#### **KATAHDIN SCHOOLS RSU #89**

## Office of the Superintendent

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February 27, 2022

Good evening Katahdin Families. I'm calling with the weekly district announcements.

We are looking forward to seeing everyone tomorrow and hope that everyone enjoyed their February break!

78 students and chaperones attended Big Rock on Friday. It was a great day on the mountain.

Katahdin Elementary will be returning to optional masking for all students and staff beginning tomorrow. Masks will only be required for 5 days after returning from a positive case of COVID.

Congratulations to our basketball teams for their efforts in Bangor! Our student athletes worked hard and put forth excellent effort this season.

This week is Cougarfest week for high school students with planned activities all week afterschool and the culminating events taking place on Friday, March 4th.

This week KES students will participate in Olympics Week and celebrate Read Across America. Details will be in the email of this message. See below for KES activities.

Monday- Opening Ceremonies
Tuesday- Red, White and Blue Day
Wednesday - Wear Golden/Yellow Day
Thursday - Olympic Crazy Hair Day
Friday - KES Winter Olympics

Wednesday March 2nd is the spring fluoride varnish clinic for all students PreK-5 that returned consent forms in the fall.

KES students in grades 1-5 will go ice skating at Millar Arena in Houlton on Thursday, March 3rd.

Thursday March 3rd Dr Fuchs will be at KMHS performing annual sports physicals. Forms must be completed and signed by a parent. The cost is \$10. Any athletes in grades 4 and up may participate. Sports physical forms are available in both main offices. This is a great opportunity to update annual physicals before spring sports start and will cover soccer and basketball next season as well.

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Following the federal guidelines masks are still required while on school buses.

Please continue to keep sick children at home to protect our school and community. A link to the Pre-Screening Tool for School Attendance will be on the website and in the email of this message.

#### Pre-Screening Tool for School Attendance

Thank you for taking the time to listen to this message and enjoy your evening.

Sincerely,

Marie Robinson, Ph. D. Superintendent of Schools