UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Apr. 30 — Volleyball game @ Conestoga Elementary 4:30
- Apr. 30 — Flag football practice 4:00-5:00
- May 1 — Recognition Committee meeting 3:00 in library
- May 1 — ACP (all) Field trip 9:45-1:00
- May 1 — 6th Gr. Field trip 9:45-12:45
- May 1 — 2nd Gr. Field trip 9:20-12:30
- May 1 — Head Start field trip 9:30-1:30
- May 4 — Keystone Appreciation Night > Boyd Scholarships 6:30 in auditorium
- May 5 — Flag football game @ Boyd 4:30
- May 5 — 5th & 6th grade Strings concert @ Northwest High 7:30
- May 6 — Volleyball practice 4:15-5:00
- May 7 — Volleyball game @ Highland 4:30
- May 7 — Recognition Committee meeting 4:30-7:00 in library
- May 11 — BBQ/Track & Field Day!
- May 12 — Track & Field rain date
- May 12 — PTA meeting 6:00 PM
- May 13 — Volleyball practice 4:15-5:00
- May 14 — Volleyball game @ Boyd 4:30
- May 19 — Retirement Tea for Mrs. Adams 4:30-6:00 PM in the gym

CLASSROOM SPOTLIGHT:

MISS HANSON, 2nd Grade, Rm. 18

The students in room 18 are busy preparing for 3rd grade! This time of year is very busy and a lot is expected of them. I am very proud of the progress my students have made this year and am excited to see so many reading levels improve immensely compared to the beginning of the year!

My class had made great progress in math and loves doing Rocket math daily. Students are mastering their basic addition and subtraction facts through timed tests and passing Rocket levels faster than ever! We have even introduced multiplication and students love being able to say they can do “Third grade math”. Students are anticipating the Rocket party that they earned to celebrate all of their success!

We just completed our Science unit on plants. We learned all about what plants need, the parts of a plant, and classifying plants into groups. Students even grew their own “mystery seeds” and got to observe them change and grow before their eyes. Second grade is taking a field trip to Lauritzen Gardens this Friday and we hope to apply more of what we learned on our Guided Garden tour!

"Tell me and I forget. Teach me and I remember. Involve me and I learn." — Benjamin Franklin

NEWS FROM THE NURSE!

Medication policy reminders:

As the school year is nearing to an end, please keep the following in mind. Students are not allowed to personally take their medication home. Health office staff cannot send any medications home with students. Even inhalers or over the counter medications can only be sent home with an adult. Please make arrangements to pick up your child’s medication the last day of school. Unfortunately, all unclaimed medications will be destroyed. We also ask that only adults bring medications to school. These policies are for the safety of our children. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely, Mrs. Bross

RN School Nurse
MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

BOYD'S ANNUAL BBQ / TRACK & FIELD DAY WILL BE HELD ON

MONDAY, MAY 11th, 2015

Bring the whole family! Mom, Dad, Brother, Sister,
Grandma & Grandpa!

Don’t forget a blanket or lawn chairs to sit on.

Water bottles & sun screen are a must for students that day!

Lunch costs are $3.35 for adults and non-OPS child (ren)
$1.45 for students

Look for the flyer regarding pre-purchasing your BBQ tickets. This flyer is being sent home this week!

Check your child’s backpack!

In the event of rain, lunches will be eaten in classrooms.

No refunds on tickets.

2015 Plant Sale & Fundraiser at Wenninghoff Farm

6707 Wenninghoff Road
(1 mile north of 90th & Military)

20% off all plant purchases made between April 21-May 9 will be donated to our school.

Stop by the office for flyers & don’t forget to give a flyer to family & friends too!

HAPPY SPRING!

NURSE’S CORNER

Spring is here and so is the pollen. For many children with allergies and asthma, pollen is a major trigger. Here are some tips for students.

• Watch the weather – dry, windy days are the worst for spreading pollen.
• Plan activities for the afternoon as the pollen counts usually peak in early a.m.
• Take showers before bed to wash off pollen and keep windows closed – use air conditioning as much as possible.

Check with your doctor for advice on allergy medication – prescription or over-the-counter. Be sure that you have an asthma action plan completed by your doctor for both home and school if your child has asthma and that you have an inhaler or other medication at school if it will be needed.

Remember that all medication at school – including over-the-counter meds like cough drops and eye drops – require a doctor’s order and parent permission. The school provides no medication for students and will not give any medications without doctor orders.