5th - Highland In-service (NO SCHOOL for students)
- April 13th - Prom 7:00-11:00
- April 19th - School Closure Day (NO SCHOOL)
- April 20th - Barnes and Noble Book Fair

## BUILDING HOURS

### 7:30-3:00

(EARLY RELEASE WEDNESDAY @ 1:30)

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