

October 8, 2021



Walt Disney Elementary School

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Walt Disney Elementary, a diverse school devoted to each child, guarantees all students a world-class education through challenging, engaging, and innovative learning experiences. We will ensure students demonstrate academic excellence and social and emotional skills necessary for personal success in a global society.

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A note from the principal...

Dear Disney Families,

We are looking forward to Parent/Teacher Conferences this next week. If you have not yet scheduled a time please contact your child's teacher. Conferences are a great opportunity for teachers and interventionists to discuss student growth with parents and guardians. *Report cards will be sent home on Friday, October 22nd. Mrs. Wunderlich and I enjoy stopping by conferences to learn about student progress so don't be surprised to see us at your child's conference. Remember there is no school next Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday!*

School pictures are in your child's backpack Picture retakes will be on Tuesday, October 12th. If you want your child's picture retaken they need to bring back their current pictures.

Please save the date of our PTO Annual Boo Bash!! It is Friday, Oct. 22nd from 5:30-7:30 at Disney.

Have a wonderful weekend!
Mrs. Cindy Scharff
Disney Principal



Mark Your Calendars!

October 8th- Wear PINK

October 23rd- Disney Spirit Day



OCTOBER 26 – OCTOBER 30TH: HALLOWEEN SPIRIT WEEK



MONDAY

Orange/Black Day

TUESDAY

Spooky Hair Day

WEDNESDAY

Ghosts v. Goblins

(wear white if you are “Team Ghost” and

wear green if you are “Team Goblin”

THURSDAY

Halloween Shirt/Socks Day

FRIDAY

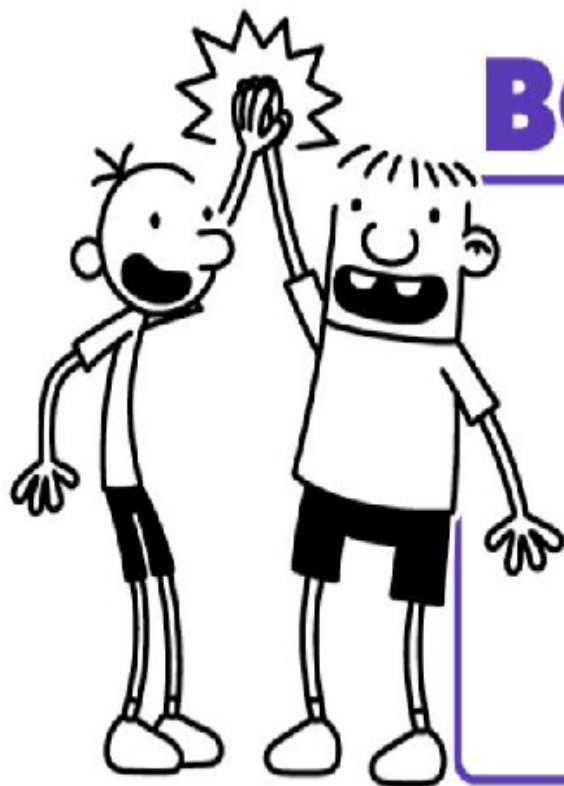
Costume Day (Must be school appropriate, Please no

accessories/props/makeup/full face coverings)

ALL SCHOOL HALLOWEEN COSTUME PARADE @ 2:00 AROUND OUTSIDE OF THE

SCHOOL (WEATHER PERMITTING)

HALLOWEEN PARTIES @ 2:30 FOR STUDENTS AND ROOM PARENTS ONLY



 **SCHOLASTIC**

BOOK FAIRS

October 11, 2021

4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

October 12, 2021

4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

October 13, 2021

8:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

ALL PURCHASES BENEFIT OUR SCHOOL

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FOOD BANK FOR THE HEARTLAND
IN PARTNERSHIP WITH
MILLARD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

MOBILE FOOD PANTRY

Helping meet your family needs

TIME: 5:00-6:30 PM

LOCATION: RON WITT SUPPORT SERVICES CENTER
13737 INDUSTRIAL ROAD, OMAHA, NE 68137



A mobile pantry is a traveling food pantry that delivers food directly to families in need for a one-day distribution.

The goal is to provide food where there is a high need for limited resources.

All ages are welcome! No ID required.

The mobile pantry is available to you free of charge.

2021-2022 PANTRY DATES

SEPTEMBER 16

OCTOBER 21

NOVEMBER 18

DECEMBER 16

JANUARY 13

FEBRUARY 10

MARCH 10

APRIL 14



FOOD BANK FOR THE HEARTLAND
EN ASOCIACIÓN CON LAS
ESCUELAS PÚBLICAS DE MILLARD

DESPENSA MÓVIL DE ALIMENTOS

Ayudando a satisfacer las necesidades de su familia

HORARIO: 5:00-6:30 PM

UBICACIÓN: CENTRO DE SERVICIOS DE APOYO RON WITT
13737 INDUSTRIAL ROAD, OMAHA, NE 68137



Una despensa móvil es una despensa de alimentos que entrega alimentos directamente a las familias que los necesitan para una distribución de un día.

El objetivo es proporcionar alimentos donde existe una grande necesidad de recursos limitados.

¡Todas las edades son bienvenidas! No se requiere identificación.

La despensa móvil está disponible para usted de forma gratuita.

2021-2022 FECHAS

16 DE SEPTIEMBRE
21 DE OCTUBRE
18 DE NOVIEMBRE
16 DE DICIEMBRE
13 DE ENERO
10 DE FEBRERO
10 DE MARZO
14 DE ABRIL



DISNEY ELEMENTARY'S

BOO BASH!!



Come for games
& trick treating!
Costumes
welcomed!

WHEN: FRIDAY OCTOBER 22ND

WHERE- DISNEY, 5:30PM-7:30PM

FOOD AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE

REQUESTS FOR 2-LITER BOTTLES & CANDY

DONATION COMING SOON



**The Watch D.O.G.S. and Super M.O.M.S.
Volunteer Calendar is now online!**



Please sign up today for your spots on the new volunteer calendar:

Here's how it works in 3 easy steps:

- 1) Go to: [WatchDog/SuperMom Sign Up](#)
- 2) Enter your email address: you will not need to register an account on SignUp.com
- 3) Choose your spots- SignUpGenuis.com will send you an automated confirmation and reminders. Easy!

SignUp.com does not share your email address with anyone. If you prefer not to use your email address please contact Ms.Cramer directly.

Please try to sign up at least a week in advance to allow time for schedules to be made.

Contact Ms. Cramer with any questions
jmcramer@mpsomaha.org



PARENT *Cafe*

JOIN via ZOOM:

<https://mpsomaha-org.zoom.us/j/95423067472?pwd=RmhGMERtT3NIUVlOcIRjem9FTzhsUT09>

Meeting ID: 954 2306 7472

Passcode: 302742

Thursday,

November 4, 2021

Pop in anytime
between 11:30-12:30
PM

Join me, Rye McIntosh, Elementary School Social Worker, along with other parents of the Millard Public School Community each month for my virtual office hours to discuss common challenges of parenting a school-aged child, learn best practices, address barriers to getting your child to school, and connect with community resources all from the comfort of your home.

So grab your lunch and pop in anytime between 11:30-12:30 PM!

For more information, please feel free to contact me at

rlmcintosh@mpsomaha.org

See you zoom,

Rye McIntosh LMHP, LCSW, MPA

Elementary School Social Worker

Jingle 2021

Thursday, November 18th | 7:00 p.m. | Champions Run

Honorary Chairs Carol & Rick Russell

Event Chair Erin Bearinger



The inaugural district wide holiday event will help get you prepared for the holidays while supporting your school!

You won't want to miss the exclusive holiday boutique shopping, holiday hacks and a **silent auction of 35 holiday trees decorated by each Millard Public School!** Attendees will vote for a "People's Choice" tree and the winning schools will be awarded \$500! With a limited number of tickets available, purchase yours today!

**Scan to purchase
tickets today!**





Community Corner Community Resources

This school year the Community Corner is going to mainly focus on community resources. The Coronavirus started in early 2020 and spread across the community, resulting in economic turmoil which has continued into the 2021-22 school year. The economic turmoil or recession has resulted in a lack of sufficient food and household goods because of limited financial resources. Below is a list of local pantries that may benefit your family.

Millard Public Schools – Mobile Food Pantry

The 3rd Thursday of the month through December, the 2nd Thursday of the month January through April.

Check your student's school newsletter to confirm the dates and times.

5:00-6:30 pm at the Ron Wit Support Center 13737 Industrial Road.

No ID is required.

Heartland Hope Mission

Indoor Pantry

5321 South 139th Plaza

2nd & 4th Saturday of each month

10:30-11:30 am

Personal Identification for all individuals in household and Address Verification is required.

Rejoice! Hope West Pantry

Tuesdays 12-3pm

Last Saturday of each month from 10 AM -12 PM

2556 South 138th Street (West side of the building)

402-932-0084

Pre-packaged and drive up, no ID required

Families are allowed to access the pantry 1 time every 30 days.

LIFEHouse Partnership

402-557-8205

11806 Prairie Lane Drive

Omaha, NE 68144

3rd Tuesday of each month (6pm-8pm)

4th Sat. of each month (10:00-12:00 pm)

For food pantry: sign in with name, address, and household size upon arrival

Diapers available as well (must show ID and proof of WIC services or proof of income)

Families allowed to access the pantry ONCE a month.

There are many more pantries in the Omaha Metro area. Please feel free to contact your building's school social worker or community counselor for more resources. You can reach me by phone at (402) 715-8774 or email me anytime at rlmcintosh@mpsomaha.org.

Respectfully,

Rye McIntosh

Community Counselor



Mark Your Calendars for these Fun Days!



Fun Friday dress-up days will happen on
the first of each month.
Disney Spirit Days will be at the end of each
month.

- October 1st- Backwards/Opposite/Mismatch Day
- October 8th- Wear Pink to support Breast Cancer Awareness Month
- October 22nd- Disney Spirit Day
- October 25-October 29th- Halloween Spirit Week
 - Monday: Monday, wear green if you are a monster, wear white if you are a mummy; Trick Tuesday: wacky and colorful Hair Day; Wednesday: wear a hat or headband, Trick or Treat Thursday;
 - Halloween Shirt/Socks Day; Friday: Costume Day (Wear a school appropriate costume that doesn't interfere with bathrooms, meals, recess or transitions)
- November 8th- Favorite Color Day (wear as much of your favorite color as you can)
- November 11th- Veterans Day: Red, White, and Blue Day
- November 19th- Disney Spirit Day
- December 3rd- Crazy Sock Day
- December 10th- Millard South Colors: Jam the Gym @ MS students get in free to the ball games
- December 17th- Disney Spirit Day
- December 20th & 21st- Holiday Fun Week: Monday: Toss the Penguin (wear any and all of your holiday apparel) Tuesday: Toss the Night Before Christmas (wear your comfy holiday clothes or pj's)
- January 7th- Hat Day
- January 28th- Disney Spirit Day
- February 8th- Decade Day (wear clothes from your favorite decade)
- February 25th- Disney Spirit Day
- February 28th-March 4th- READ ACROSS AMERICA (dress up days TBD)
- March 18th- Frozen Kids the Musical (wear a Disney Shirt or dress like a Disney character)
- March 25th- Disney Spirit Day
- April 1st- TBD
- April 29th- Disney Spirit Day
- May 11th- Future Day (Wear clothes from a school you might attend or job you want to have in the future)
- TBD- Disney Spirit Day

Disney's Birthday Board

Celebrate your child's birthday by purchasing a spot on the Disney's Birthday Board.

Your message will be posted on our Birthday Marquee on the day you request on a first-come/first-served basis. We will also post summer birthdays during the school year, on the school day you request. If your day is already taken, we will post your message on the nearest day available.

There is a fee of \$10.00 per day for this service.

This order form and money (made payable to Disney Elementary) is due at least five (5) working days before your requested day. Please submit to the Disney office.

Student Being Honored: _____ Date of Birth: _____
Desired Posting Date: _____

Your message: Write one letter per box. Spaces count as one letter. We reserve the right to adapt as need.

Line 1									
Line 2									
Line 3									
Line 4									
Line 5									
Line 6									
Line 7									

Order purchased by: _____ Paid: Cash _____
E-mail address: _____ Check _____
Phone Number: _____

Office Use: Date received: _____ Time received: _____ Date to Post: _____