

The **North Star**



North Elementary Events for:

April 2021

We collect BoxTops, Pull Tabs and ink cartridges. Thank you for your support.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Character Trait: Patience				1	Spirit Day 2	3
4	5	6	7	8 Spring Personality Picture DAY	9	10
11	12	13 Parent Group Virtual Meeting 6 PM	14	15	16 Star Day	17
18	19	20 School Board Meeting 6:30 PM See School District website for info.	21 Day of the Military Child, Wear Purple	22	23 PD Day - No School for students.	24
25	26	27	28	29	30 4th Grade Wagon's Ho	

Dates for May 2021:

2021-2022 New and Returning Student Registration ALL of May

- 5/7 Spirit Day
- 5/21 Star Day
- 5/26 Last Day of School

North Stars News

April 2021

Mrs. Straw, Principal

ISAT State Testing

3rd and 4th graders will be ISAT testing starting April 6th. Most 3rd graders will be testing on Tuesdays (4/6, 4/13, 4/20 and 4/27). Most 4th graders will be testing on Wednesdays (4/7, 4/14, 4/21, and 4/28). 3rd and 4th graders with special needs will be testing on Thursdays (4/8, 4/15, 4/22, and 4/29.) Please try to avoid these dates for any appointments or taking students out during the school day. It would be greatly appreciated. 3rd and 4th grade IDLA students will be taking their ISAT tests April 13th and 20th.

IRI State Testing

Kindergarten through 3rd grade students will be taking the Istations IRI in May.

Dr. Seuss Day

We had some great fun on Dr. Seuss Day; March 2nd! Every child in attendance received a free book, a bookmark, and a Dr. Seuss pencil. A special Thank You to Board Trustee Mr. Binion for reading and recording a Dr. Seuss book for our students. It was a great day for everyone.

Kindergarten Art Show

On May 13th from 4:30 to 6:30PM our kindergarten classes will be holding an Art Show. We have some budding artists that are excited to show off their work. Teachers will be scheduling 15 minute time slots for families to join us in the North Elementary gym.

Registration

Online registration for all returning and new students for next year will be open from May 3rd to June 11th through the Powerschool Parent Portal. And again starting August 3rd. Please log onto our North Elementary website in May to find more information. <http://north.mtnehomesd.org/> Parent input forms will also be available here.

We will have a few Chromebooks available at school for parents to use. Please call for an appointment so that we do not have too many parents here at one time, we will be able to sanitize the equipment and area, and you will not need to wait for a Chromebook to be available. Parents are also welcome to complete the online registration from home. New students will need to upload a Birth Certificate and Shot Record. There will also be a few forms to complete.

Character Trait of the Month

Patience-Enduring calmly without complaining or losing self-control.

BoxTops and Pop Can Tabs

We are continuing to collect BoxTops and Pop Can Tabs.



North Elementary is committed to learning today for tomorrow's world.

Fundraisers Update

School Store (formerly School Mall)- With all the participation we earned in total \$8,063.16. Gift cards purchased for teachers totaled \$7,675. We gave out lots of cute, hugging stuffed animals! Thank You Mrs. Blanchard for organizing this fundraiser for our school and a special Thank You to all who participated!!!!

Donuts- We sold 959 dozen donuts!!! That is a lot of donuts. We ended up picking donuts up from 3 different Albertsons bakeries in the Boise area that have the "Pauls" Homemade Recipe ability. We earned \$2,673.42 from this fundraiser. This is enough to pay for our 4th Grade Wagon's Ho Field Trip. Thank You Mrs. Delaplain for organizing this fundraiser. Thank you so much for your support!!!! We plan to make this an annual Fundraiser.

Kindergarten Graduation

Kindergarten Graduation for all classes will be held on the same day, Wednesday, May 26th at North Elementary. Report cards will be included with the Graduation Certificate. The graduation will conclude the kindergarten year and students will be excused at the end of the graduation. Please watch for more specific information and times coming home from your child's teacher closer to May.