



KLEEFELD SCHOOL

The Buzz

MARCH, 2017

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		1 Day 5 Gr. 5 Sports Club 3:45-5:15	2 Day 6	3 Day 1 Hot Lunch: Peperoni Pizza
6 Day 2	7 Day 3	8 Day 4 Gr. 5 Sports Club 3:45-5:15	9 Day 5 Gr. 8 Orientation @ SRSS (PM) <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">CHOCOLATE FUNDRAISER</div>	10 Administration Day No Classes
13 Day 6	14 Day 1	15 Day 2 Gr. 5 Sports Club 3:45-5:15	16 Day 3 BAND BASH TONIGHT @ 7:00	17 Day 4 Hot Lunch: Chicken Noodle Soup Report Card #2 Sent Home Today K-Gr. 8
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20 Day 5	21 Day 6 PAC Meeting @ 7:00 PM	22 Day 1 Gr. 5 Sports Club 3:45-5:15	23 Day 2 Parent/Teacher Interviews 4:30-6:30	24 Day 3 HOT DOGS
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Principal's Message

You may have noticed that we seem to be doing a lot of fundraising this year. That would be an accurate observation. Let me tell you why there are so many fundraising projects. For several years, Kleefeld School has been in need of a new play structure. The first big project that our PAC has taken on is to provide exactly that. Play structures do not fall within the allowances of the school's budget. The Department of Education does not provide funds either. So it falls upon the school community to do the work of fundraising and constructing structures for students to use outdoors. We would like to thank you for your support thus far. We are about half way to our final goal. So, on one hand I am apologizing for the level of fundraising this year, while on the other hand, I am unapologetic because this is an important project for our students and community. You can always say no to fundraising requests—we sure to appreciate it when you say yes!



KLEEFELD SCHOOL PAC

Our next PAC Meeting will be on Tuesday, March 21, at 7:00 in the Kleefeld School Staff Room. Also, please note that the PAC Constitution is under review. The suggested changes are located on the school website. Please connect with the link and look over the changes. If you have questions, please contact the PAC President, Christina Thiessen.

MUSIC/BAND @ KLEEFELD SCHOOL



March is upon us and another month for beautiful music! Tickets for our annual Band Bash went out February 23rd

with the band students. This is an evening of great music, fantastic desserts, 50/50 draw and a great way to support our Band program. So mark March 16th, 7pm on your calendars for this tuneful evening. Please note every student will receive a set of tickets but are not limited to this set as there will be more available at the office, each ticket is \$10. Please send money and extra tickets back to the school by March 9, 2017.



CHOCOLATE FUNDRAISER

KLEEFELD SCHOOL CHOCOLATE FUNDRAISER

ALL FUNDS RAISED WILL GO TO OUR PLAY STRUCTURE PROJECT!!

**Starts: March 9
Ends: March 24**



Important note to all music lovers:

Northwinds is coming to Kleefeld in April featuring our very own Mrs. Hiebert. This is a great concert that is **free**, so come on out and listen to Mrs. Hiebert's band play some fantastic music!!!



HSD Parent / Child Community Program

The Hanover Parent and Child Community Program invites Kleefeld parents and their preschool children (1 to 4 years) to attend this free preschool program. The goal of preschool is to promote school readiness skills. Children will play, create, sing and learn skills in preparation for kindergarten. In the program, parents can connect with other parents, learn new skills and participate in activities with their children. Snacks are provided. Families can attend regularly or just drop in.

Tuesdays 9:30-11:30 AM

Thursdays 9:30-11:30 AM

The Preschool meets in the west hut behind Kleefeld School. **TO PARK**—please drive through the staff parking lot and park on the north end of the lot.

We will follow the HSD calendar and policies for school closure days.

Children should bring indoor footwear.

TERM 2 REPORT CARDS AND PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Report card #2 will be send home on Friday, March 17. Parents can request to have the report card emailed rather than have a paper copy sent home.

The purpose of a report card is to provide parents with a picture or description of their child as a learner. Comments will accompany most subject marks.

The format of the comments should follow the outline of noting your student's **strengths**, then outlining a **challenge** your student is experiencing, followed by the **next step** which describes how the teacher will assist the student in working to improve the area of challenge.

Parent/Teacher Interviews happen on Thursday, March 23 from 4:30-6:30. This time, interviews are by parent request or teacher request. Parents, you are welcome to set up an appointment to connect with your student's teachers even if you have no particular concern.



Numerous new series have been added to our library, such as Race the Wild by Kristin Earheart, Gallagher Girls by Ally Carter, Dog Man by Dav Pilkey, Black Lagoon Adventures by Mike Thaler and the Red Queen by Victoria Aveyard. Other new titles being introduced are Magnus Chase by Rick Riordan, Supergirl at Super Hero High by Lisa Yee and Sting by Jude Watson. For our graphic novel fans, Dream Jumper by Greg Grunberg and Unicorn on a Roll by Dana Simpson have just been released in the library.

The addition of Hockey News magazine has been greeted with much enthusiasm from our hockey fans. Discovery Box and National Geographic Kids are new magazine titles to hit the rack recently, as well.

There is a new Books 4 Eternity catalogue for the Christian Book Club program. It has a great selection of books for all ages, from pre-school to adult & offers fabulous prices!

Each purchase will raise funds for purchasing books for the school library! 20% of the sales will be used to buy more books! Catalogs can be viewed online on our Kleefeld School website under Library Book Club Orders or at:

Flipbook:

http://www.kidz4eternity.com/Wholesale/K4E_2017WinterSpringFlipBook/index.html

PDF can be viewed:

http://www.kidz4eternity.com/Wholesale/K4E_2017WinterSpringFlyer_FullRes.PDF

We trust these resources will be a blessing to you. We appreciate your support as we continue to focus on adding quality reading material to our library collection. To place an order, simply remove the order form from the back of the catalogue or print it from the link and submit it to **Ms D. Kroeker** in the library by **March 15th**.

Payment Options:

Cheque made payable to Books 4 Eternity

Credit Card information can be put on the order form

E-Transfer with school and student name to: accounts@books4eternity.com (the answer to your security question: Books)

**** Please note that all prices include tax & shipping**

ORDER DEADLINE: Wednesday, March 15, 2017

We are headed into the final month of **MYRCA**. A meeting is scheduled for March 15 at lunch in the library. We will have the voting day on April 5, at lunch in the library, book club members will have to read 3 books to get 1 vote, 6 books for 2 votes and 15 or more to cast 3 votes. The wind-up will be on April 19. Have a spectacular March!

"To learn to read is to light a fire" — Victor Hugo, Les Miserables