

# Forest Glen Newsletter

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

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

[Staff Contact Information](#)

[Pre-Excused Absence Form](#)

[Student Pick-up Form](#)

By clicking the icons below, you can check out Forest Glen's Facebook page, Mrs. Sorenson's twitter page, or email the office staff.



## NO SCHOOL - FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2017

### School Highlights



#### Parent-Teacher Conferences Fast Approaching!

Conferences are set for the dates and times listed below.

Thursday, October 19 4:00pm-7:30pm  
Tuesday, October 24 4:00pm-7:30pm  
Thursday, October 26 8:00am-11:30am

The following staff members will only be available for the dates and times listed:

- Tricia Johnson, Art  
Thursday, October 19 4:00pm-7:30pm  
Tuesday, October 24 4:00pm-7:30pm
- Kyle Darmody, PE  
Thursday, October 19 4:00pm-7:30pm  
Tuesday, October 24 4:00pm-7:30pm
- Nicole Duhaime, Music  
Tuesday, October 19 4:00pm-7:30pm  
Tuesday, October 24 4:00pm-7:30pm
- Lindsay Gonwa, Speech Therapist  
Tuesday, October 24 4:00pm-7:30pm  
Thursday, October 26 8:00am-9:30am
- Brenda Rank, Gifted/Talented - Please call 662-7952 or email [brenrank@hssd.k12.wi.us](mailto:brenrank@hssd.k12.wi.us) to schedule a conference.
- Tina Seiler, Counselor - Please call 662-7943 or email [tinaseil@hssd.k12.wi.us](mailto:tinaseil@hssd.k12.wi.us) to schedule a conference.

Conferences are scheduled using the online system [TEESO](#). The registration window is **October 9 through midnight October 17**. Parents schedule a 20 minute time slot with their classroom teacher. Art, Music and PE staff members are also available for a separate 20 minute time slot if

### School Highlights Continued

#### Picture Order Forms Due Thursday!

Order forms were sent home **ON** picture day. The form with payment to Harmanns is due on Thursday, October 5!



#### School Store Closed for 2017-2018

Due to current lunch and recess schedules for the 2017-2018 school year, the School Store will be closed until further notice. Sorry for the inconvenience.



Each year, the Golden Apple Awards program improves community awareness of the quality of education in the Greater Green Bay area by recognizing high standards of professionalism, leadership and innovation in teaching with the Golden Apple Awards. Seven recipients (individuals and/or teams) are selected annually through a multi-level screening of anonymous applications and personal interviews. Selection criteria are based on the National Board of Professional Teaching standards, which identify the essential knowledge, skills and dispositions expected of experienced, quality teachers. To nominate an educator [click here!](#)

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.

## The Scholastic Book Fair is Coming to Forest Glen!

Forest Glen will be hosting the fall book fair, The fair will be in the gym during parent teacher conferences. The book fair will be open on the following dates:

Thursday, October 19	4:00 - 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday, October 24	4:00 - 8:00 p.m.
Thursday, October 26	8:00 - 11:30 a.m.

Please plan on attending and 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!

More information to come on our school homepage, as well as many volunteer opportunities! Please consider volunteering at our book fair! Hope to see you there!



### New This Year 2017-2018 Online Student Directory

Dear Parents,  
This year we are piloting a new student directory in which parents are asked to complete the google form linked here: [2017-2018 Student Directory Form](#). The

responses will then be shared electronically with **ALL** families of Forest Glen. Please submit your form responses by **TODAY**, September 29, 2017.

**Note:** Only those submitting the form will be included in the directory.

**Printed copies of the directory will not be available.**

## Music Notes

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



### International Walk to School Day- October 4, 2017

Walk to School Day is an annual event that promotes walking and bicycling for several reasons:

- Daily physical activity

## PTO News

### Kwik Trip Gift Cards

Order forms have been sent home. If you would like to place an order, forms with payment are due to school no later than **Tuesday, October 3**. If you need an order form, forms are available online at the [PTO web site linked here!](#)



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

### PTO Meeting Tuesday, October 2 @ 6:30pm in Library.

- 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.

October 19 & 24 - Figaro's/Cousins

November 21 - Texas Roadhouse

December 21 - Tapped

January 18 - Culvers

February 15, 20 - Figaro's/Cousins

March 15 - Marco's Pizza

April 18 - TBD

May 17 - Sweet Mimi's

- **Box Tops Collection Week 9/24-9/30** - for each General Mills box top collected and redeemed, PTO receives 10 cents! Collection box is at school in the hallway by the office.
- **HuTerra Rewards** is an EASY and FREE way to raise funds for your favorite nonprofit by just shopping for the things you need, like gas and groceries. For more information please click the link below: [www.HuTerra.com/info/rewards/](http://www.HuTerra.com/info/rewards/). Appleton North Football Club is still in the top spot. There are a number of schools coming on strong, see how your school is doing by clicking the link below: <http://www.shop-for-schools.huterra.org/leaders>. Time is running out, but still enough time to get your team into the top 10. Just forward this email to your family and friends to get more people earning HuTerra Rewards for your school. Be sure to tell them the school team you are supporting. Your team can still earn an extra \$10 for every new supporter you recruit. The extra \$10 is only valid for schools and programs that directly benefit our youth. A purchase at a participating businesses is required to earn the \$10. To download the My HuTerra app go to your app store.

## Board of Education News

### From Your Board – Important Survey Request

Dear Howard-Suamico Families,

We have been given the opportunity to better align the needs of the Howard-Suamico School District with community values

- Teaching safe pedestrian and bicycling skills to children
- Awareness of how walkable and bikeable a community is and where improvements could be made
- Concern for the environment
- Reducing traffic congestion, pollution and speed near schools
- Sharing time with community leaders, parents and children

To learn more about Walk to School Day and the benefits of walking, check out this web site:

<http://www.walkbiketoschool.org/>

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## Notes from the Nurse

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

**Brown County Public Health Children Flu (Influenza) Vaccine Clinic - Wednesday, October 11th from 3-6 pm**  
610 S. Broadway Street (2nd Floor)

### Please note:

- Flu Vaccine is free for ALL children ages 6 months through 18 years, regardless of insurance coverage.
- Spanish, Hmong and Somali interpreters will be available.**
- There is a \$20.00 charge for adult (19 years and older) flu vaccine.
- No appointment is needed.

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## 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.

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.

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### 2017-2018 HSSD Calendar

#### Wisconsin Public Observance Days

Want to add Forest Glen's Calendar to your calendar?

HTML: [Click here for the link!](#)

ICAL: [Click here for the link!](#)

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as we work to address the District's financial challenges. To that end, the HSSD Board of Education is asking adult community members to participate in a survey to assist in future referendum planning efforts. Information gained from this survey will be used to evaluate options that meet the community's needs, are financially responsible, and move the school district forward.

Visit [www.HSSDsSurvey.org](http://www.HSSDsSurvey.org)

This survey will take an estimated 15 minutes to complete and can be accessed until October 1, 2017. A reminder postcard will also be mailed to all Howard and Suamico residents next week. We respect your time and value your participation. Your answers will be anonymous. You can also request a paper copy and a prepaid return envelope at any school office or by calling 920-662-7878.

Sincerely,  
**Howard-Suamico School District Board of Education**  
Mark Ashley, President  
Teresa Ford, Vice President  
Laura Barnard, Clerk  
Lisa Botsford, Treasurer/Deputy Clerk  
Jeff Eilers, Director  
Rachelle Paulsen, Director  
Garry Sievert, Director

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## 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.

- Girls youth basketball, grades 3 through 8**, can now sign up for the Saturday clinic. Registration deadline is Sept. 28. <http://bayporthssd.weebly.com/youth-athletic-programs.html>
- Friday, September 29 - Bay Port Tailgate Event**
- Saturday, October 28, Aurora Bay Care 9th Annual Spooky Sprint** Register online at <https://www.aurorabaycare.com/spooky-sprint>



### FACILITIES USE CALENDAR

Have you used or are you interested in using the school facility for a meeting, practice, or other community event? If so, the Howard-Suamico School District uses a web-based Use of Facilities Calendar. The calendar link

is found at <http://fs-hssd.rschoolday.com/calendar/index/publicview/>

Events at various district facilities can be located by using the calendar.

If you are looking to request the use of one of the district's facilities, it's easy! Just click on the **Request Facilities** button from the calendar page and sign up. It's that simple. If you

have questions, contact the school office at 662-7958.  
Requests for facility usage are subject to approval based on [administrative policy 7510](#).

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**[Lunch and Breakfast Menus](#)**  
[2017-2018 Lunch Schedule](#)  
[Pay for lunch here!](#)

**HSSD Lunch Menu**