

March 21, 2019

SCHOOL IS DISMISSED EVERY FRIDAY AT 2:30.

KINDERGARTEN MEET THE TEACHER: There will be a "Meet the Teacher" night on Monday, March 25th, at 6:00 p.m. in the Spring Grove Gym, for children who will be attending Kindergarten in Galena during the 2019-2020 school year. There will be fun activities for the children and information about enrollment and Kindergarten screening. Come meet the Kindergarten teachers on Monday, March 25th, at 6:00 p.m., in the Spring Grove Gym. Kindergarten Screening will be held on Friday, April 12th, at Spring Grove.

SPRING PICTURES: Spring Pictures will be taken on Tuesday, March 26th. Picture order forms are attached to this newsletter. Please fill out the form completely and make checks payable to Studio 951. Picture orders should be paid on Picture Day.

CHARACTER COUNTS: The Character Counts word for March is "TRUSTWORTHY". The Character Counts assembly for March will be Wednesday, March 27th, in the Spring Grove Gym.

SPRING FLING: The Spring Grove "Spring Fling" has been rescheduled for Friday, April 5th, at 1:30 p.m., and we would like to invite you!! The students will be performing a few of our favorite hits from the 70's. We have decided to make tie dye t-shirts for our program. Please send \$2 with your child to cover the cost of their shirt. We would like to have the \$2 by April 5th, so they can wear their shirt home that day!

SPRING CARNIVAL: The PTO Spring Carnival will be Saturday, April 6th, from 5 to 9 p.m. in the Galena High School Commons Area and Gymnasium. We are asking students to bring donations of 2-liter bottles of pop and boxes of snack cakes and/or baked cakes for the Carnival games. Pop and snack cakes are due at the school by April 1st and baked cakes will be due April 5th. Baked cakes can be homemade or store bought.

KINDERGARTEN SCREENING: Kindergarten Screening for the 2019-2020 school year will be held on Friday, April 12th, 2019, at Spring Grove. Children must be 5 years old on or before August 31st, 2019 to be eligible to attend Kindergarten in the 2019-2020 school year. Parents are requested to attend with their child and bring the child's State Birth certificate, shot records, and Social Security card. To schedule a screening appointment, please call 620-783-4499 ext. 2100. If the line is busy or no answer, please leave a voicemail with your name and phone number and we will return your call as soon as possible. There will be no KINDERGARTEN classes on Friday, April 12th. First and Second grades will have school as usual.

PRESCHOOL SCREENING: Preschool screening for the 2019-2020 school year will be held on Friday, April 26th. If you have a child that you feel would benefit from one of our Preschool programs or you know of someone with a child who would benefit from our programs, and you/they fit the qualifications, contact the Spring Grove Office at 620-738-4499 ext. 2100 to pick up an application. Completed applications need to be returned to Spring Grove Office by April 15th.

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YEARBOOK ORDER FORMS: You can still order yearbooks on line and pay with a credit card or debit card at www.Jostens.com. You will find the PreK-8th grade order under Galena Liberty Elementary. The High School yearbook order will be under Galena High School. The price of the PreK-8 yearbook is \$20 and the High school yearbook is \$50. Yearbooks will be passed out sometime after school starts in August.

COATS, JACKETS, AND PERSONAL ITEMS: Seasonings are changing! Please remember to put your child's name on a tag, in a pocket, or somewhere inside their jackets and coats, and on all their personal items. It helps us to return items when they are left on the playground, in the gym, or in the restroom if we can find a name.

ADDRESSES & PHONE NUMBERS: Please make sure we have your correct mailing address. Also, remember to call the Spring Grove Office or send a note with your child when you change your phone number. We like to keep our files up to date so that we can contact you in an emergency, when school is cancelled, or when there are activities to announce over the school messaging system, and when mailing you important information. Thank you.

<u>CLASSROOM GROUP PICTURES:</u> Classroom group pictures are available in the Spring Grove Office for \$5.00. This money will go in an activity fund for Spring Grove Students.

INFORMATION FROM NURSE KELLOGG:

Poisonings and medicine mishaps can happen anywhere, anytime! This week, March 17-23, was National Poison Prevention Week. Save the toll-free Poison Help number in your phone: 1-800-222-1222. The poison help line is not just for emergencies. You can call with questions about how to take or give medicine, concerns about plants, chemicals, carbon monoxide, bites, stings, and more. Visit http://safekids.org for more information.

COMING EVENTS:

March 25: Meet the Kindergarten Teacher, 6:00 p.m. in the Spring Grove Gym

March 26: Spring Pictures

March 27: Character Counts Assembly

April 5: Spring Fling

April 6: PTO Spring Carnival from 5-9 p.m. at the Galena High School.

April 12: Kindergarten Screening April 19: No School - Good Friday

April 25: Last Day for AST & TLZ April 26: Preschool Screening

Mission Statement: At Spring Grove we encourage and lead our students to develop social and academic skills to achieve lifelong learning for the 21st Century.

*Students will show respect in thinking and reasoning in oral and written communication.