

DAKOTA INDIANS



**Our vision is to prepare all students to make positive contributions in an ever changing world.
Our Mission is that Dakota Community Unit School District #201 will educate our Students by providing quality and diverse learning opportunities while collaborating with the community.**

Dakota Community Unit School District #201 District Newsletter

September 2017

Students, Staff, Parents, and Community Members,

Welcome to the start of another great school year. First, we're excited to welcome several new staff members to the Dakota family who include: Jason Grey (JH/HS principal) Christine Henke (art); Lisa Kuper (Elementary Special Education); Shannon Fisher (5th grade); Cindy Ziegler (5th grade); Dawn Hastings (Kindergarten); Kate Woessner (HS science); Brittney Gerstner (School Psychologist); Lisa Flynn (Elementary Instructional Aide); and Melanie Hull (Elementary Instructional Aide). We are fortunate to have so many gifted new people working with our students.

Second, we're excited about the impact of the facility modernization project that was completed over the summer because of the successful referendum. An incredible amount of work was completed over an eight-week period. The major highlights include:

- All classrooms, gymnasiums and cafeterias are now air conditioned;
- New double pane high energy efficient windows installed at elementary and high school/junior high
- Human centric lighting retrofitted in all classrooms which not only conserves

energy, but also enhances learning

- All required health, life safety work completed
- New ADA compliant bleacher systems have been installed in the high school gymnasium and football complex
- 1965 elementary boiler replaced with new energy efficient boiler
- Updated camera security system installed at high school and a new camera security system installed at the elementary building
- Electronic door access system installed at elementary and JH/HS to improve building security
- High school and elementary gymnasium floors sanded and painted
- Carpeting replaced in high traffic areas including libraries, music rooms and office complexes.
- New VOIP phone system installed at elementary and high school which eliminates long distance charges and permits extension communication between buildings

The facility modernization accomplished the major objectives of: 1) improving the learning environment; 2) improving safety and security; 3) conserving energy and reducing energy costs; 3) keeping Dakota proud! Our students, staff, and community will

enjoy the benefits of these projects for many years to come.

Additionally, the district is utilizing a new superintendent model this year with me and Craig Mathers sharing the responsibilities, each working part-time. I will work primarily Tuesdays and Fridays with Craig working mostly Wednesdays and Thursdays. While this model will be a work in progress, I will focus mainly on assisting with the instructional program, working with principals and staff, and assisting the school board in their governance role. Craig will primarily oversee the financial responsibilities of the district; working with personnel issues and board policy. Craig and I will appreciate everyone's patience as we work to execute the superintendent responsibilities effectively for the board, students, staff and community.

In other recent news, the school board held its regular August meeting on the 15th and addressed several important district business which included placing the FY 18 budget on display and reviewing the 2017-2018 District Improvement Plan. The school board has also reviewed the format for a community focus group session scheduled for Wednesday, November 1st at 7:00 p.m. at Dakota High School for the purpose getting feedback and input. For additional details of the meeting, please click on the following link: [8.15.17 board meeting summary](#).

Have a great year!

STUDENT SERVICES

Brittney Gerstner-Psychologist
Peggy Dieken-School Counselor
Diane Scaduto-Nurse
Kevin Cline-Academic Advisor

SCHOLARSHIPS: As soon as scholarships become available, they will be listed outside the Guidance Office, included in future newsletters, and posted on the district website. Most of the scholarships posted over the next few months will be for the national and state level. Most local scholarships don't begin arriving until the spring.

FINANCIAL AID NIGHT: There will be a financial aid night on September 12th at 6 p.m. for all parents who would like to learn more about the process of applying for and obtaining financial assistance for college. Specific details and help in completing the FAFSA form will also be available. In addition, Highland Community College will have reps here that night beginning at 5:30 p.m., to offer interested parents a better look at the Highland experience.

Any parent that would like to sit down one on one and discuss either the college process or the financial aid process, please feel free to contact Mr. Cline in the Guidance Office anytime at 844.632.5682 x-386 to schedule an appointment.

TESTING: The following dates are reserved for special testing during the 2017-2018 school year:

October 11, 2017	PSAT (optional Grade 11)
Spring 2018	PARCC Test (Grades 7/8)
April 10, 2018	SAT (required Grade 11)

ACT: Juniors or seniors wishing to take an ACT test may register for the next test at Highland Community College, Saturday, **October 28th**. Students must register online at www.act.org. The cost is \$46.00 for the basic ACT or \$62.50 for ACT plus Writing. See Mr. Cline if you have questions or need help registering. *Deadline for registration without a late fee is September 22nd.*

SAT Re-Takes: Any seniors wishing to re-take their SAT at Highland Community College may register and pay at www.sat.org/register. Fall 2017 test dates are October 7, November 4, and December 2nd.

PSAT: Juniors wishing to take the optional PSAT test on **October 11th** need to sign-up with Mr. Cline during the month of September. An explanation of the test will be given during U.S. History classes. The PSAT is a practice for the actual SAT test which all juniors will take this spring. This test also enters students in the prestigious National Merit Scholarship competition. Students must pay a \$15 fee on the day of the test to cover scoring costs, etc. *While completely optional, this is a great opportunity for serious college-bound students to practice taking an SAT test.*

SAT: The state of Illinois recently opted to replace the mandatory, state-funded ACT with the SAT exam. **All high school juniors are required to take the SAT free of charge, right here at DHS on April 10th.** Our teachers will be helping students to prepare for this slightly different college entrance exam. It is recommended that students take the PSAT (mentioned above) this fall as practice.

Experience Highland: Any seniors interested in attending Highland Community College next year may sign-up to attend a visit to campus this fall. The exact date is yet to be determined. Students will receive a campus tour and hear speakers discuss topics such as academics, registration, activities, financial aid, etc. This is NOT the spring registration trip to HCC. Details on that will arrive in February.

PARCC: The state mandated PARCC test will be administered to 7th and 8th graders. Testing will be done sometime during the window of **March 5 through April 20, 2018**. More specific information will follow in the months ahead.

What should your college-bound senior be doing in the month of September?

1. Completing on-line applications for all colleges they are seriously considering.
2. Looking to attend college open house days for schools they are interested in. Most schools will have visit days on Columbus Day in particular.
3. Encouraging their parents to attend the financial aid night September 12th.
4. Signing up for the Experience Highland trip this fall if they are considering HCC.
5. Deciding whether or not to re-take the SAT or ACT this fall. Higher scores may help come scholarship season.

Athletic Booster News

Don't forget to save October 7 for the Brewery/Winery Tour. More information will follow next month!!

The flamingos are back and may be landing in your neighborhood during the month of October. As in prior years, a portion of the proceeds will be donated to the American Cancer Association. It is always great to see the flamingo sightings in the area. If you are interested in having the flocks visit someone OR would like to protect your lawn from the flock, see the forms within this newsletter. Happy flocking!!!

Thank you to everyone who donates their aluminum cans. For those that do not know, there is a cage behind the high school where aluminum cans can be placed for recycling. We appreciate your support!

ELEMENTARY NEWS

PRE-K THROUGH 6TH GRADE SCHOOL PICTURES

School pictures for all elementary students will be taken on **Wednesday, September 20th**. The order forms with price information will be sent home with students prior to picture day.

PTO MEETING:

The first PTO meeting will be Wednesday, September 13th @ 3:15 in the Elementary Library.

Calling all DHS Band Alumni!

Come re-join the Dakota High School Marching Band at Homecoming this year! We are inviting you to bring your instrument and join us at the Homecoming Game and perform with the current band for our Pre-game show. Homecoming is on September 29th. We will meet for a quick rehearsal in the High School Music Room at 6:00pm. Please plan to arrive at 5:45 to obtain music and instruments. The pregame will take place at approximately 7:15pm. Music for the pregame includes "Tribute to America", "On Dakota" and "The Star Spangled Banner". Dress for the alumni members is your favorite Maroon and White band shirt, sweatshirt and jeans. RSVP's are required so we can secure an instrument and provide enough music. Please contact Annette Hackbarth, Band Director via email ahackbarth@dakota201.com or phone 844-632-5682 ext. 365 by September 25th. We look forward to you joining us for the evening!!

PARENT ASSISTANCE SPORTS PROGRAM

The Parent Assistance Sports Program offers **FREE** admittance passes to home events. If you work 3 games in ticket booth, doors, concession, scorers, track and field timers you receive a single-sport season pass. If you work 5 games you will receive an all-sport Season Pass. Sign up will be done at registration.

MUSIC NEWS

Upcoming Events:

September 7 Fifth Grade Band Recruitment Night – 7:00pm – DHS Music Room

September 9 Dakota High School Marching Band @ Lena Fall Festival Parade

September 15 Dakota High School Marching Band @ Home Football Game

September 18 Dakota High School Choir (Star Spangled Banner) @ Home Volleyball Game

September 26 Highland Fall Choral Festival @ HCC for students auditioning for ILMEA

September 28 Music Department Taco Dinner at the HS serving from 4:30-6 pm. Dinner is \$4.00 per person

September 28 Dakota High School Marching Band @ Dakota Homecoming Parade

September 29 Dakota High School Marching Band and Alumni Band Members @ Homecoming Home Football Game

Fifth Grade Beginning Band



Students will make an important decision as they begin Fifth Grade....should I join the band? Joining the band will offer many opportunities for students. On August 28, 29 and 30, students were given a presentation about band and the instruments during the school day. Then on Thursday, August 31st, during the day, students had a chance to try instruments as we conducted mouthpiece testing. Mouthpiece testing will ensure that your student has the proper instrument fit. We worked with each child to find the right instrument for each student based on the sound they can produce and their mouth and body structure.

On September 7th, we will have the Fifth Grade beginning band rental night. This will be held at the High School Music Room at 7:00pm. Information regarding the rental of instruments and purchase of equipment and supplies needed to join band will be presented. If you have a used instrument that you would like your child to use, you should bring this to the meeting to be checked to make sure it is working properly.

Joining the band and studying music will allow students the opportunity for self-expression, creativity and achievement. Music can enhance higher brain function, improve reading and math performance and provide important experiences for students. Band is also FUN! Join the Band!!!

ANNUAL NOTICES

SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS

The Dakota School District has comprehensive programs in the areas of vision, hearing, and school achievement. Staff members identify children who would benefit from additional instruction and guidance. The school then makes an attempt to specifically identify areas where help is needed and plan instruction and guidance in those areas. Parents are strongly encouraged to participate in the planning and carrying out of plans in these areas. If there are areas of disagreement between school personnel and the families involved, every effort will be made to resolve those differences following State regulations. In almost all cases, part of the plan will be to place an identified child in a resource room with a teacher who is specially trained for instruction in those areas. The resource teachers in the Elementary Building are Mrs. Curry and Mrs. Kuper. The preschool (Early Childhood)/PASS programs teacher is Mrs. Keith. The resource room teachers in the Jr.-Sr. High School are Mrs. Bradt and Ms. Bennett. In addition to the services provided at Dakota, there are other services in Rockford and Freeport from which some of the students benefit. These include programs for students with hearing difficulties, vision difficulties and physically handicapped to mention some. In some cases, the programs continue up to age 22. All parents have a right to receive, upon request, a copy of the rights of exceptional children and rules pertaining thereto. Please contact your child's building principal or special education teacher.

ANNUAL NOTICE ASBESTOS MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

An October 22, 1986, President Reagan signed the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA), Public Law 99-519). The act required the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to develop regulations for addressing asbestos in public and private elementary and secondary schools. On October 30, 1987, the EPA published the Asbestos-Containing Materials in Schools Rule (40 CFR Part 763 Subpart E). This rule stipulated, and our district has complied with the following key requirements:

- Identification of asbestos-containing materials in all school buildings.
- Development and implementation of asbestos management plans for each school.
- Regular surveillance and re-inspections of the condition of asbestos in the buildings.
- Designation and training of a person to oversee asbestos activities within the district and to ensure compliance with the regulations.

This memorandum is to advise you that asbestos management plans for the district schools were developed following the EPA ruling. These plans are regularly updated and are available for you to review.

Should you have any questions regarding this program or would like to review an asbestos management plan, please contact the Board of Education offices during normal business hours.

Asbestos surveillance was completed June 1st, 2017.

NOTICE OF RELEASE OF DIRECTORY INFORMATION

School Districts must notify parents and students of their rights under the *Illinois School Student Records Act (ISSRA)*, 105 ILCS 10/1 *et seq.*, and the *Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)*, 20 U.S.C. §1232g *et seq.* Notification is hereby given concerning the following:

- Information that may be designated as directory information shall be limited to (a) address, e-mail address, gender, grade level, birth date and place, and parents' names and address; (b) academic awards, degrees and honors; (c) information in relation to school sponsored activities, organizations and athletics; (d) major field of student; and (e) period of attendance in the school. "Directory Information" may be released to the general public, unless a parent informs the building principal in writing within ten (10) school days after publication of this notice that such information respecting his/her child shall not be released.
- You may inspect and copy records (following district policy guidelines) within 15 school days from the date of official request.
- Copy (following district policy guidelines) any student records proposed to be destroyed or deleted.
- No person may condition the granting or withholding of any right, privilege, or benefit, or make as a condition of employment, credit, or insurance, the securing by any individual of any information from a student's temporary record which such individual may obtain by the exercise of any right secured by Illinois law.

**Military Recruiter's
Access to High School
Students' Directory
Information**

Notification is hereby given that the *No Child Left Behind Act* requires every district serving high school students to provide military recruiters with students' names, addresses and telephone numbers.

- Upon military recruiters' request, the district will provide access to the students' names, addresses, and phone numbers, unless the parent informs the building principal in writing within ten (10) school days after publication of this notice that such information respecting his/her child shall not be released.

**Parents' Right to Inspect
Particular Instructional
Materials**

Parents have the right to inspect instructional materials, including teachers' manuals, films, tapes, or other supplementary material that will be used in connection with any survey, analysis, or evaluation of their child. 20 U.S.C. §1232h. Notification is hereby given concerning the following:

- Parents have the right inspect a survey created by a third party before it is administered and distributed to their student. Surveys will be given to students unless the parent informs the building principal in writing within ten (10) school days after publication of this notice that he/she would like to inspect third party surveys before administration and distribution of said surveys.
- Parents have the right to inspect instructional material used as part of their child's educational curriculum. Requests for inspections of such materials are made to the building principal in writing giving at least three (3) school days' notice.
- Materials will be available for inspection in the building principals' office.

Not Riding the bus call 815-232-0580.

**2017-2018
School Calendar**

August 21	Teacher Institute
August 22	Teacher Institute
August 23	First full day of student attendance
September 4	No School - Labor Day
September 8	Early Release @ 11:30 - SIP Day
October 6	Early Release @ 11:30 - SIP Day
October 9	No School - Columbus Day
October 12	4-7:30 PM Parent Teacher Conferences
October 19	4-7:30 PM Parent Teacher Conferences
October 20	End of Quarter 1
November 10	Early Release @ 11:30 - SIP Day
November 22	No School – Thanksgiving Break
November 23	No School - Thanksgiving Day
November 24	No School - Thanksgiving Break
December 8	Early Release @ 11:30 – SIP Day
December 21	End of Quarter 2
Dec 22-Jan 2	No School - Winter Break
January 3	School Resumes
January 12	No School – Teacher's Institute
January 15	No School – MLK Birthday
February 16	Early Release @ 11:30 – SIP Day
February 19	No School – Presidents' Day
March 9	End of Quarter 3
Mar 26 – Mar 30	No School – Spring Break
April 27	Early Release @ 11:30 – SIP Day
May 28	No School - Memorial Day
May 31***	Tentative Last day of Student Attendance
June 1***	Tentative Teacher Institute
***	Tentative Last Day based on using all 5 Snow Days

As the Football season begins we would like to welcome you to our newly upgraded Football facility-New bleachers, New scoreboard and a New paved walk path. We hope you enjoy the upgrades. We want to remind you that the path is for walking. No vehicle traffic and please no chairs are to be set on the walking path.



You've Been Flocked!



Be in the pink with the Dakota Athletic Boosters! A good natured fundraising event will be held the entire month of October. This event will not only benefit our student athletes but also Breast Cancer Awareness. October is Breast Cancer Awareness month.

Here's how it works! A flock of flamingos will be migrating through the Dakota district during the month of October. The flock will mysteriously land in several lawns. To remove flamingos by our Relocation Team, the home owner can make a small donation and suggest the next location for the flock to land. Instructions will be included with the flock of flamingos.

Protecting your property: Insurance is available for a limited time to protect your beautiful yard from these pesky birds. See the back of this letter for purchasing information.

Landing a flock: To order the flock to land in someone's yard, simply fill out the order form on the back.

Turn in completed forms to Julie Ryan at the Elementary School or call Emily Moyer (815)275-3365 or Kathy Sutherland (815)541-2011.

Thanks for your humor and support!





“No-Flocking” Insurance



The purchase of this No-Flocking Insurance guarantees that no flock of flamingos will roost on my lawn as they migrate around the Dakota area during the course of this fundraising event. The cost of this Insurance requires a Premium of only \$10. Insurance can be purchased until Friday, September 26. Remember preorders for flocking friends will also be taken. Get your insurance early to avoid these pesky flamingos. Please return completed form to Julie Ryan at Dakota Elementary School or call Emily Moyer (815)275-3365 or Kathy Sutherland (815)541-2011. Mark envelope “You’ve Been Flocked”.

Policy Holder Name: _____

Policy Holder Address: _____



Flock a Friend Order Form



Your Name (or can be anonymous!) _____
Name of Individual or Business to be Flocked:

Address: _____

Note: Flamingos are not allowed to land on public property or at apartment complexes.



Would you like to be notified when the flock lands?

If yes, contact info: _____

For \$25, a small flock (approximately 25 flamingos) will land in your friend’s yard! Please return completed form to the Dakota Elementary School in care of Julie Ryan or call Emily Moyer (815)275-3365 or Kathy Sutherland (815)541-2011. Mark envelope “You’ve Been Flocked”. Thank you for your humor and support!


Elementary

SEPTEMBER 2017

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>1% MILK SERVED WITH EVERY MEAL</p> <p><i>Juice & Fruit served with every Breakfast</i></p>	<p>MENU SUBJECT TO CHANGE</p> <p><small>HG = Whole Grain Nutritional information is available in the office.</small></p>			<p>1 <i>Sausage, Egg on a Muffin</i></p> <p>Ham & Bacon Sub, Oranges, Garlic Peas</p>
<p>4 NO SCHOOL</p>	<p>5 <i>French Toast and Sausage Patty</i></p> <p>Taco w/ Wrap, Spanish Rice, Corn, Mandarin Orange</p>	<p>6 <i>Pancake Pup</i></p> <p>Cheesy Roll-up, Garlic Bread, Broccoli, Pineapple</p>	<p>7 <i>Pancake, Bacon</i></p> <p>Turkey, Dinner Roll, Mashed Potatoes w/ Gravy, Green Beans, Peaches</p>	<p>8 <i>Cereal and Gogurt</i></p> <p>EARLY RELEASE 11:30 (NO LUNCH)</p>
<p>11 <i>Cheese Omelet, Slice of Bread</i></p> <p>Stuffed Crust Pizza, Corn, Applesauce</p>	<p>12 <i>Oatmeal, Cheese Stick</i></p> <p>Rotini/Meat Sauce, Bread Stick, Broccoli, Pears</p>	<p>13 <i>Waffle, Sausage Links,</i></p> <p>Chicken Patty on a Bun, Peas & Carrots, Orange</p>	<p>14 <i>Biscuits & Gravy</i></p> <p>Fish, Slice of Bread, Coleslaw, Strawberries</p>	<p>15 <i>Cereal, Cheese Stick</i></p> <p>Corn Dog, Mixed Vegetables, Apple Slices</p>
<p>18 <i>French Toast, Sausage Patty</i></p> <p>BBQ on a Bun, Carrots, Applesauce</p>	<p>19 <i>Egg and Cheese Biscuit</i></p> <p>Chicken Strips, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Mandarin Oranges</p>	<p>20 <i>Fruit Muffin, Gogurt</i></p> <p>Pepperoni Pizza, Corn, Mixed Fruit</p>	<p>21 <i>Bacon & Cheese McMuffin,</i></p> <p>Macaroni & Cheese, Green Beans, Peaches, Dinner Roll</p>	<p>22 <i>Cereal & Gogurt</i></p> <p>Hamburger on a Bun, Mixed Vegetables, Pineapple</p>
<p>25 <i>Fruit Muffin, Cheese Stick</i></p> <p>Hot Dog on a Bun, Baked Beans, Pears</p>	<p>26 <i>Cheese Omelet, Bacon</i></p> <p>Biscuits & Gravy, Peas, Strawberries</p>	<p>27 <i>Sausage & Cheese Muffin</i></p> <p>Meatballs in sauce, Slice of Bread, Green Beans, Peaches</p>	<p>28 <i>Pancake, Sausage Links</i></p> <p>Taco Salad, Carrots, Apple Slices</p>	<p>29 <i>Cereal, Cheese Stick</i></p> <p>Ham & Cheese Sub, Corn, Orange</p>

High School

SEPTEMBER 2017

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>1% MILK SERVED WITH EVERY MEAL</p> <p><i>Juice & Fruit served with every Breakfast</i></p>	<p>MENU SUBJECT TO CHANGE</p> <p><small>WG = Whole Grain Nutritional information is available in the office.</small></p>		 <p><i>Lunch</i></p>	<p>1 <i>Scrambled Eggs w/ Vegetables, Fruit Muffin</i></p> <p>Orange Chicken over Rice, Broccoli, Egg Roll, Peaches, Fortune Cookie</p>
<p>4</p> <p>NO SCHOOL</p>	<p>5 <i>Breakfast Pizza, Yogurt</i></p> <p>Pork Tenderloin on a WG Bun, Cheesy Broccoli/Cauliflower, Pineapple, Cheez-Its</p>	<p>6 <i>Cinnamon Roll, Fruit Parfait</i></p> <p>Beefy Ravioli Bake, Peas & Carrots, Pears, Garlic Stick</p>	<p>7 <i>Ham/Cheese Muffin Pizza</i></p> <p>Chicken Parmesan, Italian Green Beans, Mandarin Oranges, Cheesy Flatbread</p>	<p>8 <i>Breakfast Bake, Breakfast Cookie</i></p> <p>EARLY RELEASE 11:30 (NO LUNCH)</p>
<p>11 <i>Blueberry Waffles, Sausage Patty</i></p> <p>Chicken Fajita Wrap w/ Peppers, Onions, Broccoli/Cauliflower, Applesauce</p>	<p>12 <i>Cheesy Eggs/Ham /Potato, Bagel w/Cream Cheese</i></p> <p>Corn Dog, Cowboy Beans, Mixed Vegetables, Peaches, Chocolate Grahams</p>	<p>13 <i>Breakfast Slider</i></p> <p>Turkey/Bacon Melt, Macaroni Salad, Baby Carrots w/Dip, Strawberries</p>	<p>14 <i>Biscuits & Gravy</i></p> <p>Pork Roast Dinner, Mashed Potatoes w/ Gravy, Glazed Carrots, Mixed Fruit, Dinner Roll/Butter</p>	<p>15 <i>Strawberry French Toast, Sausage Links</i></p> <p>Pizza, Garden Salad w/Dressings, Celery w/ Peanut Butter, Pineapple, Gogurt</p>
<p>18 <i>Breakfast Burrito</i></p> <p>Chicken Potato Bowl, Peas & Carrots, Applesauce, Cheesy Bread</p>	<p>19 <i>Cereal, Bacon, Donut</i></p> <p>Spaghetti w/ Meat Sauce, Green Beans, Mandarin Oranges, Garlic Toast</p>	<p>20 <i>Ham/Cheese Biscuit</i></p> <p>Cheesy Hashbrowns, California Blend, Mixed Fruit, Dinner Roll w/ Butter</p>	<p>21 <i>Pancake, Sausage Patty</i></p> <p>Chicken Enchilada, Corn, Peaches, Snack Cracker, Yogurt</p>	<p>22 <i>Bacon, Egg, Tot Bake</i></p> <p>Cheeseburger on a WG Bun, Tater Tots, Celery w/ Peanut Butter, Pears</p>
<p>25 <i>French Toast, Sausage Links</i></p> <p>Macaroni w/ Cheese and Ham, Mixed Vegetables, Pineapple, Bread w/ Butter</p>	<p>26 <i>Western Omelet, Tri Tater</i></p> <p>Sloppy Joes on a WG Bun, Coleslaw, Little Reds, Mixed Fruit</p>	<p>27 <i>Bacon/Egg/Cheese Sandwich</i></p> <p>Cheesy Chicken Potato/Bacon Bake, Broccoli, Oranges, Pretzel Roll</p>	<p>28 <i>Apple Bosco Stick, Scrambled Eggs</i></p> <p>Biscuits w/ Gravy, Glazed Carrots, Pears, Garlic Stick</p>	<p>29 <i>Puffed Pancake Casserole</i></p> <p>Taco Salad, Spanish Rice/Black Beans, Peaches, Peas, Cornbread</p>

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thr	Fri	Sat		
27	28	29	30	31	5:30 HSFB @ AFC (Franklin Ctr) HSVB @ Oregon Tourn	HSVB @ Oregon Tourn		
3	No School Labor Day	5:30 JHFB vs Forreston 4:00 Golf vs Aquin	4:00 Golf vs Stockton	5:30 JHVB vs Aquin 6:00 HSVB @ Durand (No Freshman game)	Early Release @ 11:30 SIP Day 5:30 HSFB @ Forreston	JHVB @ Oregon Tourn HSVB @ Byron Tourn		
10	5:00 HSVB vs Pecatonica Grade 7-12 School Pictures 5:00 JHVB vs Forreston	5:30 JHFB @ Le-Win 4:00 Golf @ East Dubuque	13	5:30 JHVB vs Durand 6:00 HSVB @ Orangeville (No Freshmen Game) 4:00 Golf vs Forreston	15	5:30 HSFB vs East Dubuque HSVB @ F/S Stillman Valley Tourn		
17	5:00 HSVB vs Aquin 5:30 JHVB @ South Beloit	4:00 Golf vs Lena	PreK-6 School Picture Day	21	22	5:30 HSFB @ DuPec JHVB @ 7th Gr Pearl City Tourn		
24	5:30 JHVB @ Stockton 6:00 HSVB vs Durand (No Freshman game)	5:30 JHFB vs Stockton 5:30 JHVB vs Orangeville 5:00 HSVB vs AFC	27	4:30 JHVB @ Pecatonica	5:30 JHVB @ Aquin 5:00 HSVB @ Amboy 9:00 Golf NUIC Conf	29	30	5:30 HSFB vs West Carroll Homecoming Dance

Educational Rights of Illinois' Children & Youth in Homeless Situations

*It's your right.....*Do you know someone who is homeless and has children or teens needing to get to school?

ATTENDANCE IS IMPORTANT TO SCHOOL SUCCESS.

Homeless children have the right to:

- Stay in their old school OR
- Go to the school near where they are staying.
- Immediate enrollment, even without records
- Transportation to school, if needed.

Illinois schools have people called liaisons who work to help children and teens who are homeless get to school and stay there. If you have any questions about the educational rights of homeless children and youth in Illinois, you can call any of the following:

Your Local School Homeless Liaison: Bob Prusator (844) 6DA-KOTA or 844-632-5682

The Opening Doors Project: Adult Learning Resource Center (847) 803-3535

Regional Office of Education #26 <http://homelessed.net>

Illinois Coalition to End Homelessness (708) 848-0503

Information Hotline IL State Board of Education (800) 215-6379

