

# Algonquin Parent News

*November, 2022*

## The Algonquin Way

The educators at Algonquin will actively commit to creating a stimulating, language-rich classroom environment that is developmentally appropriate, implements best practices, and is differentiated to meet the needs of every student. The classroom will capture the individuality of the whole child, encourage students' curiosity and creativity, and prepare them for future success.



We had a Fabulous first Quarter!!!! Popsicles, Dentists, and Play groups, Oh MY!!!! It was a very productive first quarter. Shout out to our Algonquin families you all were right there with us. We sent out a phone blast informing of a visit from the fire department and you all showed up with umbrellas!!!! Events are not too big or too small you all show up for our children and our school. Keep that momentum and excitement and momentum for the early years, because our children are only 3, 4, and 5 years old once in their lifetime. Cherish every moment of the early childhood years. These truly are the BEST years!!!!



**Algonquin Parents are Invested in Monthly Play groups!!!!**





**Special Thanks to all of our Algonquin families and staff members who attended the Greatest School District on Earth Parade!!!!**



# DATES TO REMEMBER

## Dates to Remember

- 11/3/22 1:00 p.m. Early Childhood Network; Parent Assessments
- 11/3/22 2:00 p.m. Parent Teacher Conferences
- 11/4/22 8:00 a.m. Parent teacher Conferences
- 11/6/22 Daylight Savings Time Ends
- 11/7/22 Veterans Day Observed-No School
- 11/8/22 Election Day-No School
- 11/14/22 Board of Education Meeting
- 11/17/22 10:45 a.m. Early Release Day --No PM classes
- 11/18/22 Preschool Screening
- 11/22/22 Family Play groups
- 11/23/22-11/25/22 Thanksgiving Break--No School





## Parents We Need You!!!!

Attending parent–teacher conferences is one way to be involved and help your child succeed in school. Research has shown that these discussions between parents and teachers are a crucial opportunity to improve a child’s achievement and happiness, inside and outside the classroom. There is an abundance of research concerning the importance of parental involvement in children’s education.

A parent–teacher conference is a great opportunity to:

- discuss your child’s progress
- share your child’s strengths and needs
- work with the teacher to help your child do well in school

Our goal for meeting our school families during parent/teacher conferences is, 100% of our parents will meet with their child’s teacher. We need you to help us reach our goal.



Park Forest-Chicago Heights School District 163

# Parent-Teacher Conferences

Thursday, November 3rd

2:00 PM-8:00 PM

Friday, November 4th

8:00 AM- 1:00 PM

No School

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Staff will communicate a time with families. Please connect with your child's teacher if you would like to schedule a Parent/Teacher Conference.



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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	<b>1</b> • WG Cinni Mini (240 Cal, 40g Carbs) • Seasonal Fruit Cereal Option Offered Daily	<b>2</b> • Mini Waffles (200 Cal, 35g Carbs) • Seasonal Fruit Cereal Option Offered Daily	<b>3</b> 	<b>4</b> 
<b>7</b> 	<b>8</b> 	<b>9</b> • Pancake sausage on a Stick (200 Cal, 15g Carbs) • Seasonal Fruit Cereal Option Offered Daily	<b>10</b> • WG Cake Donut (150 Cal, 23g Carbs) • Mozzarella String Cheese (60 Cal, 1g Carbs) • Seasonal Fruit Cereal Option Offered Daily	<b>11</b> • Berry Cheerio Bar (150 Cal, 30g Carbs) • Animal Crackers (120 Cal, 22g Carbs) • Seasonal Fruit Cereal Option Offered Daily
<b>14</b> • Banana Bread (280 Cal, 44g Carbs) • Seasonal Fruit Cereal Option Offered Daily	<b>15</b> • Strawberry Oatmeal Bars (140 Cal, 23g Carbs) • Animal Crackers (120 Cal, 22g Carbs) • Seasonal Fruit Cereal Option Offered Daily	<b>16</b> • Mini Pancake (210 Cal, 35g Carbs) • Seasonal Fruit Cereal Option Offered Daily	<b>17</b> • Raisin Bagel (170 Cal, 34g Carbs) • Jelly Cups (35 Cal, 9g Carbs) • Seasonal Fruit Cereal Option Offered Daily	<b>18</b> • Apple Frudel (210 Cal, 36g Carbs) • Seasonal Fruit Cereal Option Offered Daily
<b>21</b> • Blueberry Muffins (160 Cal, 26g Carbs) • Mozzarella String Cheese (60 Cal, 1g Carbs) • Seasonal Fruit Cereal Option Offered Daily	<b>22</b> • WG Lucky Charms (110 Cal, 23g Carbs) • Seasonal Fruit Cereal Option Offered Daily	<b>23</b> 	<b>24</b> 	<b>25</b> 
<b>28</b> • Cinnamon Rolls (209 Cal, 38g Carbs) • Seasonal Fruit Cereal Option Offered Daily	<b>29</b> • Strawberry Banana Yogurt (80 Cal, 15g Carbs) • Granola (129 Cal, 25g Carbs) • Seasonal Fruit Cereal Option Offered Daily	<b>30</b> • WG Strawberry Popart (360 Cal, 76g Carbs) • Seasonal Fruit Cereal Option Offered Daily		

Foods marked by a on this menu have incomplete special diet info.

Eggs, Wheat, Soy, Peanuts, Tree Nuts, GF Gluten Free

ALL MENUS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE DUE TO PRODUCT AVAILABILITY .

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## MONDAY

## TUESDAY

## WEDNESDAY

## THURSDAY

## FRIDAY

1

- Spaghetti and Meat Sauce (222 Cal, 34g Carbs)
- Green Beans (19 Cal, 4g Carbs)
- WG Breadstick (70 Cal, 14g Carbs)
- Seasonal Fruit

2

- Chicken Fajita (207 Cal, 22g Carbs)
- Black Beans (109 Cal, 20g Carbs)
- Tortilla Shell (110 Cal, 19g Carbs)
- Fresh Broccoli Bites (50 Cal, 11g Carbs)
- Seasonal Fruit

3



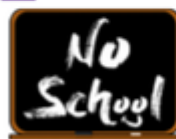
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9

- Chicken Taco (264 Cal, 20g Carbs)
- Tortilla Shell (110 Cal, 19g Carbs)
- Chopped Romaine (10 Cal, 2g Carbs)
- Black Beans (109 Cal, 20g Carbs)
- Corn (67 Cal, 16g Carbs)
- Seasonal Fruit

10

- Sloppy Joe on a Roll (345 Cal, 31g Carbs)
- Potato Wedges (84 Cal, 19g Carbs)
- Fresh Celery Sticks (0 Cal, 1g Carbs)
- Seasonal Fruit

11

- Buttermilk Waffles (170 Cal, 22g Carbs)
- Chicken Tenders (260 Cal, 16g Carbs)
- Sweet Potato Fries (160 Cal, 25g Carbs)
- Broccoli (26 Cal, 5g Carbs)
- Seasonal Fruit

14

- Beef Hot Dog (120 Cal, 21g Carbs)
- Hot Dog Bun (120 Cal, 21g Carbs)
- Baked Beans (140 Cal, 29g Carbs)
- Pickle chips
- Seasonal Fruit

15

- Salisbury Steak (186 Cal, 6g Carbs)
- Mashed Potatoes (102 Cal, 17g Carbs)
- Green Beans (19 Cal, 4g Carbs)
- Rolls (176 Cal, 30g Carbs)
- Seasonal Fruit

16

- Boneless Chicken Wings (160 Cal, 15g Carbs)
- Broccoli (26 Cal, 5g Carbs)
- Fresh Celery Sticks (0 Cal, 1g Carbs)
- Seasonal Fruit

17

- Beef Mostaccioli
- Corn on the Cob (90 Cal, 19g Carbs)
- Carrots (27 Cal, 6g Carbs)
- Seasonal Fruit

18

- Cheese Quesadilla (39g Carbs)
- Spinach (32 Cal, 5g Carbs)
- Fresh Cucumbers (10 Cal, 2g Carbs)
- Cherry Tomatoes (30 Cal, 7g Carbs)
- Seasonal Fruit

21

- Pizza With Cheese Topping (296 Cal, 23g Carbs)
- Romaine Garden Salad (19 Cal, 4g Carbs)
- Seasonal Fruit

22

- Chicken & Gravy (220 Cal, 6g Carbs)
- Sweet Potatoes (90 Cal, 21g Carbs)
- Green Beans (19 Cal, 4g Carbs)
- Rolls (176 Cal, 30g Carbs)
- Seasonal Fruit

23



24



25



28

- Walking Taco
- Turkey Taco Meat (110 Cal, 2g Carbs)
- Shredded Cheddar Cheese (110 Cal, 1g Carbs)
- WG Doritos (130 Cal, 20g Carbs)
- Corn and Beans (140 Cal, 24g Carbs)
- Seasonal Fruit

29

- Tomato Soup
- Bosco Sticks (75 Cal, 8g Carbs)
- Fresh Celery Sticks (0 Cal, 1g Carbs)
- Seasonal Fruit

30

- Beef Burger (170 Cal, 0g Carbs)
- Sliced American Cheese (70 Cal, 1g Carbs)
- WG Burger Bun (100 Cal, 19g Carbs)
- Tater Tots (150 Cal, 19g Carbs)
- Fresh Cucumbers (10 Cal, 2g Carbs)
- Seasonal Fruit



# DONATE WHILE *You Dine!*

Visit the Culver's of Matteson on Friday, November 4th, and we will donate 10% of sales to The Teachers Federation of Park Forest.

Enjoy a delicious meal, benefit a great cause and feel good all over.

Please make sure to let your cashier know you are here for the kickback!



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## Algonquin's School Day

Attendance Matters!!! We need our students at school each day and on time. Attendance plays a significant role in the academic progress of our students. Our preschool program sets the foundation for future success as it prepares students for kindergarten and beyond.

Please speak with your daycare providers and others in your support circle who transport your children to school. All preschoolers must be walked to our main entry door; which is door 1. Please ring the bell to the left of the door for immediate assistance.

As a reminder, students are welcomed into our building at 7:50 a.m. for breakfast. If your child need to come earlier than 7:50am please contact Prairie Day Care Services which is located onsite at Algonquin. Prairie has wrap around care they open at 5:30 a.m. and close at 5:30 p.m.

Below are our school schedules:

**Half-Day**

8:15-10:45 a.m.

12:15 p.m. -2:45 p.m.

Full Day

8:15 a.m.-2:45 p.m.

If you are new to our school and need more information, or past information please visit our school's website at [www.sd163.com](http://www.sd163.com) All newsletters from the beginning of the school year can be found on our website, as well as other pertinent information.

 **VETERAN'S DAY**  
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 7TH  
**NO SCHOOL**

THANK YOU  
FOR YOUR SERVICE!

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# ELECTION DAY

Tuesday,  
November 8th



**There will be no school on  
Election Day. School and  
District Office hours will resume  
Wednesday, November 9th.**

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# EARLY DISMISSAL

**THURSDAY,  
NOVEMBER 17TH**

Students will be served lunch and dismissed at 12:30PM.

Pre-Kindergarten will be dismissed at 10:45am. All bus students  
will depart at 12:30pm. There will be no X-STEAM.

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# THANKSGIVING BREAK

*November 23rd-25th*

There is no school from November 23rd- 25th for Thanksgiving Break. School and District Office hours will resume Monday, November 28th. Enjoy!

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