



The Buzz

Hoover Weekly Newsletter #21

3-8-18

Hoover School
3259 Saint Anne Dr.
Dubuque, IA 52001
Phone: (563)552-3700
Fax: (563)552-3701
Weather: (563)552-3035

Calendar Notes

- March 8, Thursday-** Hoover Skate Night at Skate Country, 6-8 pm
March 9, Friday- ONE-HOUR LATE START, SCHOOL BEGINS AT 9:35 A.M.
March 11, Sunday- Daylight Savings Time- Turn your clocks AHEAD ONE HOUR
March 12, Monday- District Choir Concert (including Hoover students), Grand River Center, 6:30 pm
March 13, Tuesday- Napping Day- Wear your Pajamas to School!
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
March 15, Thursday- Site Council Meeting, Hoover School, 3:40-5:00 pm
March 16, Friday- ONE-HOUR LATE START, SCHOOL BEGINS AT 9:35 A.M.
March 20, Tuesday- World Story Telling Day- Wear a shirt that tells a story or has your favorite story character!
March 21, Wednesday- 5th Grade to Human Body Bee, Clarke University, 9:30 am-2:00 pm
March 23, Friday- 5H Brownbag Luncheon

Hoover School News

A Note from Mrs. Haas: Well, March certainly came “in like a lion”! Although, according to the calendar, it is almost spring, the weather and the temperature have been anything but predictable. Students typically spend at least 20 consecutive minutes on the playground during recess. Please make sure that your child is wearing clothing that is appropriate for the temperature, and wearing a coat or jacket to school. In addition, students must have boots and snow pants to play in the snow. Thank you! ~Mrs. Haas

Hoover Night at Skate Country TONIGHT: Join your Hoover friends at Skate Country TONIGHT from 6-8 pm. Admission cost is \$4.50, roller skates can be rented for \$1.75, and in-line skates can be rented for \$2.75. Hope to see you there!

Daylight Savings Time: Daylight Savings Time begins again on Sunday, March 11, so please remember to turn your clocks ahead one hour.

Progress Reports: Second trimester progress reports are currently available through your child’s PowerSchool account. If you need assistance accessing the progress report online, or if you would prefer a paper copy of your child’s progress report, please contact the Hoover School office at 563-552-3700.

5th 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 5th, or Tuesday, April 10, 7:00-8:30 pm

Elementary Open Enrollment: This year all Elementary Open Enrollment Applications will be submitted on line. This will be a smart phone friendly application, and families without computer access may use a computer at school to complete the application if needed. Other sites offering computer access are the Dubuque Public Library, The Multicultural Center, and the Forum lobby. Beginning at 8:00 a.m. on Thursday, March 15, 2018, the District web page will direct viewers to the Open Enrollment page for a link to the form. Visit www.dbqschools.org for elementary open enrollment for the 2018-2019 school year.

Spring Pictures: Spring pictures will be taken at school on Thursday, March 22. There is no order form to complete prior to picture day. On March 22, each child will have his/her picture taken. After Spring Break, an order form will be sent home with sample pictures to review. You will have the option to place your order online or return your order envelope to school. There will be NO RETAKES. If you have any questions about spring pictures, please call the Hoover School office.

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!

Welcome to Kindergarten Event: If you have a student, or know anyone that will have a student starting kindergarten at Hoover School in the fall, please make note that our Kindergarten Welcoming Event will be held at Hoover School on **Thursday, April 26, from 5:30-7:00 pm.** All incoming Hoover Kindergarteners should attend this event with a parent.