



EAGLE SCHOOL

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Looking Ahead

Friday, February 8

- ◆ Noodles lunch
- ◆ TGIF: 4/5 Plays

Saturday, February 9

- ◆ Robotics State Competition

Monday, February 11 – Friday, February 15

- ◆ Educator Appreciation Week

Monday, February 11

- ◆ Math Olympiad, Period 3

Tuesday, February 12

- ◆ EPO Meeting, Commons, 8:30 AM
- ◆ 3/4 & 4/5 to *Freedom Bound*, Overture, 9:15 to 11:20 AM

Friday, February 15

- ◆ Panera lunch
- ◆ TGIF: NHD
- ◆ EPO Movie Night, Auditorium & Rm. 29, 6:30 to 8:30 PM

Tuesday, February 19

- ◆ Nest & Pri. to *How I Became a Pirate*, Overture, 8:45 to 11:20 AM

Wednesday, February 20

- ◆ Culver's lunch

Thursday, February 21

- ◆ Intermediate Asia Museum Displays, Commons, 10:15 to 11:10 AM
- ◆ Early Dismissal, Staff In-Service, 11:20 AM

Friday, February 22

- ◆ No School – Mid-Winter break

Saturday, February 23

- ◆ NHD Regionals
- ◆ District Solo & Ensemble

Monday, February 25

- ◆ No School – Mid-Winter break

What's Happening?

Alumni Panel – **POSTPONED Tonight**

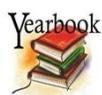
Due to inclement weather, our Alumni Panel discussion will not be held this evening. Stay tuned for a rescheduled date to hear from recent EAGLE grads about high school life. Questions? Contact counselor Heather Dampf at heather@eagleschool.org.

Fine Arts Night

Come one, come all to our celebration of the arts! Mark your calendars for EAGLE's Fine Arts Night on Wednesday, Mar. 6, from 5:30 to 7:00 PM. Every student will have one piece of artwork on display in our schoolwide art show. While you're here, complete an art show scavenger hunt, listen to Pitch Perfect sing their amazing songs, take in some student instrumental performances, peruse the book fair in the library, and read art-related books selected by librarian, Ellen Bunn. Help create pieces to be added to our large all-school mural which will be installed in the Commons! It is sure to be a fun night for all!

If you would like to volunteer to hang artwork in advance or assist in an art activity room on the evening of the event, please email MrsBeckett@eagleschool.org

Action Items



Time to Order Your Yearbook!

Now's the time to order your yearbook for the 2018-2019 school year. All students' photos will be included. Place your order online at ybpay.lifetouch.com before Mar. 21 using the yearbook ID code: **11876119**. Make sure that "EAGLE School of Madison" is displayed at the top of the page. A softcover yearbook is \$18 and must be paid for online. Please do not send any checks or money to school. Thank you!

Remember to Order Lunch

To place a Panera lunch order for Friday, Feb. 15, log in to EAGLE School's [PraxiSchool Parent Portal](#) before Sunday, Feb. 10, at midnight. We encourage you to click on "My Ordered Lunches" for each student and check for missed orders, doubled orders, and correct quantities. If you change an order using the "Preorder" page, you have to go to the "My Ordered Lunches" page to delete unwanted items.

Congratulations!

MATHCOUNTS Regionals

Last Saturday, the EAGLE MATHCOUNTS club took part in the Dane County regional meet. The event consisted of an individual test, a team test, and an on-stage elimination event for the top 16 individual participants.

In the individual round, seven of our ten students scored in the top 20: We placed 2nd, 4th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 16th, and 17th. In the team competition, EAGLE's four-member squad of Sammy R., Geoffrey H., Lukas W., and Joshua W. brought home the first place trophy for the first time in anyone's memory. Finally, in the on-the-stage elimination round, a test of speed, nerves, and mastery, Sammy took first place overall with Geoffrey a very close second! The EAGLE team, along with Justin D. and Amy Y., who qualified as individuals, will compete at the state meet in Sheboygan on March 2.

Congratulations to all of our mathletes, as well as their tireless coach, math teacher Erica Munson!

Robotics Team Advances to State!

EAGLE's robotics team, E-Storm, is excited to report a first place finish at the end of qualifying matches and a second place in the finals at the North Shore Wildkilt Qualifier last Sunday. As a result, E-Storm was selected to compete at the State Robotics Competition on Saturday, Feb. 9. Members of E-Storm include Luke E., Deidrich H., Cole J., Spenser K., Oliver L., Brynn R., Joshua W., Carson W., and Lukas W. We wish the team good luck at State this weekend!



2019 Regional Science Olympiad Results

Congratulations to the members of our Science Olympiad teams who took second (Team A) and eighth (Team B) place overall in the Regional Middle School Science Olympiad competition on January 25 at UW-Milwaukee. Here are our top finishers:

1st place: Liv A., Anya D., Kaitlyn D. (2), Joey K., Reena K., Oliver L., Hannah M. (2), Zan S., Gabby S., Max T., Lukas W.

2nd place: Laila A., Liv A., Lois B. (2), Anya D., Akasha F. (2), Reena K. (2), Hannah M., Annabel N., Gabby S., Max T., Lukas W., Amy Y. (2)

3rd place: Annabelle C., Elsa F., Akasha F., Gavin H., Henry H., Joey K., Reena K., Jeana K., Zan S., Ellie S., Grant S. (2), Gabby S., Kathryn S., Lukas W.

4th place: Laila A. (2), Liv A., Anya D., Akasha F., Gavin H. (2), Joey K., Zan S. (2), Daleep S., Grant S., Seamus S. (2) Katherine S., Kathryn S., Lukas W.

5th place: Kaitlyn D., Gavin H., Aakash K., Ellie S., Max T., Amy Y.

6th place: Liv A., Lois B., Oliver L., Annabel N. (2), Daleep S. (2), Grant S., Seamus S., Katherine S., Max T.

Student Council News

Talent Show Auditions!

Do you have a unique talent? Want to wow the school with your skills? Audition for the Talent Show! Solo acts should be 3-4 minutes long, while groups can be 4-5 minutes. Those using music should send songs to student council supervisor, Sarah Wright, at sarah@eagleschool.org. Sign-up sheets will be posted outside of Room 21 beginning Monday, Feb. 11. Auditions will be held during recess and lunch on February 18, 19, 20, 28, and March 1.

EPO News & Events

Join Us Next Tuesday!

On Tuesday, Feb. 12, the EPO will hold its monthly meeting, in the Commons, at 8:30 AM, and all parents are invited! Click [here](#) to view this month's agenda. If there's an item you'd like addressed, but you cannot attend the meeting, please contact EPO President Stella Krall at stellakrall@gmail.com.

A Week of Appreciation

Next week, February 11 – 15, has been designated "Educator Appreciation Week" at EAGLE School. The EPO has organized a number of activities to celebrate the hard work of our children's teachers and staff.

On Wednesday, Feb. 13, we are treating the wonderful teachers and staff to a "SOUPer" Educator Lunch in the Teacher's Lounge. Please use the [Sign Up Genius link](#) to volunteer to bring a savory soup or scrumptious salad for them to enjoy.

On Friday, teachers will be treated to a mini spa day in the staff lounge where they can sign up for a relaxing chair massage and enjoy a revitalizing snack or beverage.

This year, we are also asking families (and kids) to write a small note, or draw a picture, to express their appreciation for the teachers and staff on the "Graffiti Your Gratitude Board", found just across from the elevator near the office. The board will be up all week, starting next Monday. Be sure to stop and take a moment to say thanks!

EPO Family Movie Night

Our annual EAGLE Family Movie Night is scheduled for Friday, Feb. 15, from 6:30 to 8:30 PM. Enjoy a variety of munchies while you settle in to watch either *Small Foot* or *The House with A Clock in Its Walls*. Bring a blanket and wear your comfy movie watching gear! Movies will be screened in the Auditorium and Band Room, so please enter the school through the west entrance. If you can help with set-up, serving, or clean-up, please go to the [Sign Up Genius link](#) to volunteer.

Kēva Party a Huge Success!



Around 150 kids and parents attended last weekend's all-school family party at Kēva! This lively, fun-filled evening offered rousing volleyball games, competitive corn-hole challenges, hula hooping, tag, bouncy house fun, along with lots of other activities. This was a wonderful community-building opportunity for EAGLE families. We extend our sincere thanks to the parent volunteers who helped with food, supervision, set-up, and clean-up. We couldn't have done it without them!

Volunteer News

Please Report Your Volunteer Hours

All EAGLE parents should have received an email survey from Volunteer Coordinator Jimlene Pleva asking you to submit your second-quarter (Oct. 22 – Jan. 11) volunteer hours. Please complete the survey by Friday, Feb. 15, to let us know the many ways you have been sharing your time and talent with us. We truly appreciate all that you do to make our EAGLE community so special! If you have questions about the survey or to learn more about volunteer opportunities, please email jimlene@eagleschool.org.

Seeking Lunchroom Volunteers

If you are interested in volunteering to supervise in the lunchroom or during recess this spring, we would love to hear from you! We have **three openings in the coming week**, including tomorrow, Friday, Feb. 8. If you can help, please go to [SignUpGenius](#) to volunteer. Questions? Contact Volunteer Coordinator Jimlene Pleva (jimlene@eagleschool.org).



EAGLE Girls on the Run Coaches Needed

After leading the Girls On The Run program at EAGLE for many years, Tami Patel will be handing over head coaching duties to Tammy Thorson this season. They're now looking for volunteer assistant coaches with an eye toward continuing the tradition of GOTR at EAGLE for years to come. Please contact Tammy if you are interested in coaching one day per week, either Tuesdays or Thursdays, from 3:25 until 5:00 PM. The season begins on March 19 and concludes with a 5K run on June 1. Coaching counts toward your EAGLE volunteer hours! Girls in grades 3 – 5 can register for the team through the [GOTR website](#) beginning February 11. Daughters of coaches receive priority registration and can register now. Please contact Tami Patel (tjvangal@wisc.edu) or Tammy Thorson (tammy.thorson@gmail.com) with questions.

Extra-Curricular Fun!

Wednesday Walkabout & (Sometimes) Garden Club

There's still time to join! The Jan. 30 meeting will be rescheduled to a mutually agreed-upon date in the future.

Who: 3/4 and older

When: 3:25 to 5:30 PM on nine Wednesdays: Jan. 30, Feb. 13 & 27, Mar. 13, Apr. 3 & 17, and May 1, 15 & 29

Where: Room 25 to start, then outside

Fee: \$190

[Walkabout & Garden Club Registration Form](#)

Pitch Perfect

Music, movement, drama, and comedy!

Who: 5/6 through 7/8

When: 3:25 to 4:30 PM on Wednesdays, Feb. 13 through May 29

Where: Room 29 for snacks, then Auditorium for rehearsals

Fee: \$125

[Pitch Perfect Registration Form](#)

Origami Club

Internationally known Origami Master Ruthanne Bessman will help students create a variety of origami models.

Who: Int. through 7/8

When: 3:25 to 5:00 PM on Mondays, Feb. 11 & 18, Mar. 4, 11, & 18, and Apr. 1

Where: Room 24

Fee: \$135 includes supplies and snacks

[Origami Registration Form](#)



Chess Tournament – Open to All

The Wisconsin Chess Academy is hosting a K-12 chess tournament on Saturday, Mar. 2 at Madison's Howard Johnson Plaza Hotel. Members of EAGLE's chess club will be participating, but you don't need to be a member to play. Coach Alex Betaneli would like to see as many EAGLE students as possible take part. Both individual (based on age) and team prizes will be awarded at this beginner-friendly event. For more information about the tournament schedule and registration, view the [chess tournament flyer](#), or contact Alex at abetaneli@gmail.com or (608) 334-2574.

STEM Workshop for Girls

UW-Platteville is presenting a STEM workshop for girls in grades 5-8. Students will enjoy career exploration in STEM related fields such as agriculture, engineering, mathematics, computer science, astronomy, physics, animal science, sustainable energy, and more! The day includes keynote speakers, group activities, hands-on interactive breakout sessions, and lunch. Choose to attend either Tuesday, Feb. 26 or Tuesday, Mar. 26, from 8:00 AM to 2:15 PM. Pre-registration is required by visiting www.uwplatt.edu/ems/pioneering-your-future-stem at least one week prior to the workshop date. The cost is \$25 - 30 per student depending on when you register. For questions and additional information, please visit the aforementioned website, email pyf@uwplatt.edu, or call (608) 342-7137.

2019 Enrollment

Parent Visit Days

Only three more visit days remain for prospective EAGLE families with children entering grades K-8 in the fall. During these special mornings, our guests will have an opportunity to tour the school, meet with our director and counselors, and observe in classrooms. For more information, or to register for a Parent Visit Day, parents should email marykay@eagleschool.org. The dates of all parent visits can be found on our [EAGLE website](#).

Helpful Reminders

February Study Club

EAGLE's after-school Study Club provides students with two hours of teacher-supervised time (M-F, from 3:25 to 5:30 PM) for study and recreation. Participants may stay for one or both hours at a cost of \$12.00 per hour, per student. (If registering two or more days in advance, the cost is only \$10 per hour, per student.) Click [here](#) to access the Study Club sign-up for the month of February.

Quick-Glance Calendar

To assist with extracurricular planning, view our [February Quick-Glance Calendar](#) of after-school activities. Please reference this guide when signing up for Study Club and other activities.

Check for Lice

This is a friendly reminder to take some time to check your child for head lice carefully and consistently over the next few weeks. Over-the-counter and prescription medications are available for treatment. In addition to treating your child's hair with medicine, a nit (egg) comb should be used to remove nits and lice from the hair shaft. Laundering bedding and clothing in hot water is recommended to eliminate an infestation.

If you discover head lice on your child, please call us so that we may check other students in the same unit. (It would also be helpful to notify the families of your child's close friends, especially if the children have recently spent time together.) A child who has had lice may return to school after s/he has been treated and has no evidence of live lice. Learn more at https://www.cdc.gov/parasites/lice/head/gen_info/faqs.html.