

Principal's Newsletter

Newell School District

November 2020

"The Newell School District will use all available resources to engage all students in the active pursuit of knowledge to help them reach their full potential now and in the future."

Upcoming Events



Monday, November 2 –
*HSVB Region Tourney

Tuesday, November 3
*HSVB Region Tourney – TBA

Thursday, November 5 –
*MSGBB vs Sturgis (H) 4:30

Monday, November 9 –
*School Bd. Mtg 6:00

Tuesday, November 10 –
*MSWR Tourney (H) 4:30

Thursday, November 12 –
*MSGBB vs. Belle Fourche (H) 4:30

Monday, November 16 –
*Blood Drive in Austin Auditorium

Tuesday, November 17 –
*P/T Conferences 4:00-7:00
*Book Fair
*Fundraiser meal – Senior Trip Students

Thursday, November 19 –
*P/T Conferences 4:00-7:00
*MSGBB vs. Lead (A) 4:00
*Book Fair
*Fundraiser meal – Senior Trip Students

Monday, November 23 –
*MSGBB vs. Hill City (A) 4:00

Tuesday, November 24 –
*Grandparents -**CANCELED**

Wednesday-Friday, November 25-27
*NO SCHOOL (Thanksgiving)

CALENDAR CHANGES

Look at the Newell School Website and Facebook page for all calendar changes and updates.

<https://www.newell.k12.sd.us/> or Facebook at **Newell School District SD**

Free Meals

Newell School has been approved to offer all students in grades K-12, two free meals per day. The program is sponsored by the USDA and will run through December 22nd.



"From what we get, we can make a living; what we give, however, makes a life."

Arthur Ashe

Elementary Recess - Cold Weather

It seems the cold weather is upon us, please send your child prepared to go outside for recess. Please double check to make sure that your child has appropriate clothing for the snow and cold weather by wearing:

- Snow Boots
- Gloves
- Snow pants
- Warm coats
- Shoes to wear in the classroom



Parent Teacher Conferences

Parent Teachers conference will be held on November 17th and 19th from 4:00-7:00. To help eliminate the number of parents waiting in line, we will conduct conferences in the following fashion.

Tuesday, November 17th

4:00 - 4:57 Student last name A – J
5:02 - 5:58 Student last name K – Q
6:03 - 7:00 Student last name R- Z

Thursday, November 19th

4:00 – 4:57 Student last name R- Z
5:02 – 5:58 Student last name K-Q
6:03 – 7:00 Student last name A – J

Pre-K through 8th grade teachers will be conducting conferences in the Middle School Gym and all High School teachers will be in the Austin Auditorium. PreK through 5th grade will not be scheduling conferences, you can attend at the above scheduled times. You will also have the options of visiting with the teacher via phone call, email or google meets.

Winter Sports Parents Meeting

Fall sports parents meeting for High School Girls Basketball, High School Boys Basketball and High School Wrestling will be November 17 in the Multi-Purpose room at 7:00. If you have a student who plans to participate in one of the above activities, please plan to attend.

Fundraiser Meal

The seniors going on the Senior Trip will be offering a meal during parent teacher conferences on Tuesday, November 17th from 4:30 to 6:30. They will be offering a Taco Bar.

The freshman class will be serving a meal on Thursday, November 19th from 4:30 to 6:30. They will be serving spaghetti and garlic bread.

Book Fair

Usbourne Books will be set up in the multi-purpose room during Parent-Teacher Conferences on Tuesday, November 17 and Thursday, November 19 from 4pm - 7pm nightly for your shopping convenience. Fifty percent of your purchases are returned to the school in the form of free books for the library and elementary classrooms. Please watch for information in the coming weeks that will be sent home with your child. You will have the opportunity to shop in-person or online!



Dental Mobile

Delta Dental Mobile will be at the Newell School to see students on January 4-7, 2021. If you would like to have your child visit the Dental Mobile Doctor/Hygienist, contact Sabrina Harmon at 456-2393 ext. 221 to get the proper forms filled out and return **BEFORE** December 22nd. The Dental Bus will be here the week of January 4th – 8th. Contact Sabrina at 605-381-9136 or sabrina.harmon@k12.sd.us to get signed up, request forms, or with any questions.