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## February 1, 2018

Everything you need to know about Forest Glen Elementary is found on our website:

[forestglenhssd.weebly.com](http://forestglenhssd.weebly.com)

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## NO SCHOOL - FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2018

### School Highlights

#### Spring Parent-Teacher Conferences

Conferences are set for the dates and times listed below.

- Tuesday, February 20  
4:00pm-7:30pm
- Thursday, February 22  
4:00pm-7:30pm



Conferences are scheduled using the online system [TEESO](#). The registration window is open **February 12 through midnight February 18**. Parents schedule a 10-15 minute time slot with their classroom and special education, ELL and/or speech teacher(s) if applicable. Other staff members are also available for a separate 15 minute time slot if desired. [Click here for instructions on how to schedule!](#) **If your child works with an English Language Learner teacher, Speech teacher or Special Education teacher, please [click here for additional instructions](#).** If you do not have internet access to schedule, please contact the school office at 662-7958. All parents are strongly encouraged to attend a conference with their child's teacher.

Please email the following staff members to schedule a conference with them if desired:

- Brenda Rank, GT Teacher - [brenrank@hssd.k12.wi.us](mailto:brenrank@hssd.k12.wi.us)
- Lyzette Maroszek, GT Teacher - [lyzemaro@hssd.k12.wi.us](mailto:lyzemaro@hssd.k12.wi.us)
- Tina Seiler, School Counselor - [tinaseil@hssd.k12.wi.us](mailto:tinaseil@hssd.k12.wi.us)

Also, Forest Glen will be hosting its annual **Spring Book Fair** in Pod C during parent teacher conferences. The book fair will be open at 4:00pm-8:00pm.

The **Grand Event** is back on **Wednesday, February 21** from

### School Highlights Continued

#### Memory Book Cover Contest Entries Due Tuesday AND 2017-2018 Memory Book Orders Due Monday!



This is your last chance to have your artwork on the cover of this years Memory book! What you need to do is:

- Get a white 8 ½ x 11 vertical piece of paper, leave an inch margin on the top and ½ in. margin on each side. Or use the template provided in the school office or [linked here!](#).
- Use crayons, markers, colored pencils or a combination of the three
- Include "Forest Glen" and 2017-2018 somewhere on your drawing
- Write your name and grade in pencil on the **BACK** of the drawing
- Turn in your entries into the office by **FEBRUARY 6!**

Have fun and be creative!

Any questions? Please contact Tammy Colassacco, [colassacco@yahoo.com](mailto:colassacco@yahoo.com)

Your child was given a personalized order form last week at school. If you wish to purchase a 2017-2018 Memory Book, orders and payment to Harmanns are due to school no later than **February 5**. Extra order forms are available in the school office

### Jump Rope for Heart February 5-9

All Forest Glen students will be participating in the event during

7:30am-8:45am in the gym. Students can bring grandparent(s) or that special someone to the event! All students attending must be accompanied by an adult. Complimentary beverages provided!

Please plan on attending our fair to help us put more books in the hands of our students at school and Forest Glen families at home, by connecting kids with books they want to read! All profit dollars earned from the book fair benefit Forest Glen by providing our students and teachers with opportunities to use those dollars to purchase books and build classroom libraries.

### Volunteers Make it Happen!

If you are able to help out before, during or after the book fair, please see the sign up information below:

PTO is using SignUp.com (the leading online SignUp and reminder tool) to organize our upcoming SignUps.

Here's how it works in 3 easy steps:

- 1) Click this link to see our SignUp on SignUp.com: <http://signup.com/go/RpwTGav>
- 2) Review the options listed and choose the spot(s) you like.
- 3) Sign up! It's Easy - you will NOT need to register an account or keep a password on SignUp.com.

Note: SignUp.com does not share your email address with anyone. If you prefer not to use your email address, please contact me and I can sign you up manually.

## Music Notes

See what's happening in music at Forest Glen by checking out Forest Glen Music Room Facebook page!



### Lineville Intermediate School Music Choices

In March parents of 4th graders will be asked to choose a 5th grade music class. Course descriptions and registration information will be available on March 14th, and parents and students will learn about band, chorus, and orchestra classes at Lineville. A selection must be made and the registration completed within two weeks.

Parents who desire more information at this time are invited to visit the music class websites, which are linked to the Lineville home page: <http://linevillehssd.weebly.com>



their physical education classes. [Read all about it here!](#)

## Notes from the Nurse

For current information regarding health issues, [click here!](#)

[Influenza information from Brown County Public Health](#)

**February is National Children's Dental Health Month.** The district has partnered with the Bridging Brighter Smiles organization to provide dental health services to students at school. [Please click here to read about the program and how you can take advantage of this program.](#)

## PTO News

Find the latest PTO meeting agendas, news, minutes, reports and order forms by [clicking here!](#)

Please join us for the next PTO meeting on **Tuesday, February 6 at 6:30pm** in the Library.



Sign up for HuTerra Rewards and give back to Forest Glen year round! Just download the app from the App Store or Google Play Store! Once you download the app, you can start earning money for Forest Glen!

[Watch how, here!](#)

- Forest Glen PTO has partnered with several area businesses to bring you regularly scheduled fundraising opportunities throughout the year. On the third Thursday of each month, a local business has offered to support Forest Glen with a fundraising event. When you order from that month's business, mention Forest Glen or bring in the flyer we'll send home and a portion of the proceeds will be donated to Forest Glen.

February 15, 20 - Figaro's/Cousins

March 15 - Marco's Pizza

April 18 - TBD

May 17 - Sweet Mimi's

## From Your School Board

### Referendum Update



Mark Ashley  
markashl@hssd.k12.wi.us

The Board of Education unanimously approved a resolution on an operational referendum for the April 3, 2018 spring election ballot. This referendum differs from the April, 2017 referendum, in large part, because of the duration. The Board listened to the community through surveys and the Community Task Force Committee. The feedback was clear that the recurring nature of the April, 2017 referendum was not acceptable. The 5 year duration on the



### Attendance Matters Program

The Milwaukee Bucks have partnered with Wendy's to offer the Attendance Matters Program. This program enables any student who achieves perfect classroom attendance during the month of February to receive a special complimentary ticket offer. Also, student attendees will receive a free kids meal at Wendy's and the opportunity to shoot a post-game free throw on the Bucks court during a game in March or April!

The Forest Glen office will track student attendance and those students who achieve perfect attendance during the month of February will receive a [ticket order form to be sent directly to the Milwaukee Bucks](#). Perfect attendance means a student has been in the classroom each school day in February from 8:45am-3:25pm.

### Importance of School Attendance!

If your child will be absent due to an appointment, it is recommended that you attain an excuse from your provider for the date and time of the visit and return the excuse to the school office. This will ensure that the absence is noted as an excused absence or tardy. Appointment cards will NOT be accepted as an excuse.

Call to report your child's daily absence by calling the school's attendance line at 662-7990.

**NEW!!** Report your child's absence online here: <http://forestglenhssd.weebly.com/electronic-absence-form.html>

Monitor your child's tardies and absences through the district website: <http://powerschool.hssd.k12.wi.us/public/>

[Click here](#) for more information about the importance of attendance from the State Superintendent's office.

### EMERGENCY CLOSINGS AND DELAYS

*Inclement weather may necessitate the closing or delay of schools. If schools are closed this will also include the cancellation of extracurricular activities and the events in the community pool unless otherwise announced. Please listen to local radio or television stations for school closings or delays. Such weather may also deter students from going outside during the school day. Please be sure that students are dressed appropriately for the weather. In addition to local radio and television, weather conditions can be checked on-line at [www.hssd.k12.wi.us](http://www.hssd.k12.wi.us).*

current referendum allows the district to address the immediate needs of class size, compensation, and facilities maintenance. As the Board works to address its financial challenges, we are committed to providing as much information as possible. For more information about the referendum, please visit [www.hssd.k12.wi.us/referendum](http://www.hssd.k12.wi.us/referendum). If you have any questions for the Board of Education, please reach out to your board member listed in this article.

## HOWARD-SUAMICO SCHOOL DISTRICT - REFERENDUM - APRIL 3, 2018

**FIVE YEARS**  
**\$5.85 million per year**

- ➔ Reduce class sizes
- ➔ Employee compensation
- ➔ Facility maintenance

**Neutral property tax impact**  
**NO INCREASE**

HOWARD-SUAMICO  
SCHOOL DISTRICT  
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### HSSD Board of Education Announces Referendum Plans for April 3, 2018 Election

Visit our website to learn more at [www.hssd.k12.wi.us/referendum](http://www.hssd.k12.wi.us/referendum)

### Community Corner



To access handouts/flyers for area community events [click here](#). The HSSD Community Page includes a Google Calendar list highlighting community events for families in the villages of Howard & Suamico i.e. scouting, festivals, parades, etc. Visit the Howard - Suamico School District Website for school events i.e. Holiday Concerts, Plays, Musicals, Athletic and Art events using our FREE Mobile App is available for the iPhone, iPad, and Android devices in both the iTunes App Store and also on Google Play.

- **[2018 BAY PORT YOUTH TRACK CLUB OPEN TO BOYS & GIRLS IN GRADES 3 - 4 - 5 - 6](#)** The program includes a T-shirt, free entry into Bay Port track meets, an introduction to and instruction in track and field



**Have you changed phone numbers, email addresses, work information, etc? If so, the new year-round student information update process for parents is available online!**

1. Parent/Guardian will log into the PowerSchool Parent Portal.
2. Once in the portal, choose the appropriate student (changes will need to be done for each child listed in the account).
3. Select InfoSnap Year Round Update on the left side under navigation. (This will take a couple seconds to populate the information that is currently in PowerSchool.)
4. Once the student information is populated, the parent/guardian is free to change the appropriate information such as primary mailing name, contact #, address, mother/father/guardian information, and emergency contact information.

## 2017-2018 HSSD Calendar Wisconsin Public Observance Days

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Upcoming Events			
Event	Date	Start Time	Location
<a href="#">Memory Book Order Window</a>	Wed 01/31	TBD	<a href="#">Forest Glen Elementary</a>
<a href="#">PTO Direct Donation Fundraiser</a>	Wed 01/31	TBD	<a href="#">Forest Glen Elementary</a>
<a href="#">Chess club</a>	Wed 01/31	10:45am	<a href="#">Classroom 35</a>
<a href="#">Champions - Before/After School Care</a>	Wed 01/31	6:00am	<a href="#">Commons/Lunch Room</a>
<a href="#">Timbertail Tech Team Meeting (Members Only)</a>	Wed 01/31	7:45am	
<a href="#">Mrs. Prokash's Class</a>	Wed 01/31	1:00pm	<a href="#">Gym - Small</a>
<a href="#">Champions - Before/After School Care</a>	Wed 01/31	3:00pm	<a href="#">Commons/Lunch Room</a>
<a href="#">Memory Book Order Window</a>	Thu 02/01	TBD	<a href="#">Forest Glen Elementary</a>
<a href="#">Champions - Before/After School Care</a>	Thu 02/01	6:00am	<a href="#">Commons/Lunch Room</a>
<a href="#">Student Council Meeting</a>	Thu 02/01	8:00am	<a href="#">Classroom 13</a>

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events, and a ribbon for every child during our club meets. All track club activities will occur at the Bay Port High School track facilities.

- **February 3 Einstein Expo** presented by WPS, Shopko Hall, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Expo Admission is \$4 at the door, (free for ages 2 & under). A day of fun, hands-on science, technology, engineering & math activities for families.
- **Sting Cancer Carnival for a Cure Event** - Friday, February 9, 2018 5:00pm-7:00pm before Bay Port vs. Preble boys' basketball game.
- **Neville Museum Free Admission Pass - Any day between March 11-April 8**
- **Early Bird Tickets Available For Taste of the Villages** The Taste of the Village and Auction to benefit The Giving Tree is offering early bird ticket pricing until April 1, 2018. Stop by one of the ticket locations at Thornberry Cottage, Piggly Wiggly, or Suamico Village offices to get your tickets at reduced prices or go to their website at <http://www.hssd.k12.wi.us/taste-of-the-villages-auction> for more information. Tables can be purchased early as well. This year's auction features food from over 13 local vendors including 1951, Anduzzi's, Breadsmith, Festival Foods, Gilligan's Bar and Grill, Legends, The Marq, The Oilerie, Olsen's Piggly Wiggly, Sam and Louie's, Subway, Townline and Zesty's. All monies benefit The Giving Tree and the health and welfare of our Howard-Suamico children in need. Make a difference and join us on April 19, 2018 at the Rock Garden for this amazing event!
- Saturday, March 17 - **Project Play 60 (9 a.m.-3 p.m.)** Lambeau Field Atrium Legends Club (4th floor). This is a FREE community event features activities that are sure to get kids up and moving.



### Requesting Use of HSSD Facilities

Our schools now use the Activity Scheduler from rSchoolToday as our School Calendaring system. All of the information is updated in real-time. This link **[rSchoolToday Calendar](#)** walks you through the process to view the events you choose. Once you choose what you want to see on the report it gives the option to subscribe to the calendar. Begin reserving by [clicking here!](#)

Requests for facility usage are subject to approval based on [administrative policy 7510](#).