

MARCH

IMPORTANT DATES!

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1st - PTO meeting 4:15 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.

Feb. 28 - March 4th - Dr. Seuss Week

9th - Last day of 3rd quarter

10th - No School - Teacher Work Day

11th - No School - Elementary Planning Day

13th - Daylight Savings Time - Spring Ahead

30th - One Book , One School Event

SPRING BREAK:

**MARCH 21st THROUGH
March 25th**

HAVE FUN AND BE SAFE!!

APRIL

2nd - Classroom Pictures

Dear Chipeta families,

As we welcome in the month of March and springtime, we wish to thank our families for the partnerships established with Chipeta teachers and staff to provide our students with a successful school year! Your continual engagement in your child's education is a vital component of his/her success throughout their educational career. Together we can help our students take an active role in being the "owner" of their learning and behavior through consistent and high expectations grounded in a caring and supportive environment.

Three things to anticipate this spring:

Spring Break - Your child has put in hard work this year and my hope is that this week is a refreshing and fun time for them.

Fourth Quarter Begins - This year our 3rd quarter wraps up on March 9th. This means our 4th quarter begins a full week and a half before we begin spring break. This year is flying fast!

CMAS Testing - 3rd, 4th & 5th grade will be participating in our state's annual assessment in Language Arts and Math beginning on April 5th. Additionally, our 5th-grade students will test in Science. You can be a big help to your child by making sure they get a great night's rest, a good breakfast, either at home or in our cafeteria and arrive at school on time.

As always, it is a pleasure and honor to work with such wonderful students, family, and staff on a daily basis. The Chipeta Elementary community is truly one of the greatest and I am proud to be a part of it.

Scott Spode
Assistant Principal

Daylight Savings
time is on
Sunday, March 13th.
Remember to set your
clocks forward one hour.



SAVE THE DATE

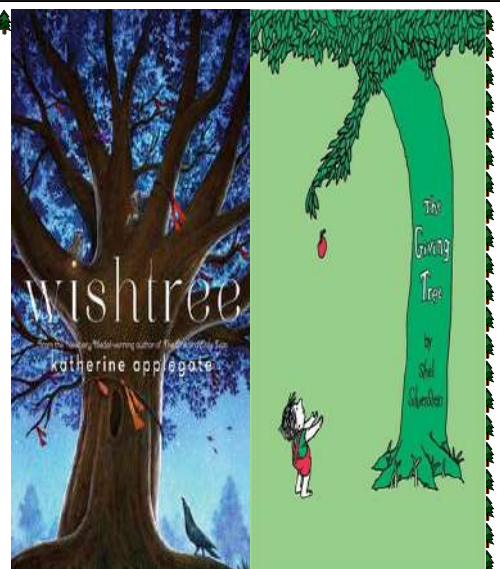
**Art Show &
Family Night**

To celebrate

One Book, One School

**Wednesday,
March 30th
5:30 - 7:00 PM**

**More information will
be sent home at a later
date.**



Thanks to all the
pizza eaters, and
to **Pablo's Pizza!**
Together we raised **\$600** for
Chipeta!!!





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Scott Spoeede, Assistant Principal

~Mission: At Chipeta - We Care, We Learn, We Grow~

Si usted desea una explicacion en espanol, favor de llama 254-6825

Please remember to call in your student's absence before 9:00 a.m.

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Dr. Seuss Spirit Week
February 29th - March 4th

- Monday: *Green Eggs & Ham*
Wear Green
- Tuesday: *Thing 1 & Thing 2*
Match with a friend
- Wednesday: *Happy Birthday Dr. Seuss*
Dress as your favorite character
- Thursday: *Cat in the Hat*
Wear Stripes & a Hat
- Friday: *Sleep Book*
Wear Pajamas



We can't thank the following people enough for sponsoring programs at Chipeta to make our school a better place to learn and grow!

- The Goodbody Law Firm
- St. Matthew's Episcopal Church
- Judith & Norman Friday
- Thaddeus Pruss
- Withers, Seidman, Rice, Mueller, Goodbody P.C.
- Pablo's Pizza
- City Market
- Community Members



Did you know?

If you purchase items at **American Furniture Warehouse**, and mention Chipeta Elementary to the salesperson, a percentage of the sales will benefit our schools.

It's as easy as that!

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WE LOVE OUR VOLUNTEERS!

Thank you for all you do!!!