

# Stephensen Elementary Newsletter

## November 2018



Moving along the school year. As the weather begins to change, be sure to dress for the constantly shifting temperatures. Also, be sure to check the lost and found as coats needed in the morning tend to get forgotten in the afternoon. Here are some items of note coming up in November.

- Available **Enrichment Activities/Opportunities**

- Lunch time STEM Group (grade 1) - each Tuesday beginning Nov. 6 (*no permission slip needed*). If students are interested, they only need to line up in the cafeteria after they have eaten their lunches on Tuesdays.
- Afterschool STEM Club (grades 2-4) - Tuesdays and Fridays beginning Nov. 27. Space is limited. Also, students may be assigned only one of the two days based upon grade level. Permission slips are available online and in the office.
- Clubs/Activities currently underway -
  - Sign Language - Mondays and Thursdays
  - Running Eagles - Mondays and Wednesdays
  - Morning Yoga - Tuesdays and Thursdays
  - HAM Radio - Wednesdays

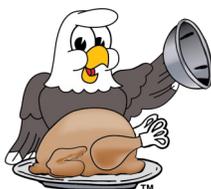
- Our **Spirit Day and Assembly** will be on Friday, Nov. 9 at 2:30 pm. The theme is *Veteran's Day - students are encouraged to wear military/camo attire*. Classes with the highest spirit day participation will win a merit badge. Also, the monthly classroom award winners are given the opportunity to participate in the spirit activity and could win an additional merit badge for their class.



- **Pancakes with the Principal breakfast** is Friday, Nov. 2. Students receiving the *Golden Eagle award* (and their parents/family) are honored during this special breakfast. Golden Eagles represent Stephensen's Core Values: Be Respectful, Be Responsible, and Be Safe. This prestigious award can only be given to 1 student in each class each month. Our Golden Eagles will receive a certificate, will have their picture displayed, be our morning pledge leaders, as well as having special leadership responsibilities throughout the school year.



- The **Eagle Store** is an opportunity for students to spend their Eagle Bucks on items to be used within the school and is scheduled to be open on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month in the STEM room. Eagle Bucks are earned when students act the Eagle Way by being respectful, responsible, and safe.



### **Dates to remember:**

- 2 – Golden Eagle Breakfast
- 5—PTT meeting in the STEM room
- 9—Spirit Day (Veteran's Day-Military/Camo)
- 14—Eagle Store at lunch
- 19-23 – NO SCHOOL - Thanksgiving Break
- 28—Eagle Store at lunch
- 29—Popcorn money due
- 30—Popcorn Day