



The Buzz

Hoover Weekly Newsletter #15

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Calendar Notes

- February 21, Thursday-** District Orchestra Festival (Including Hoover Students), Senior High School, 6:30 pm
February 22, Friday- ONE-HOUR LATE START, SCHOOL BEGINS AT 9:35 AM
March 1, Friday- ONE-HOUR LATE START, SCHOOL BEGINS AT 9:35 AM
March 4, Monday-School day extended 25 minutes starting today. STUDENTS DISMISSED AT 3:50 PM
March 6, Wednesday- Spring Picture Day
March 8, Friday- ONE-HOUR LATE START, SCHOOL BEGINS AT 9:35 AM
March 12, Tuesday- 2nd Grade Arts Trek to Dubuque Museum of Art, 9:15-11:15 am
District Band Festival (including Hoover Students), Senior High School, 6:30 pm
March 13, Wednesday- 5th Grade Field Trip to Human Body Bee, Clarke University, 9:00 am-2:30 pm
4th Grade Field Trip to Mississippi River Museum, 9:00 am- 1:00 pm
March 15, Friday- ONE-HOUR LATE START, SCHOOL BEGINS AT 9:35 AM
Green Day- Wear Green to School Today

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A Note from Mrs. Haas: Thank you to all of our Hoover families for attending our spring conferences last week. Conferences are such a wonderful opportunity to share individualized information about your child's growth and to set goals for the remainder of the year. We had great attendance, and appreciate the opportunity to collaborate with you in your child's learning! In addition, special thanks to Kim Hodgson for coordinating parent volunteers to bring food and snacks for the staff. Thank you to all of the families that brought snacks, beverages, food and desserts for the staff to enjoy during conferences, they were delicious and much appreciated! We are truly grateful to have such wonderful and supportive families, thank you from each of us to each of you! ~Mrs. Haas

News from the Hoover Family Organization (HFO):

- **Parent Education Night, "Bullying Prevention"- Thursday, February 28- Please see flyer sent home with your child today for additional information.**
- **Please Join Us for our next HFO meeting Thursday, March 7 at 4:00 pm!** We will be discussing and planning our yearly fundraiser, as well as additional activities for the year.

School Day Extended by 25 Minutes: Due to the number of delays and cancellations within the district this winter, all schools will have the school day extended by 25 minutes beginning Monday, March 4. The dismissal time for Hoover PK will be 3:45 and the dismissal for Hoover K-5 students will be 3:50 pm. More information to come.

Grade 4/5 Vocal Music Concert TO BE RESCHEDULED: Due to the large number of days missed due to weather, our 4th and 5th grade students have not had the opportunity to adequately prepare for the vocal music concert, which we originally scheduled for March 5, 2019. With this in mind, the March 5 concert at Roosevelt Auditorium is cancelled. We are working on rescheduling at this time, and will send out a notice as soon as the new concert date is finalized and confirmed.

Hoover School Night at the Dubuque Fighting Saints: Please see the flyer sent home with your child today regarding Hoover School Night at the Dubuque Fighting Saints on Saturday, Mar. 9th. A block of tickets has been reserved for Hoover Families to attend the game at a discounted rate. Tickets will be sold on a "first come, first served" basis. Order forms are in your child's mailbag today. Please make any checks payable to Hoover Elementary School.

Hoover Preschool Registration for 2019-2020 School Year: We still have afternoon slots available for our afternoon pre-school program for the 2019-2020 school year. **Students eligible to register for the program must be 4 years old by September 15, 2019.** The afternoon session will run 12:50-3:20 pm Monday-Friday afternoons. **There is no cost for 4-year-old students to attend the program. (5-year-old students are not eligible for the preschool program at this time.)** All students must be transported by parents, and there will be no wrap around care available at Hoover School. Applications will be accepted on a first come, first served basis. If we receive more applications than available slots, you will be added to a waiting list. If you have any questions or concerns about this exciting preschool opportunity at Hoover School, please contact the Hoover School office.

Meal Information and Lunch Account Balances: Students who qualify for free/reduced meals must take a full meal to qualify for this benefit. If a child who is free/reduced takes just a milk, they will be charged the full amount of \$.50 for that item. Also, please take a moment to review the balance on your child's lunch account and make sure that the account is up to date. Thank you in advance for your cooperation!