



# The Buzz

## Hoover Weekly Newsletter #19

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### Calendar Notes

- February 22, Thursday** – Grades K and 1 to Music Practice, Roosevelt Middle School Auditorium, 9:15-11:15 am  
**Grade K-1 Vocal Music Concert at Eleanor Roosevelt Middle School Auditorium, 6:30 pm**
- February 23, Friday - ONE-HOUR LATE START, SCHOOL BEGINS AT 9:35 A.M.**
- March 2, Friday- ONE-HOUR LATE START, SCHOOL BEGINS AT 9:35 A.M.**
- March 6, Tuesday-** 1H Brownbag Luncheon
- March 9, Friday- ONE-HOUR LATE START, SCHOOL BEGINS AT 9:35 A.M.**
- March 12, Monday-** District Choir Concert (including Hoover students), Grand River Center, 6:30 pm
- March 13, Tuesday-** District Orchestra Concert (including Hoover students), Grand River Center, 6:30 pm  
Hoover Community Council (Parent Group) Meeting, Hoover School, 6:30-7:30 pm
- March 14, Wednesday-** District Band Concert (including Hoover students), Grand River Center, 6:30 pm

### Hoover School News

**A Note from Mrs. Haas:** Thank you to all of our Hoover families for attending our spring conferences last week. Conferences are such a wonderful opportunity to share individualized information about your child's growth and to set goals for the remainder of the year. We had great attendance, and appreciate the opportunity to partner with you in your child's learning! In addition, special thanks to Kim Hodgson for coordinating parent volunteers to bring food and snacks for the staff. Thank you to all of the families that brought snacks, beverages, food and desserts for the staff to enjoy during conferences, they were delicious and much appreciated! We are truly grateful to have such wonderful and supportive families, thank you from each of us to each of you! ~Mrs. Haas

**Grade K-1 Vocal Music Concert TONIGHT:** Our vocal music concert for students in grades K and 1 will be held TONIGHT, Thursday, February 22, at the Eleanor Roosevelt Middle School Auditorium. All students should arrive at the Roosevelt auditorium between 6:10-6:20 pm in preparation for their performance. The performance will begin at 6:30 pm and will last approximately 30 minutes. I have been notified by Roosevelt Middle School that they have rescheduled conferences to the same evening as our concert. However, their conferences end at 6 pm. You may want to wait to come a few minutes after 6 for better opportunity for parking.

**Hoover School Night at the Dubuque Fighting Saints:** Saturday, March 24, is Hoover School Night with the Dubuque Fighting Saints. A block of tickets has been reserved for Hoover Families to attend the game at a discounted rate. Tickets will be sold on a "first come, first served" basis. Order forms are in your child's mailbag today and must be returned to the office by Thursday, March 1 if you would like to order tickets. Please make any checks payable to Hoover Elementary School.

**Progress Reports:** Second trimester progress reports will be available online starting the week of March 5<sup>th</sup>. If you would prefer a hard copy of your child's progress report, please contact the Hoover School office.

**5<sup>th</sup> Grade Middle School Orientation/ Open House Schedule:** It's hard to believe it's already that time of year...but please mark your calendars with the following dates according to your assigned Middle School:

- George Washington Middle School- Tuesday, April 10, 6:30-7:30 pm
- Thomas Jefferson Middle School- Tuesday, April 10, 6:30-7:30 pm
- Eleanor Roosevelt Middle School- Thursday, April 5<sup>th</sup>, or Tuesday, April 10, 7:00-8:30 pm

**Arrival:** Just a reminder that **supervision begins on the playground at 8:25 Monday –Thursday mornings and 9:25 on Friday mornings. Please make sure, for your child's safety, that he/she is not on the playground before this time.**

**Students Coming Late or Leaving Early:** Just a reminder that if your student is arriving after our regular start time of 8:45 am, or leaving before our normal dismissal time of 3:25, you must come into the main office to sign your child in or out. This is a school protocol intended to ensure the safety of all students. Thank you for your attention and cooperation!

**Breakfast:** Breakfast is served at Hoover School in the gym from 8:15-8:30 am Monday-Thursday mornings and from 9:15-9:30 am on Friday mornings. Please arrive at the correct time in order to eat breakfast in the morning. Thank you!

**Meal Information and Lunch Account Balances:** Students who qualify for free/reduced meals must take a full meal to qualify for this benefit. If a child who is free/reduced takes just a milk; they will be charged the full amount of \$.50 for that item. Also, please take a moment to review the balance on your child's lunch account and make sure that the account is up to date. Thank you in advance for your cooperation!