



### WinterKids Play Along Track

This year, Smith School teachers have joined the WinterKids Play Along Track. Each classroom will choose activities to take part in. Week one began this week, focused on outdoor physical activity. We are looking forward to a great 4 weeks of fun and learning!

#### From the School Nurse

This is the time of year when we tend to see more illness in our school community. If your child has a fever over 100 degrees Fahrenheit, is vomiting or has diarrhea, or has low energy and is not eating, your child should stay home from school. Your child should be fever free for 24 hours without medication before returning to school. If you are in doubt, call the school and speak with the school nurse. If your child sees a doctor for illness, please let the school nurse know. If your child tests positive for COVID-19, they are required to be out of school for 5 days and be masked for 5 days after that. Contact the school nurse to determine when your child may return to school and how long they will need to wear a mask.

Below is a link for free COVID-19 test kits. The kits take several weeks to arrive so it is wise to plan ahead.

#### https://www.covid.gov/tools-and-resources/resources/tests

Don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns about your child. Laura Norris, RN <a href="mailto:lnorris@rsu22.us">lnorris@rsu22.us</a> (207)223-4282

## Winterport/Frankfort Kindergarten Registration

Leroy H. Smith School in Winterport will hold kindergarten registration on Tuesday, February 13, 2024. Registration will be held from 12:00 - 4:00 PM. Due to limited spacing, children do not need to be present for registration. Students must be five years old on or before October 15, 2024 and be a legal resident of Winterport or Frankfort in order to attend kindergarten at the Smith School for the 2024 - 2025 school year. Please bring the student's certificate of vital record (hospital birth

certificate is no longer acceptable), 2 proofs of residency, immunization records and a recent photograph with you to registration. You may contact Debbie at the Smith School at 223-4282 with any questions that you may have.

### Winterport/Frankfort Pre - K Registration

Pre-K registration will be held at the Smith School in Winterport on Tuesday, February 13, 2024 from 12:00 - 4:00 PM. Due to limited spacing, children do not need to be present for registration. Students must be four years old on or before October 15, 2024 and be a legal resident of Winterport or Frankfort in order to attend Pre-K for the 2024 - 2025 school year. You may contact Waldo CAP at 338-3827 with any questions that you may have.

#### 2nd Grade News:

Second grade students recently completed a map unit. Students learned how to read a compass rose, created topographical maps and explored maps of their home, school and the world around them. They also designed a map key for their own private island.







In addition to the monthly Snap-Ed lessons that the 2nd graders receive once a month, they expanded their learning through the Great Body Shop Health Program. Students studied the food groups, how to create a balanced meal, how to make healthy food choices, and the impact of healthy eating. 2nd graders enjoy staying active in and out of school.







#### Kindergarten

Kindergarten has been busy! We began working on subtraction in math. We are learning about taking away and also about breaking whole groups into two smaller groups. In phonics and reading, we are continuing to work on decoding three letter words (such as cat, fin, and log), rhyming, and breaking words into syllables. In K for ME we are learning about owls and their habitats, and we'll begin learning about wolves next.

# **Upcoming Events**

January 2 - February 9: NWEA (each classroom has their own times)

January 8 - February 2: WinterKids!!

Friday, January 12: NO SCHOOL (Teacher Inservice Day)

Monday, January 15: No School: Martin Luther King Jr. Day

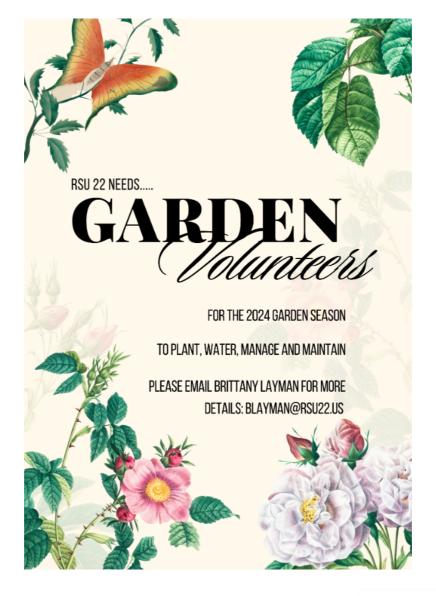
January 22 - February 9 - Early Bird Assessment: (K and 1 only)

February 5 - February 9 - Carnation Flower Fundraiser (sponsord by PIE)

February 9 - Fancy Family Dance 6:30-8:00

## **January Great Body Shop - Health**

Click to view the topics students will be learning about in Health in January



### PIE

Box tops- Download the app to help our school.

Rainbow cart- We are looking for volunteers to help show our staff that we appreciate them!

Follow us on Facebook and message us for details. <u>PIE Leroy H.</u> <u>Smith Elementary School</u>.







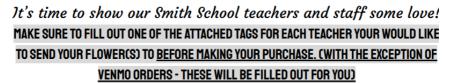




### FLOWER FUNDRAISER

FEB. 5 - 9





- Sales will be open from 7:20-8:00 am each morning the week before Valentine's Day.
  - Online orders accepted with  $\underline{\text{Venmo}}$  (please see the back for details) All orders must be paid no later than Fri., Feb. 9th

Carnations will be delivered by PIE on Valentine's Day!



Partners in Education (PIE) Presents:



If paying with Venmo, please send the following in the comments:

- -Amount of flowers- write the amount of flowers please (\$2 for a single flower, \$10 for 6 flowers, \$20 for a dozen)
- -Teacher sending To
- -Who This is From
- -Message: \_\_\_\_example: Happy Valentine's Day!\_

Then, send away.





Partners in Education







## **Changes in Dismissal Plan Reminder**

If your child is going to a destination other than their usual routine, we will need to have the information in writing to <a href="mailto:smithoffice@rsu22.us">smithoffice@rsu22.us</a> by 1:00 PM. We do not accept changes over the phone. The following information should be included in your email/text message:

- -Child's full name
- -Name of the person they are going to
- -Street address of the destination

Please notify <a href="mailto:smithoffice@rsu22.us">smithoffice@rsu22.us</a> of any changes in afterschool plans, even if you have emailed their teacher. This will ensure that the changes are made.

# **January Lunch Menu**

	Smith Lunch Menu-January			Breakfast - Daily entree or Cered fruit, juice, milk
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	2	3		
	Welcome Back	Mexican	Breakfast for Lunch	Pizza Day
hoppy, ~~	Corn Dogs &	Chicken and Cheese	Pancakes	Cheese or Pepperoni
New year *	Spiral Fries	Quesadilla	Sausage	
****	Salad & Fruit Bar	Salad & Fruit Bar	Salad & Fruit Bar	Salad & Fruit Bar
8	9	10	11	
Caf Classic	Yum!	Snow Day	Famous Mashed Potato Bowl	Teacher Inservice Da
Chicken Nuggets &	Warm Ham and Cheese		Maine Smashed Potato Bowl	WW No
Fries, Crackers	on a Croissant		Popcorn Chicken, Corn	School
			Cheddar, Gravy, Dinner Roll	School
Salad & Fruit Bar	Salad & Fruit Bar		Salad & Fruit Bar	
15	16	17	18	
No School	Caf Classic	Deli Day	Taco Thursday	Pizza Day
MARTIN LUTHER	Toasted Cheese Sandwich	Ham & Cheese	Beef & Cheese Nachos	Cheese or Pepperoni
DAY	Tomato Soup	Choice of Bread		
The state of the s		Choice of Toppings		
	Salad & Fruit Bar	Salad & Fruit Bar	Salad & Fruit Bar	Salad & Fruit Bar
22	23	24	25	
Caf Classic	Homemade	Breakfast for Lunch	Home Cooking	Pizza Day
Hamburgers/Cheeseburger	Macaroni and Cheese	Pancakes	Chicken & Gravy	Cheese or Pepperoni
Maine Potato Wedges	Garlic Breadstick	Maine Yogurt & Strawberry	Mashed Potatoes	
MAINE		Smoothies	Dinner roll	
Salad & Fruit Bar	Salad & Fruit Bar	Salad & Fruit Bar	Salad & Fruit Bar	Salad & Fruit Bar
29	30	31	1	
Chicken & Waffles	New!	Italian	Breakfast for Lunch	Pizza Day
Crunchy Chicken Drumstick	Hawaiian Pork	Three Cheese Pasta Bake	Tater Tot Breakfast Bowl	Cheese or Pepperoni
Waffle Sticks	Corn Muffin, Baked Beans	Garlic Breadstick	Muffin	
	Cole Slaw			
Salad & Fruit Bar	Salad & Fruit Bar	Salad & Fruit Bar	Salad & Fruit Bar	Salad & Fruit Bar
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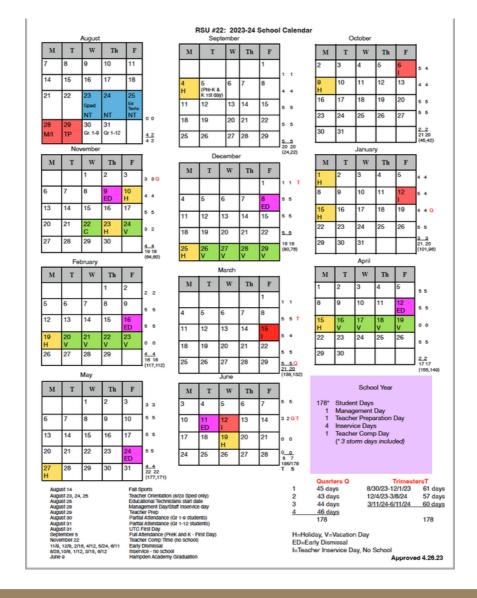
For Questions or Concerns contact Kathy Kittridge kkittridge@rsu22.us, 207.862.3543

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## **Community Events**

This website will provide you with all sorts of information about events, sign-ups for clubs, etc. available to your children. Please check often. We will be putting flyers, etc. directly into this folder.

2023-2024 School Year Calendar



# **A-F Letter Day Calendar**

January				
M	T	w	Th	F
1 Holiday	<sup>2</sup> А	<sup>3</sup> В	<sup>4</sup> C	5 <b>D</b>
<sup>8</sup> E	°F	10	11 <b>A</b>	12 Inservice
15 Holiday	16 <b>B</b>	17 <b>C</b>	18 <b>D</b>	19 <b>E</b>
<b>F</b>	23 A	24 <b>B</b>	25 C	26 <b>D</b>
29 E	30 <b>F</b>	31 <b>A</b>		

	February				
M	T	w	Th	F	
			<sup>1</sup> В	<sup>2</sup> C	
5 <b>D</b>	6 E	<sup>7</sup> <b>F</b>	8 A	9 B	
12 C	13 <b>D</b>	14 <b>E</b>	15 <b>F</b>	16 Ear. Dis.	
19 Holiday	20 Vacation	21 Vacation	22 Vacation	23 Vacation	
26 <b>A</b>	27	28 C	29 <b>D</b>		

March				
М	Т	w	Th	F
				<sup>1</sup> E
4 <b>F</b>	5 <b>A</b>	<sup>6</sup> B	<sup>7</sup> C	8 D
11 E	12 <b>F</b>	13 <b>A</b>	14 В	15 Inservice
18 C	19 <b>D</b>	E 20	F F	22 <b>A</b>
25 B	26 C	D 27	28 E	29 F

**January** 

**February** 

March

## **Pre-planned Absence Form**



## **Leroy H. Smith School**

Email: dmoore@rsu22.us

Website: <a href="http://smith.rsu22.us/">http://smith.rsu22.us/</a>

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Facebook:

https://www.facebook.com/smithschoolwinterportfrankfort



# Dawn Moore

Dawn is using Smore to create beautiful newsletters