



BOYD BEACON
Newsletter



Sept. 20—Curriculum Day.
No school for all OPS
students

Sept. 23—Teacher Plan
Day. No school for
elementary students

Sept. 24—PTO Meeting
6:30 P.M.

Sept. 25—3rd Grade Field
Trip > SAC Museum

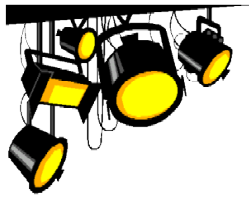


Oct. 17—Picture Day!



Briana McLeod-Larsen, Principal
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September 19, 2019



CLASSROOM SPOTLIGHT: MRS LEE ~ HEADSTART

It's hard to believe we have already been in school for over a month. The children in Head Start are eager three, four, and five-year old's ready to take on the school day. They have been busy focusing on our first two studies: Beginning of the Year and Imagination. This is made up of the first 25 days of school. The students have been learning about classroom procedures, how to problem solve, play with materials correctly, and engage with their peers in small/large groups effectively. The children have also had the opportunity to investigate all the different types of imaginative play. The investigations allow them to plan and practice meaningful play.

Students are beginning to participate in a number of challenging literacy activities to enhance their letter recognition, social/emotional skills from our Second Step curriculum, experiment with new activities during free choice time, and engage in new reading material each week. They have several opportunities throughout the day in whole group, small group, and individually to grasp a hold of all these new concepts. The activities assist in enriching those connections between home and school.

My classroom will be jumping into the Tree Study soon. The children will begin to understand the characteristics of the trees in our community, explore who lives in trees, and see first-hand what food comes from trees. At the end of the Tree Study, we will celebrate our learning by having a Family Fun Day with our student's families.



Warm Heart Wednesdays!

Student: Joseph Lian

Nominated by: Mrs. Bryan 9/18/19

Joseph is a wonderful role model for other students.

He is always on his Beaver Best behavior, even when others are not.

He is the definition of character—doing what is right no matter what!



At **Hy-Vee**, we value the importance of education and are committed to supporting area schools. Our **CASH FOR STUDENTS** fundraising program has been a huge part of this commitment. Over \$745,000 in much needed funds has been donated to area schools as a result of this program.

This year's **CASH FOR STUDENTS** program begins **Sunday, September 1**, and continues through **Sunday, December 31, 2019**, and includes all twelve Omaha **Hy-Vee** stores.

- Parents, grandparents, friends, staff and administrators shop at **any** of the **twelve** Omaha **Hy-Vee** stores. Receipts simply need to be collected and saved by the participating school's contact person. Please note: **receipts must have a date** on them to qualify for the program. See store for program-specific details. Some limitations do apply. The program does not include purchases for postage, lottery tickets, money orders, money transfers, or gift cards. We ask that you subtract any of these items from your totals or do not include receipts that contain these items.
- **Hy-Vee** records and totals the receipts collected by each school and agrees to **donate \$1.00 for every \$200.00 spent**. The maximum award to be donated per school is \$2000.00. (Schools must earn a minimum of \$50.00 to be eligible to receive a donation.)
- At the end of the promotion, each school's records will be balanced, and the contact person will be notified with the dollar amount his or her particular school will be receiving. All receipts must be returned to your designated **Hy-Vee** by **January 15, 2020**, to be included in the fundraising program.