

Sand Lake Elementary

The week of February 13, 2023

VIKINGS ROW TOGETHER

**Reminder- No School Friday, February 17th & Monday,
February 20th**

Notes from the Office

- Please plan on students going outside for recess daily (wind chill is monitored). They also occasionally go outside for gym or classroom activities. Coats, hats, gloves and boots are all needed for cold weather.
- We encourage parents to send in chapstick and reusable water bottles with their child each day. Due to allergy concerns, we do not have lip balm to offer students.
- **According to district policy, cough drops are considered a medicine, therefore must be kept in the office and brought into school by an adult.**
- If your phone number has changed, please update this with the school. **A current, primary phone number needs to be on file for all Robocalls from the school district (snow day calls).**
- Please remember to update the office if you have a change of address. A new proof of residency is needed to change your students address.
- If your student is absent, please call the office attendance line, (616) 636-5669, press 1. Absences must be reported to the office within 24 hours for it to be excused. **A reason for the students absence must be stated or it will be considered unexcused.**
- If you know ahead of time that your student will be absent, a planned absence form can be filled out and submitted to the office. [Planned Absence Form](#)
- **Any changes to how your student is going home for the day needs to be received by the office no later than 2:45pm to prevent further interruptions to classroom learning.**

Parent/Teacher Conferences

ONLINE CONFERENCE SCHEDULING SYSTEM

Sand Lake Parent/Teacher
Conferences:

Wed., March 8– 5:00–8:00PM

Thurs., March 9– 1:15–3:15PM

Be on the lookout for a
letter from Mrs. Scott
regarding our new online
conference scheduling
system.



Lost and Found

Our lost and found is overflowing! If you think your child misplaced something, please encourage them to check this area. Parents can also go through the lost and found before or after school.



Boosters News!

4th Grade Fundraiser for Sand Lake Boosters



\$1 per Set of 2 Necklaces



February 13th to 16th or While Supplies Last!!!!

Sold by 4th Grade Sales will come to the classrooms.

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Maize & Blue

Green & White

Support your team by purchasing their necklaces.

Let's Dance!

**SAND LAKE
ELEMENTARY
FAMILY DANCE**

**SATURDAY,
FEBRUARY 18,
2023**

4:30PM—6:30PM

**SKATE ESTATE:
19224 M-46,
HOWARD CITY,
MI 49329**

Cost is \$10 per person with a cap of \$40 per family (any family with more than 4 people are welcome, the cost for the entire family isn't more than \$40). The cost covers entrance to Skate Estate and pictures. Money is due February 15th.

Pizza Kit Fundraiser

Looking ahead- The highly anticipated Little Caesars Pizza Kit fundraiser will kick off in March!

**LITTLE CAESAR
PIZZA
KITS**

**MARCH
09-22**

**LOOK FOR
MORE INFO
SOON!**

PIZZA! PIZZA! IT'S TIME FOR YOU, YOUR FRIENDS, AND YOUR FAMILY TO GET YOUR LITTLE CAESARS PIZZA, BREADS AND COOKIES! HAVE THEM ON HAND FOR QUICK DINNERS, PARTIES OR ENTERTAINING! BUY SEVERAL ITEMS AND STOCK YOUR FREEZERS!

PIZZA PICK UP: 4/6/2023

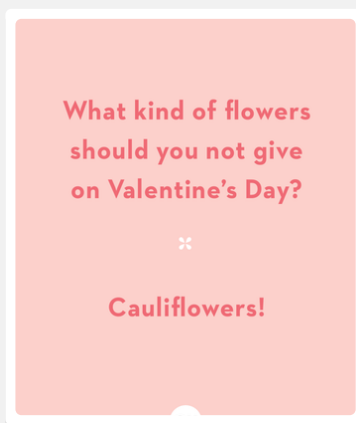
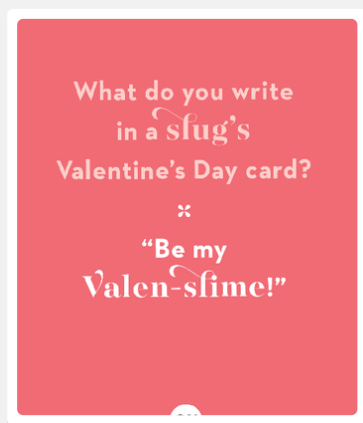
A Message from our District Nurses!

We are excited to share that we now have a District Nurse tab on the Tri County website. This is a great resource for illness guidelines, immunization information and general information regarding the nursing services our district nurses provide students. [District Nurse- Tri County Area Schools](#)

The nurse's office is available to our students as an essential health resource. **If your child needs to take medication during the school day, all medications need to be brought into school by an adult and a medication authorization form needs to be filled out by a parent or guardian. This includes all over-the-counter medications including cough drops.** For prescription medications a physician's order is required.

** Students must be vomit and fever-free for 24hrs before returning to school. **

For further assistance, the nurses can be reached via email: nurse@tricountyschools.com or through the Sand Lake Office- (616) 636-5669.

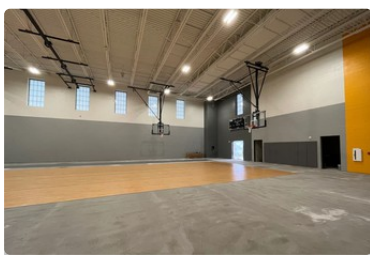


Sand Lake School Bank

The next school bank day is Wednesday, February 22nd: 9:30-10:30.

Community Walking

Sand Lake and MacNaughton Elementary will be offering walking for community members weekly on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5-8 pm. Walkers will be able to enter the school buildings through entryways located near the school gymnasiums.



Tri County School Updates

Stay up-to-date on the progress of the bond projects at all the school buildings. Things are really starting to take shape! [TC Bond Updates](#)

Sand Lake Art Show

Save the date! The Sand Lake Art Show will Wednesday, May 17 from 6:00 - 7:30 pm.



Birthday Celebrations!

We LOVE to celebrate birthdays! If your child would like to bring in a birthday treat, please be sure it is store-bought (no homemade treats). Contact your child's teacher to make arrangements.

Sand Lake Boosters

"Parkhurst" Sales every Friday. Bring \$1 for snacks and goodies!

Follow "[Sand Lake Student Supporters](#)" on Facebook for news and updates! To join, all questions must be answered to be approved.

TC Childcare

Childcare is offered before school and afterschool. For more information please refer to the [TC Child Care Handbook](#).



Upcoming Events

- Tuesday Feb 14- 5th Grade Field Trip
- Friday Feb 17 - Monday Feb 20- No School

- Wednesday March 8- SLE P/T Conferences 5:00-8:00 PM
- Thursday March 9- SLE P/T Conferences 1:15-3:15 PM
- Thurs & Fri March 9 & 10- Early Release Days
- Friday March 24- No School
- Mon - Fri March 27-31- No School- Spring Break

Lunch Program

Breakfast & Lunch: FREE to all students.

View our school menus:

<https://tricountyschools.nutrislice.com/menu>

Student Handbook

Please take a moment to review our student handbook. This contains important information regarding our school and policies that we follow each day.

Student Handbook



2022-2023 Sand Lake School Hours

School Times: 8:25 am - 3:25 pm (school doors open at 8:20 am)

SLE Early Dismissal Times: 8:25 am - 12:50 pm

Contact Information

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