Kincheloe Elementary School

Building Times: 8:51 am – 3:47 pm Half Day Dismissal 12:01 pm Principal: Ryan Zietlow <u>rzietlow@dowagiacschools.org</u> Secretary: Patti Wiggins <u>pwiggins@dowagiacschools.org</u> <u>www.dowagiacschools.org</u> School Office 269-782-4464 Administration 269-782-4400



Building Schedule of Events 2022-2023 Newsletter 24, March 10, 2023

- March 12 Time Change Spring Forward 1 hour change smoke alarm batteries
- March 15 Conferences 5-8 PM Full Day of School
- March 16 Conferences 1-4:30 PM 1/2 Day of School dismiss @ 12:01 PM
- March 16 Popcorn Thursday
- March 22 Music Program 7:00 PM
- March 24 Math-A-Rama
- March 31 NO SCHOOL
- April 3-7 SPRING BREAK school resumes on April 10th

<u>PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES</u>-It is very important for teachers and parents to meet for Parent Teacher conferences. Research shows that children, when parents are involved, do better in school. We want all of our students to do well. <u>Parent Teacher conference forms came home last week</u>. Conferences are March 15th and 16th. If you have not scheduled your time yet please call the school office 269-782-4464.

March is Reading Month and we have lots of special days coming up. Please see the calendar of events that came home last week. We will also have special visitors reading to our students.



PTO: We encourage all of our parents to be involved with our PTO. Our meetings are at 4:00 in our media center. Keep watching the newsletter for our next meeting date.

Our Spring Fundraiser started Monday, March 6. It goes through March 17th. Make checks payable to Kincheloe PTO. Flyers came home last week. If you have any questions contact Sam Ausra PTO president at 269-783-6714.

The Direct your dollars program from Family Fare has been discontinued. We will no longer be collecting your receipts.



Congratulations to our participants in the Future Chef Culinary Competition! They are 5th graders, Zoey Ausra, Avery Lyons, Annalisa Mather & Alejandro Herrera. It was held on Wednesday, March 8th. Avery came in 1st and Annalisa 3rd. We are proud of all of the participants.

Reminder: We are still having winter weather. So please watch the weather and dress your child appropriately. Mark coats, boots, hats & gloves with names. We go out daily, it is best to dress in layers. **Boots are necessary to go on the playground.**

We would like to ask for parent volunteers to help with our drop off and pick up times in the parking lot. If you can help, contact the school office 269-782-4464.

Volunteers: If you are interested in volunteering for any school related activities/events etc. you will need to have a volunteer form on file prior to the activity/event. Please contact the school for more information.

We've Been Asked to Announce: Easter Eggstravaganza Saturday April 1st,

10:30AM-12:30PM. Celebrate Spring in Dowagiac at the Train Depot. Pictures will be taken with the Easter Bunny, enjoy children's activities and the Easter Egg Hunt is at noon! Dress up and compete in the "Be a Bunny" contest. 200 Depot Drive, Dowagiac.