



Anaconda School District Newsletter



September 23rd, 2021

District PIR

Last week, the teachers had two PIR days or professional development days. Each building focused on something different.

Lincoln Teacher's focused on standards-aligned report cards. They worked on building their assessments which are tied to state standards. They also learned more about DIBELS 8th Edition, which is our new reading assessment. The staff "dug down" into their data to learn more about how to help students with their literacy skills.

At Fred Moody the teachers met with their teams and talked about testing and planning for interventions. Teachers also completed Smarter Balanced testing training as well as other training.

At the Anaconda Junior Senior High School the junior high teachers looked at DIBELS data to assess student literacy skills. High school teachers began giving ISIP tests to 9th and 10th grade students. 11th grade teachers continued to focus on preparing students for the ACT.

District Calendar of Events

September 27th - AJSHS Picture Day

September 29th - Junior High Sports Picture Day

September 27th - October 1st - Homecoming

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October 1st-Fred Moody Picture Day

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October 4th - Lincoln Picture Day

October 5th - Vaccine Clinic Day - **only for students that have signed permission**

October 6th- Yellowstone meeting for 6th grade

October 7th - Vaccine Clinic Day - **only for students that have signed permission**

October 20th - Early Dismissal (Friday Schedule)

October 21st and 22nd - No School

Homecoming Dress Up Schedule District-Wide

Homecoming dress-up days

September 27 - October 1

Monday: Sunglasses Day

Tuesday: Athlete vs Mathlete

Wednesday: Country vs

Country club

Thursday: Heroes vs

Villains

Friday: BLUE SILVER



October 1 - Homecoming

Pep Rally 1PM

Parade 3PM

Football Game 7PM

Anaconda Junior Senior High School

Anaconda School District #10 is pleased to announce that they will be hosting Erin Gruwell and the Freedom Writers on October 5 – 7, in order to receive a message of hope and empowerment for students and teachers beginning the 2021 school year.

Gruwell is a teacher, an education activist, and the founder of the Freedom Writers Foundation. She created the Freedom Writer Methods, a progressive teaching philosophy and curricula designed to achieve excellence from all students. She maintains a steadfast commitment to the future of education, and her impact as a change agent runs deep.



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By fostering an educational philosophy that values and promotes diversity, Gruwell transformed her students' lives. She encouraged them to re-think rigid beliefs about themselves and others, reconsider daily decisions, and ultimately re-chart their futures. With Gruwell's support, they chose to forego teenage pregnancy, drugs, and violence to become aspiring college students, published writers, and catalysts for change. They dubbed themselves the "Freedom Writers"—in homage to civil rights activists The Freedom Riders—and published The New York Times Bestseller, *The Freedom Writers Diary*.

The three-day visit will begin at the Washoe Theater on October 5 at 6:00 pm, with a screening of the 2007 feature film, *Freedom Writers*. The film screening will be followed by a Q&A session and a book signing with a celebrity guest speaker.

On October 6, Anaconda Junior and High School students will begin the day at the Washoe Theater, and screen the Emmy-award winning 2019 documentary, *Freedom Writers: Stories from the Heart*. Following the screening, our celebrity guest speaker will deliver a keynote presentation to students and staff from Anaconda School District #10; emphasizing the value of education and having a supportive community that engages in educational success.

Following the screening and presentation, Sources of Strength students will participate in a workshop for students that seeks to empower them to be leaders inside and outside the classroom.

Their visit will culminate on October 7, with a staff development workshop that will allow teachers opportunities to ask questions and see how they can implement the Freedom Writers Methods into their classrooms, in order to ensure success for years to come.

For more information on Erin Gruwell and the Freedom Writers, please visit

<http://www.freedomwritersfoundation.org/>. For information regarding times and location, please contact Anaconda Junior Senior High School principal, Erik Swanson at eswanson@anacondaschools.org

Activity Passes

Activity passes for all athletic events are available in the main office of the Anaconda Junior Senior High School. Feel free to stop by and pick one up during regular school hours.

Family - \$25

Individual - \$20

Senior - \$15

Student - \$10

Fred Moodry Intermediate School

L.O.C.

LOC stands for Love Our Copperheads, Love Our Community. It is our new matra here at Fred Moodry. We model this by treating everyone with kindness and respect. We also model this by being involved in our school and community. You will hear students using this a lot and it will be a part of our vision moving forward. We hope to continue to build upon this as a way to improve our school and community culture. Please talk to your kids about LOC and how we can apply it to our lives. There will be more information throughout the year and we will work together to make LOC a part of our culture. Go Copperheads! LOC!

Copperhead Enrichment

Copperhead Enrichment is our after school program offered at FMIS. Sign up forms were sent home last week with students. The sign up forms explain which clubs are offered, and when each



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club runs. We have clubs Monday - Thursday 3:30 - 4:30. There is also a bus to Opportunity and West Valley each night. If your student is interested please send them back with the sign up form, and they can get started. Our clubs include; homework opportunity, coding, steam, LEGO robotics, fitness club, book club, math club, orchestra, level-up, and LEGO robotics. If you have any questions you may reach out to Mrs. Barkell, rbarkell@anacondaschools.org

Picture Day

Picture day is October 1! Forms have been sent home, but extras are available in the office.

6th Grade Yellowstone Trip

Unfortunately, all Yellowstone trips for the 6th grade have been cancelled. We are looking for alternative field trips for students.

From Mrs. Leipheimer

STEMscopes: Do not worry about logging into STEMscopes yet. I am working on getting logins fixed.

Also I sent home the first week of school science rules and procedures. I have not received several even though I have emailed parents and given extra copies. I need them back, one is to be signed the other they keep. It has login information on it as well. I even have a copy on the stream page the first week.

Infinite Campus

Did you know students AND parents can log into Infinite Campus? If you need help getting into Infinite Campus, please contact Betty.

The Counselor has Moved!

Mrs. Wood's office is now located on the 3rd floor in room 35, and her extension remains the same at 1508.

Lincoln

Intervention: Frequently Asked Questions?

My child said they are going to intervention, what is that? Students who go to intervention are those determined to need extra assistance to reach grade level expectations. Intervention is targeted instruction for each student deemed to need assistance.

All students do some sort of intervention, whereas the teachers meet their needs – they may simply go to a different classroom to get this targeted assistance. For example, some students do novel studies while others within the same grade level are learning their letter names and sounds and blending through words. We differentiate based on student needs. This time is built into the classroom schedule so we can target students and build on their skills

How do I know if my child goes to Intervention?

Many of the students who go to intervention won't need to continue this practice because they will quickly build skills and intervention won't be needed. If your child is going to intervention you will receive a letter from the school.

What can I do to help my child? Visit with your child's teacher or interventionist to learn more about how you can help your child at home.





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Nurse's Nook

"Hot off the press" from the Health Dept.: Any students who are wearing medical masks properly and consistently will not need to be quarantined as close contacts to an active COVID case! However, students utilizing face shields or cloth masks (or improperly using medical masks) up to 6-feet away from an active case, may still need to quarantine as close contacts. *(All schools have extra medical masks for students and staff to use, if desired.)*

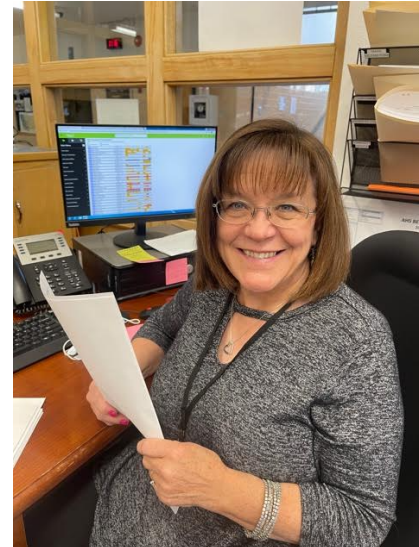
Immunization clinics are quickly approaching. Don't forget to turn in your [consent forms](#) by Monday, September 27th. Remember the clinics are only for students who have a signed consent from a parent/guardian. The immunization clinics will take place on October 5th and 7th. Also, if your child is behind in their required vaccinations, this is a convenient time to catch-up.

Special Education Update:

If you suspect your child has a disability or would like to have them screened please contact our Special Education Director, Dan Laughlin at dlaughlin@anacondaschools.org or 406-563-6141, Ext 1605.

Also, here is some useful information for families who have a student who qualifies for an IEP or 504. Please click [here](#) for more information.

Staff Spotlight AJSHS



Theresa Orrino Secretary

Years in the School District: 6 years

Favorite Color: Dark pink/red

Favorite Drink: Diet coke w/ lime

Favorite Movie: Elf

Family: Husband, Bob - children Joey and Bobby

Pets: Anabelle (black lab)

1 thing people don't know about her: Only needs 5 hours of sleep a night.

Favorite thing about being a secretary:
Interacting with people

The Copperhead Weekly 9/20-10/4

Anaconda High School						Anaconda Junior High School					
Date	Day	Football	Volleyball	X-Country	Cheer	Date	Day	Football	Volleyball	X-Country	
9/20	Mon.	JV Football vs. Three Forks @ 4:30 pm	Practice 6:30-8:00 am	Practice- 3:30 -5:00 pm	JV Cheer	9/20	Mon.	Practice- 3:30-5:30 pm	Volleyball Practice 8th/7th- 3:30/5:00 pm	Practice- 5:00-6:00 pm Lutheran Church	
9/21	Tues.	Practice- 4:30-6:30 pm	Practice	Practice- 3:30 -5:00 pm	Practice-5:00-7:00 pm	9/21	Tues.	Football vs. Three Forks 4:00 pm	Volleyball @ Butte Central (8th Only) 4:00 pm (Bus Departs at 2:30 pm)	Practice- 6:45-7:30 am The Stadium	
9/22	Wed.	Practice- 4:30-6:30 pm	Practice- 4:00-6:30 PM	Practice- 3:30 -5:00 pm	No Practice	9/22	Wed.	Practice- 3:30-5:30 pm	Volleyball Practice 8th/7th- 3:30/5:00 pm	Practice- 5:00-6:00 pm Lutheran Church	
9/23	Thurs.	Practice- 4:30-6:30 pm	Volleyball vs Loyola 4:00/5:30/7:00	Practice- 3:30 -5:00 pm	Varsity Cheer	9/23	Thurs.	Football @ Dillon 4:00 pm (Bus Departs at 1:30 pm) CANCELLED Football @ Townsend 5:30 pm (Bus Departs at 3:00 pm)	Volleyball vs. Deer Lodge 4:00/5:00 pm	Meet @ Dillon 4:30 PM (Bus Departs at 1:30 pm) CANCELLED	
9/24	Fri.	Football vs. Florence @ 7:00 pm	Practice 3:00-5:30 pm	Meet @Butte High	Varsity Cheer	9/24	Fri.	Practice- 3:30-5:30 pm	Volleyball Practice 8th/7th- 3:30/5:00 pm	No Practice	
9/25	Sat.	No Practice	Choteau Tournament	No Practice	No Practice	9/25	Sat.	No Practice	Dillon Tournament (Bus Depart TBA) CANCELLED	No Practice	
HOMECOMING WEEK											
9/27	Mon.	Practice- 4:30-6:30 pm	Practice 6:30-8:00 am	Practice- 3:30 -5:00 pm	Practice-5:00-7:00 pm	9/27	Mon.	Practice- 3:30-5:30 pm	Volleyball vs. Townsend 4:00/5:00 pm	Practice- 6:45-7:30 am The Stadium	
9/28	Tues.	Practice- 4:30-6:30 pm	Volleyball @ Powell County 4:00/5:30/7:00 (Bus departs at 2:30 pm)	Cross Country at Arlee @ 1:00 pm (Bus departs at 9:30 am)	Practice-5:00-7:00 pm	9/28	Tues.	Football @ Boulder 4:00 pm (Bus Departs at 2:00 pm)	Volleyball @ Three Forks 4:00/5:00 pm (Bus departs at 1:30 pm)	Practice- 6:45-7:30 am The Stadium	
9/29	Wed.	Practice- 4:30-6:30 pm	Practice- 4:00-6:30 PM	Practice- 3:30 -5:00 pm	No Practice	9/29	Wed.	PICTURE DAY FORMS 3:30 pm	PICTURE DAY FORMS 3:30 pm	PICTURE DAY FORMS 3:30 pm	
9/30	Thurs.	Practice- 4:30-6:30 pm	Volleyball vs Florence 4:00/5:30/7:00	Practice- 3:30 -5:00 pm	Varsity Cheer	9/30	Thurs.	Practice- 3:30-5:30 pm	Volleyball @ Dillon 7th B/A 4:00/5:00 pm 8th B/A 4:00/5:00 pm (Bus departs at 1:30 pm)	Cross Country at Boulder @ 4:00 pm (Bus departs at 1:45 pm)	
10/1	Fri.	Football vs. Whitehall @ 7:00 pm	Practice 3:00-5:30 pm	Practice- 3:30 -5:00 pm	Varsity Cheer	10/1	Fri.	Practice- 3:30-5:30 pm	Volleyball Practice 8th/7th- 3:30/5:00 pm	Practice- 2:30-3:30 pm Horseshoe Pits	
10/2	Sat.	No Practice	Volleyball @ St. Ignatius 1:00/2:30/4:00 (Bus departs at 9:45am)	Cross Country at Three Forks @ 9:45 am (Bus departs at 7:00 am)	No Practice	10/2	Sat.	No Practice	Deer Lodge Tournament at 8:00 am (Bus departs at 7:00 am)	Cross Country at Three Forks @ 9:45 am (Bus departs at 7:00 am)	
10/4	Mon.	JV Football @ Whitehall 6:00 pm (Bus departs at 2:00 pm)	Practice 6:30-8:00 am	Practice- 3:30 -5:00 pm	Practice-5:00-7:00 pm	10/4	Mon.	Football @ Whitehall 4:00 pm (Bus Departs at 2:00 pm)	Volleyball Practice 8th/7th- 3:30/5:00 pm	TBA	

October 2021 BREAKFAST

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Mini Wheats WW Toast Mixed Fruit Milk	2
3	4 Sliced Apples Peanut Butter Grahams Milk	5 Honey Nut Cheerios String Cheese Juice Milk	6 Yogurt Cinnamon Bagel Mandarine Oranges Milk	7 Breakfast Pizza Fruit Cup Milk	8 CoCo Puffs WW Toast Peaches Milk	9
10	11 English Muffin Peanut Butter Yogurt Juice Milk	12 Mini Wheats Pop Tart Pineapple Milk	13 Muffin String Cheese Applesauce Milk	14 Scrambled Eggs Sausage Mixed Fruit Milk	15 Cinnamon Toast Boiled Egg Petite Banana Milk	16
17	18 Mini Wheats WW Toast Grapes Milk	19 Yogurt Parfait Granola,Fruit String Cheese Juice Milk	20 Biscuit & Gravy Pears Milk	21 NO SCHOOL	22 NO SCHOOL	23
24	25 Peanut Butter & Jelly Uncrustable Mandarine Oranges Milk	26 Pancakes Syrup Ham Juice Milk	27 CoCo Puffs Yogurt Mixed Fruit Milk	28 Cheese Omelet WW Toast Peaches Milk	29 Breakfast Bar Boiled Egg Petite Banana Milk	30
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*Menu options may change from school to school

October 2021 LUNCH

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 BBQ Riblet Green Beans String Cheese Fruit Cup Milk	2
3	4 Chili Mac Romaine Salad Peaches Milk	5 Chicken Nuggets Sweet & Sour Sauce Broccoli, Ranch Cup Strawberries & Blueberries Milk	6 Chef Salad Turkey, Ham Cheese, Tomato Cucumber, Garbanzo Beans, Pineapple Croutons Milk	7 Meatball Sandwich Sun Chips Celery Sticks Peanut Butter, Apple Milk	8 BBQ Chicken Biscuit / Honey Green Beans Mandarine Oranges Milk	9
10	11 Traveling Taco Lettuce, Tomato, Cheese, Salsa, Sour Cream, Corn, Pears Milk	12 Lasagna Sliced Cucumber Orange Milk	13 Hamburger Gravy Mashed Potato Bread & Butter Green Beans, Peaches Milk	14 Hot Dog Baked Beans Romaine Salad Applesauce Milk	15 Teriyaki Chicken Rice Stir Fry Vegetables Pineapple Milk	16
17	18 Pasty & Gravy Coleslaw Sliced Apples Milk	19 Nachos/Meat Refried Beans, Salsa Sour Cream, Celery Sticks, Mandarine Oranges, Milk	20 Pizza Cottage Cheese Baby Carrots Peaches Milk	21 NO SCHOOL	22 NO SCHOOL	23
24	25 Sloppy Joe Corn Applesauce Milk	26 Sweet & Sour Meatballs, Rice Pineapple Broccoli, Milk	27 Grilled Cheese Tomato Soup Orange Wedges, Milk	28 Beef Ravioli Romaine Salad Cinnamon Apples Milk	29 Tater Tot Casserole Green Beans Mixed fruit Milk	30
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Group Connection

Please join us **anytime from 9:30 TO NOON**

Anaconda Fire Department

Monday September 27, 2021

Car Seat Clinic !!!



This event will take place at

The Anaconda Fire Department

420 West Commercial Ave. Anaconda, MT 59711

Questions – 406-563-7863

*"Every Kid Is
One Caring
Adult Away
from Being a
Success Story"*



**FREE
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MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 27TH, 2021

JOSH SHIPP

7:00 P.M. @ THE WASHOE THEATRE

Statistically, Josh Shipp should be dead, in jail, or homeless. But his success as a preeminent author, speaker, and global youth empowerment expert is living proof of the power of one caring adult. Thanks to the support of teachers, counselors, and a wonderful set of foster parents, Josh went on to be listed on Inc. Magazine's 30 under 30 list, and is now a postgraduate student at Harvard himself, further honing his skills in persuasive communication.

Over the years, Josh has keynoted events for countless groups of parents, educators, and social workers – with audiences as large as 55,000 – and to date has spoken live in front of more than two million people.

His social and emotional learning curriculum, Year of Awesomeness, is in use in hundreds of classrooms all around the world.

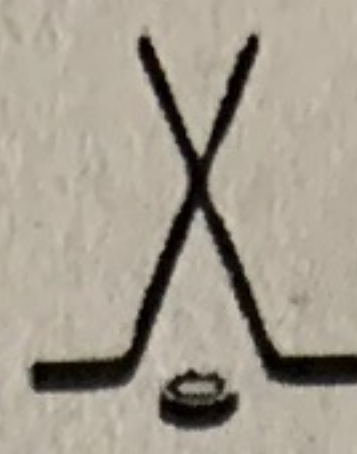
**WE ARE INVITING
TEACHERS, COACHES,
PARENTS, GUARDIANS,
SOCIAL WORKERS,
EMPLOYERS, AND ANY
AND ALL ADULTS WHO
MAKE AN IMPACT ON
STUDENT'S LIVES TO
COME AND LISTEN TO
THIS ENGAGING
MOTIVATIONAL
SPEAKER.**


**IF THAT IS NOT
ENOUGH OF AN
INCENTIVE, WE WILL
BE HOSTING TWO
DRAWINGS FOR
ATTENDEES.
SECOND DRAWING
IS FOR A **DONIVAN'S
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DRAWING IS A **128
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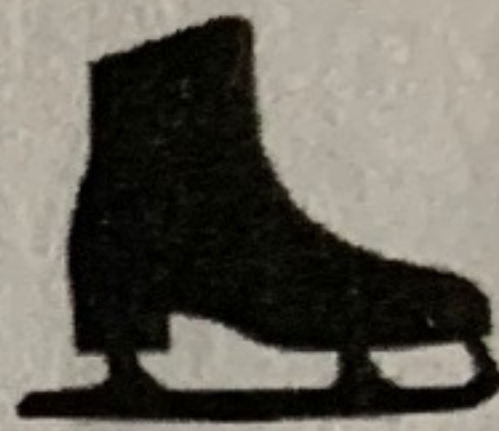


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*Speed
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Registration is happening now!**