



PRAIRIE ROSE ELEMENTARY  
APRIL 2023

# PANTHER BUZZ

*Learn Together - Live Together - Lead Together*

## A Word from Weiler

Panther Parents,

Can you believe we are already heading into the month of April? Hard to believe with our crazy weather. At the end of this month, we will begin the process of creating next year's classroom lists. We work hard to divide classrooms in a fair and equitable way, separate students that should not be together, and try to put students with a teacher that we believe would be the best fit. We hope you can all trust that we have each and every one of your children's best interests in mind and will make the class lists to reflect that.

We are sad to see several changes in our faculty. We will be losing Mrs. Lubken, Mrs. Larson, Mr. Smith, and Ms. Skaff. We wish them luck on their next grand adventure.

We have had several issues with dogs on our school grounds. To ensure the safety of our students, no dogs are allowed during school hours which includes the arrival and dismissal times, and after school hours, dogs are required to be on a leash. We want to make our playground and field a safe place for both children and dogs and reminding your friends and neighbors would be greatly appreciated.

Kindergarten registration is here! Click [here](#) to get registered for next year.

Lastly, I want to express my gratitude to our teachers and support staff at Prairie Rose. What a wonderful job they are doing keeping students engaged, learning, and excited about school each day during this crazy year. We are so lucky to have such a hard-working group of individuals. I hope each of you can show your gratitude in some way or another to our staff.

Happy Spring everyone!

Ms. Weiler

## RASP SUMMER PROGRAM

Just a reminder to sign up soon if you would like to get your child in the summer RASP program. Summer RASP will be held at Hagen. To sign your child up for the summer RASP program, please click [here](#).

## ADMINISTRATIVE PROFESSIONALS DAY

On Wednesday, April 26th, we will celebrate Administrative Professionals Day. We want to thank Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. Frank for their contributions in working with our students, their families, as well as our staff. We could not run this school without them!

## NORTH DAKOTA STATE ASSESSMENTS

Our students in grades 3-5 are in the process of showcasing all they know for the NDSA assessment. Attendance on these days, as with any day, is very important. Please encourage your child to do their very best and to be well rested and nourished for their test.

## DEVICE USAGE AGREEMENT

School device and accessories must be returned to Prairie Rose in the original condition at the end of the school year. If the device and/or accessories are not returned or are returned damaged, the cost is as follows:

Chromebook: \$300	iPad: \$299
Keyboard: \$60	Screen: \$249
Charger: \$30	iPad with case: \$350
Screen: \$30	Charger: \$50
	Case: \$50

## SOCIAL/EMOTIONAL LEARNING

April is Child Abuse Prevention Month, where we recognize the importance of families and communities working together to strengthen families to prevent child abuse and neglect. We will also be learning about careers and inspiring the students to dream about their future.

2D witnessed a future famous author! They were treated by Jessa, a 6th-grade student from DMS. She presented her children's book project that she is entering in a competition. She wrote AND illustrated her own book called "*Rocky's Journey*." She was PHENOMENAL!!!! She also talked with the class about how to persevere when they struggle as writers.



## **NO SCHOOL**

There will be no school April 6th - 10th.  
Enjoy your long break and Happy Easter!

## **EARLY RELEASE**

On Friday, April 28th, students will be released at 1PM so staff can participate in District Wide Professional Development.

## **SUMMER SCHOOL**

A link will be sent to parents for students who would benefit from the opportunity of attending summer school. In order for your child to attend summer school, they must be nominated by their teachers. Students who attend summer school must meet specific qualifications. Summer school will tentatively run July 24th - August 11th, Monday through Friday 8AM - noon.



Hello from your eCare School Nursing staff!!! We are excited to be a part of your school. For those of you who may not know us we are a group of experienced school nurses that are available to your children through telehealth technology. We are based out of Sioux Falls, SD and provide care to 82 schools and counting.

**How does it work?** At any time during the school day, a school staff member can request a consultation for a chronic or urgent health care need. Within minutes a registered nurse is available via video to assess the situation and advise the staff member on how to help your student. After the call is completed, the eCARE school nurse will contact the student's parents as needed to communicate information about the visit, so if you see an unfamiliar number, (605)606-0556, it just might be the nurse! ☺ We see students for diabetic management, asthma, seizures, everyday injuries and much more.

To learn more about a video visit watch <https://vimeo.com/421075726>

We look forward to having a Happy and Healthy school year!!!

**eCARE School Nurse Team**

CLASS OF 2036, ARE YOU READY?

# DPS KINDER KICK-OFF



**APRIL 18TH  
6:00-7:00 P.M.**



**YOUR SCHOOL**



## JOIN US!

Kinder Kick-off is an opportunity to get future students excited about Kindergarten and begin building the important partnership between home and school.

There will be fun activities for children and an opportunity for parents to ask questions about the school's procedures and programs.



Meet the teachers



Sign-up for Kinder events



Network with parents



Meet the principal



Register for Kindergarten



Free t-shirt

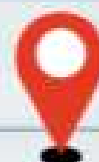


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