



# MESSENGER



Monthly Newsletter of Marshall Elementary School  
Home of the Eagles! 1450 Rhomberg Ave. Phone: 563-552-4100

Dear Marshall Families,

Spring is in the air and the month of March brings a lot of fun activities to our school including Spring Break, March 16-20. March will also be the end of Trimester Two for our students. Teachers will be working on entering grades and comments on report cards.

Please check for the completed online report cards on March 6th using your Parent Portal. As we look ahead to Trimester Three, remember to continue to work with your child(ren) at home reading and doing math every night. April and May will bring several District and State of Iowa assessment windows and we want our students to have the highest potential for success.

Teachers are working hard to ensure their students are ready for the Spring assessments. We are excited about the progress our students are making in the classrooms and are certain that we will achieve all of our goals during testing.

Thank you to all of our parents/guardians and students that attended the Spring Parent-Teacher Conferences. It is always such a positive time for teachers to talk about all the hard work and fun memories that are happening at Marshall with our students. We enjoy working with your child(ren) and love sharing and connecting with parents.

Also, thank you to our PTO for supporting our staff during conferences with delicious meals. Staff were able to take a break during their busy conference schedules to recharge. PTO - We appreciate you!

It is always great to see how amazing and supportive our Marshall community can be!

Yours in Education,  
Sheila Schmidt  
Principal

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## Our School's Mission Statement:

We are Marshall Eagles, soaring to excellence by being respectful, responsible and safe.



## KINDERGARTEN NEWS MS. DENLINGER & MS. SCHUELLER

Kindergarten recently celebrated the 100th day of school! Students have been anxiously counting days as part of the Number Corner in our new math curriculum, *Bridges*. Students represented each school day by adding a dot to a ten frame, adding a link to a chain, and writing on the number line. The excitement built up more and more with each day that passed! Counting to one hundred is an important skill that kindergartners work on throughout the year and we've had lots of fun practicing!

To celebrate the milestone, students dressed up as if they were 100 years old. They participated in many special "100 Day" centers. These centers included cup stacking with 100 cups, building with 100 pretzels and marshmallows, creating "pizzas" with 100 ingredients, adding 100 sprinkles to an "ice cream cone", flipping a coin 100 times, making a page for a class book and more. We also did a special 100 day workout with balloons and painted certificates with water colors. We are so proud of our students for becoming 100 days smarter. We are looking forward to continuing to count and learn for the next 80 days!



## CALENDAR

**MARCH 2 - 2020-2021 School Year**

Open Enrollment ends for Middle School & High School-4:30 pm

**MARCH 3**

Fourth Grade Field Trip to Mississippi River Museum

**MARCH 5 - PTO DINE OUT NIGHT**

Falbo Brothers Pizzeria / 3250 Kennedy Circle

From 4:00 pm to 9:00 pm / Dine In, Take Out or Delivery

**MARCH 8**

Daylight Savings Time / Remember Clocks Go Ahead 1-Hour

**MARCH 11**

Spring Pictures in the Morning

**MARCH 12**

Kindergarten Field Trip to Mississippi River Museum

**MARCH 16 - 2020-2021 School Year**

Open Enrollment Starts for Elementary Schools

**MARCH 16 to MARCH 20**

NO SCHOOL / Spring Break

**MARCH 31**

Second Grade Field Trip to the Art Museum

**MARCH 31**

Kindergarten Orientation for 2020-2021

At Marshall School- 5:30 PM TO 6:30 PM

Tour the school & meet our amazing staff!



**2020-2021  
AM & PM SESSIONS STILL  
AVAILABLE**

Forms are available from the Main Office, you will need to determine if you want your student to attend the AM or PM session for preschool, as classes are offered in half-day segments only. A birth certificate is required at the time of registration for proof of age. Students do not have to attend their home-school preschool. Please call Marshall's office with any questions at 552-4100. Spaces are limited and the registration is on a first come, first served basis.



MARCH 2020



# WHAT'S NEW, PTO?

Contact Marshall PTO at: [marshallptodbq@gmail.com](mailto:marshallptodbq@gmail.com)

Visit our FACEBOOK page: [Marshall School PTO](#)

## PTO MONTHLY MEETING DATE

PTO will meet on Monday, March 2 at 6:00 pm in the Marshall library. We would love to see more parents attending our meetings!

## PANCHEROS MEXICAN GRILL - FUNDRAISER TOTAL

Thank you to all the families that attended PTO's dine out, we raised \$121.87!

## NEXT UP: THURSDAY, MARCH 5 - DINE OUT FUNDRAISER - 4:00 PM TO 9:00 PM FALBO BROTHERS PIZZERIA - 3250 KENNEDY CIRCLE

Join Marshall families for delicious Falbo Brothers pizza, and they will donate 10% of their sales back to Marshall School! The fundraiser is good for dine in, pick up, or delivery orders!

## DUBUQUE FIGHTING SAINTS NIGHT

Thank you to all the families that joined us for the Marshall School hockey night. We sold over 50 tickets and cheered on the Saints to a WIN!!





MARCH 2020

# MARSHALL ACTIVITIES & AWARDS



**SPECIALIST AWARD GOES TO  
MRS. EVARTS 4TH GRADE!**



**ATTENDANCE AWARD GOES TO MRS. ZELL  
& MS. EDMINSTER'S 5TH GRADE!**



**MARSHALL BOOK  
~ FAIR ~  
PETE THE CAT VISITS  
& DRESS UP DAYS!**



**WE LOVE BUDDY DAYS! COMBINING  
DIFFERENT GRADE LEVELS FOR ACTIVITIES.**



# NORTH END NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS



## GET INVOLVED! #ReimagineComiskey

City of Dubuque Leisure Services is planning for the future of Comiskey Park and needs your input to make it a success!

What do you love most about Comiskey Park? What changes could you imagine? How can the park best serve all members of the Dubuque community? Tell us what you think!

### Help Create a Plan for Comiskey Park

The City has multiple fun-filled community input sessions planned. Please join us and share your ideas!

- ◆ **January 9, 2020: Community Kick-Off**  
6-8 p.m. @ Audubon Elementary School

**Kids Welcome  
& Food Served  
At All Events!**

- ◆ **February 8, 2020: PARKitecture Workshop**  
10 a.m. - 2 p.m. @ Fulton Elementary School  
*An interactive workshop for youth featuring Hip-Hop Architect, Mike Ford. The kids will use images and rap verses to create a vision for Comiskey Park. Lunch will be served.*

- ◆ **March 9, 2020: Park Plan Reveal**  
6-8 p.m. @ Fulton Elementary School

### Take the Re-imagine Comiskey Survey!



**Survey Link:** <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/XXXX>



Scan the QR code or visit [www.cityofdubuque.org/comiskey](http://www.cityofdubuque.org/comiskey) to:

- + Learn more about the project
- + Access the community survey online
- + Sign up to receive the Leisure Services brochure

### Questions or Comments?

Contact City of Dubuque Leisure Services  
[parkrec@cityofdubuque.org](mailto:parkrec@cityofdubuque.org) 563.589.4263

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*Masterpiece on the Mississippi*

