



Webb Happenings Newsletter

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Important Dates

- 1/22/24 - $\frac{1}{2}$ Day - School dismisses at 11:20 - Records Day PM
- 1/23/24 - Bagel Day
- 1/24/24 - Report Cards go home
- 1/25/24 - Student of the Month Breakfast
- 1/26/24 - Webb Nonfiction Writing Celebration 1:45PM
- 1/29/24 - Fundraiser Kick-off
- 1/30/24 - Kindergarten Information Night 5:30PM @HPJunior High
- 2/5/24 - Webb PTA Meeting @3:30PM in Webb Media Center
- 2/8/24 - Webb Talent Show 6PM @ Hazel Park High School
- 2/14/24 - Fundraiser packets and money due
- 2/16/24 - $\frac{1}{2}$ Day - School dismisses at 11:20
- 2/19/24-2/23/24 - NO SCHOOL - Mid Winter Break

From the Principal

Dear Webb Families,

We are excited to welcome all of our families into Webb on Friday for our nonfiction celebration. The students have been working hard this past quarter to research and learn about different topics and have created different presentations to share with you. Please see the information below about this event. We hope you will be able to join us.

We are sad to say our popular PTA ice skating event had to be canceled due to a change in ownership at the ice arena. We hope to bring it back in future years and are working on some different events to support our families.

We know it can be hard on kids when the weather is bad and they are stuck inside. Check out the flyers below for events coming up with our Hazel Park library and some things that are offered through the Hazel Park Recreation Department. As always, reading is always a great activity to keep kids busy on these cold days. Hopefully the worst of the weather is behind us. Stay warm!

Corri Nastasi

Principal, Webb Elementary

Bagels

Every Tuesday is bagel day at Webb. Students and staff can buy bagels for \$1 each. The flavors offered are cinnamon raisin, plain, salt & onion.

Food Donations

A big shout out to Mrs. Burgess' 2nd grade who collected 173 donations of potatoes! WOW! We appreciate all of their efforts to support the Hazel Park holiday baskets and for representing Webb with such kindness! Thank you to all of our Webb families who donated items for the Holiday Basket food drive. Many families were able to benefit during the holiday season from these donations.

Nonfiction Writing Celebration Open House at Webb

We are so excited to open up Webb on Friday to all of our Webb families. The students at Webb have all been working hard throughout the second quarter to read, research and write about different informational topics. From animal adaptations to reptiles, bugs, wild and endangered animals, weather and ecosystems, we have experienced some amazing learning at Webb and we can't wait to share it with you. On Friday, January 26th we are opening up Webb from 1:45-2:45 for family members to come and explore all of the fun learning we have done. You will be able to go to your child(ren)'s classroom(s) and see their work and even explore around the school to see all of the hard work the students have been putting into their learning. The students have worked hard to show off their work and created some great displays. All families are welcome. Please come to the front door anytime between 1:45-2:45 and we will be happy to welcome you in to see all that we have accomplished this quarter. You won't want to miss it.

Report Cards

Report Cards will go out with all students on Wednesday. The students are given numbers to show their current progress:

4=Student working above grade level expectations

3=Student meeting grade level expectations

2=Student approaching but not meeting grade level expectations

1=Not meeting grade level expectations

IRIPs

On February 2nd, students in grades K-3 will receive IRIP reports that discuss reading progress and needs. Please let your child's teacher know if you have any questions. We will also be sending home reports regarding your child's reading level and how you can help them at home (IRLA Report) as well as information about their reading and math achievement according to the I-Ready assessments we give 3 times per year.

PTA Skate Night - Canceled

The Skate Night planned for this week had to be canceled due to a change in ownership at the Viking Ice Arena. The PTA is working to schedule another event for March.

Easter Candy Sale

We will again be offering our Easter Candy Sale for our Webb families as a fundraiser for our school. We appreciate any of our families that would be willing to sell chocolate Easter-themed candy as a way to raise money for some of the extras we do at Webb, such as extra books and learning tools for classrooms as well as rewards and incentives for academics and behavior. We will be kicking off this sale on Monday, January 29th through February 14th. The fundraiser packets will come home with students on the 29th.

Cold Weather

We had some pretty mild weather in November and December this year. However, it looks like we will be seeing some more typical winter weather in the weeks ahead. We try to go out for recess as much as possible so the students get some fresh air and exercise. The cutoff temperature is 20 degrees with wind chill factored in. Please make sure that your child brings appropriate gear to school to keep them warm during outside recess. If there is snow on the ground the students will ONLY be allowed to play on the playground if they have winter boots on. If they don't have boots they must stay on the sidewalk area. We do have some donated winter items if your child is in need - reach out to the school office to see if we have any items that would fit

Webb Talent Show

Talent Show Information

If your signed up to be in this year's Talent Show, we have some minor changes to the original planned Talent Show timeline due to the closure of school last week because of weather. **IF YOU SIGNED UP:** Please come prepared with all materials needed to provided us with a short performance at the first practice, Wed. Jan. 24th from 3:20-4:30 in the Webb Lunchroom. You must be prepared with your planned performance in order to be considered as a participant in the Talent Show this year. We are now on a shorter time frame due to these changes.

See you, Wednesday, Jan. 24th from 3:20 - 4:30 in the Webb Lunchroom. This is for **students only** that are signed up for the Talent Show. **Parents:** Please remember that students must be picked up at 4:30! Thank you for your patience on preparing for this years Webb Talent Show!



**Happy Practicing,
Mrs. Platt & Mrs. Wilkins & Ms. Burr**

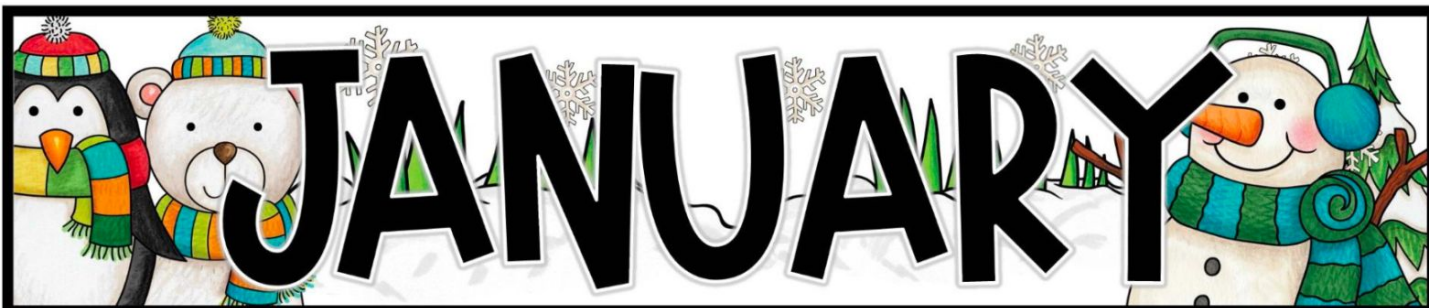


Kindergarten/Pre-School Information Night

On Tuesday, January 30th, we will have a Kindergarten and Pre-School information night at Hazel Park Junior High from 5:30-7PM. If you have a child who will be attending pre-school or kindergarten next year, please plan to attend this event to learn important information about enrolling and attending these programs next year.

Life Club Canceled

Due to a staff meeting after school on Tuesday, Life Club will be canceled this week.



STEAM Newsletter

What's happening in
STEAM: **Coding and
Engineering Design
Challenges**



Collaborating to solve
coding puzzles

Early 5 & Kindergarten:
Coding concepts-
patterns, sequences and
algorithms

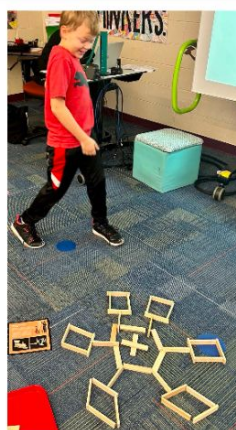
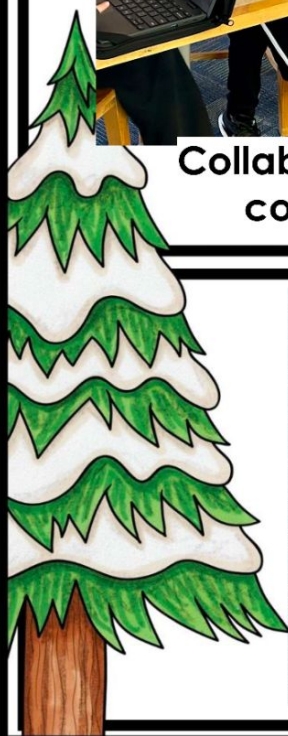
1st Grade: Scratch Jr.
coding challenges

2nd Grade: Coding with
Kodable and Scratch Jr.

3rd Grade: Code.org
Course C- focus on loops

4th Grade: Code.org
Course D- focus on events

5th Grade: Code.org
Course E- focus on sprites



**Design
Challenge:
Make a
snowflake
with KEVA
planks**



STEAM Newsletter



Persevering through
coding challenges on
Code.org

What Students are saying:

"Yes! We did it! High 5!" -Noel and
Hunter, 4th Grade

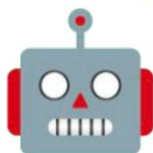
"It is challenging to make the sprites
have different behaviors and do
things like say *hello*" -Chase, 5th
Grade

"I am just so excited! I get to play
my own game!" -Landon, 3rd Grade



Coming Up...

We will be coding with robots!



Thank you for reading our STEAM newsletter!
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Hazel Park Chili Cook-Off

When: Saturday, February 3, 2024

Setup time: Between 10 AM and 11 AM. **Fair time:** 11 AM to 3 PM

Where: Hazel Park Junior High

To Whom It May Concern,

The Hazel Park School District Community Engagement Team is hosting a Resource Fair and Chili Cook-Off on February 3rd from 11 AM to 3 PM. You have been invited to compete to have the best chili in Hazel Park! Attendees of the resource fair will be encouraged to try each chili and will cast their vote for their favorite one. As the day draws to a close and the votes are counted one lucky team will be crowned the winner.

There is no charge for you to participate in the chili cook-off. We will provide you with a table and two chairs. Please complete the following information soon and return to Brooke Barnett (Brooke.Barnett@myhpsd.org) no later than Friday, January 26, 2024 so we can prepare your display:

Name: _____ Company or Organization: _____

Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Questions: Contact Brooke Barnett at 248-658-2410 or email her at Brooke.Barnett@myhpsd.org

Please describe any needs that you may have for the event:

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HAZEL PARK RECREATION

⚽ SPRING SOCCER ⚽

NOW REGISTERING

**For more details
call 248-547-5535**

U6 \$65.00

U8 \$65.00

U10 \$65.00



HAZEL PARK RECREATION

SPRING SOCCER

Practices are contingent upon coaches availability. Games are located within Hazel Park and also in neighboring communities involved in the league.

Shoes and shin guards not provided.

Please note: Coaches are volunteers. We will be unable to form teams if we are not able to secure a coach.

MINOR PLAYER _____ AGE: _____ DOB: _____

PARENT / LEGAL GUARDIAN SIGNATURE: _____

PARENT / LEGAL GUARDIAN PRINTED NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

INTERESTED IN COACHING ()

ASSISTANT COACH ()

() U6 \$65.00

() U8 \$65.00

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SHIRT SIZE: YOUTH () SML () MED () LRG

ADULT () SML () MED () LRG





SHARE YOUR VOICE!



VIRTUAL COMMUNITY FEEDBACK FORUM

January 24, 2024 @ 6:00 PM

Meeting ID: 212 169 565 625

Passcode: 9nHDmh

LINK:

<https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/microsoft-teams/join-a-meeting?rtc=1>

**SHARE WHAT IMPROVEMENTS YOU'D LIKE
TO SEE IN THE HAZEL PARK PARKS**

HAZEL PARK
DISTRICT
LIBRARY

BOOK SALE!

FEBRUARY
13TH-17TH

Tuesday 12-8
Wednesday 12-8
Thursday 12-8
Friday 10-6
Saturday 12-4



FUNDS RAISED FROM THIS BOOK SALE SUPPORT PROGRAMMING AND
THE PURCHASE OF NEW MATERIALS.

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HAZEL PARK DISTRICT LIBRARY

**FREE
PROGRAM**

FAMILY FUN NIGHT

TUESDAYS, 6:30-7:30pm

CRAFTS, GAMES, AND FUN!
(Ages 0-12 & siblings)

January 23: Fake Snowball Fight

February 13: Friendship

February 27: Puzzle Mania

March 12: St. Patrick's Day

March 26: Egg Hunt 6:00-7:30pm

(Sign up for a time slot)

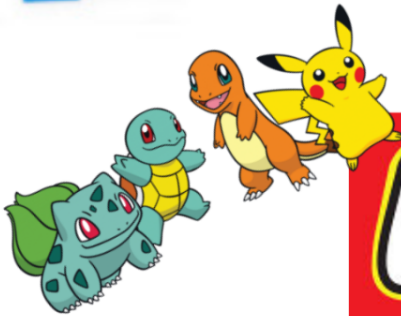


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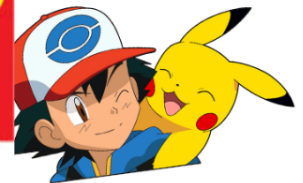
Hazel Park District Library

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**FREE
PROGRAM**



LEGO CLUB



**February 6, March 5
6:30PM**

Legos, craft & games, oh my! We will build with Legos and display our masterpieces in the Library. Bring your Pokemon cards. You can battle with friends, play the card game and do crafts.



HAZEL PARK DISTRICT LIBRARY



GOTTA CATCH 'EM ALL!

Thursdays at 6:30 PM

February 1: Hazel Park District Library

February 15: Hazel park District Library

February 29: Hazel Park District Library

March 14: Scout Park

(901 E Otis Park Ave Hazel Park, MI 48030)

March 28: Green Acres Park

(620 W Woodward Heights Blvd Hazel Park, MI 48030)

**Join us to catch Pokemon and battle.
Everyone will get 1 FREE Pokemon card.**