

WOODRIDGE ELEMENTARY MONDAY MAIL

Week of March 6, 2017

Monday 3/6	Tuesday 3/7	Wednesday 3/8	Thursday 3/9	Friday 3/10
No Late Bus or after school activities the week of March 6-10 th .				
		Chess Club 7:30-8:10am <i>4th Strings Concert</i> 2:40pm and 6:30pm	EARLY DISMISSAL for Parent/Teacher Conferences 12:20pm	Specials Day 3

Campus News

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SPRING BREAK – NO SCHOOL March 13-17th.

STAAR Testing: Please be aware of the STAAR Testing dates. It is very important for students who are testing to have a good night's sleep and a healthy breakfast. Also, please do not schedule any appointments for your child on the days he/she is testing.

The Campus will be **CLOSED** to all visitors (even if your child isn't testing) so please do not plan to volunteer or eat lunch with your child on these days.

March 28th – 5th Grade Math & 4th Grade Writing

March 29th – 5th Grade Reading

May 8th – 4th Grade Math & 3rd Grade Math

May 9th – 4th Grade Reading & 3rd Grade Reading

May 10th – 5th Grade Science

Traffic Safety: Just a reminder that the traffic flow for 1st and 2nd grade car pickup/drop off on Larkwood Drive is **one way**. The middle of the parking lot is reserved for **PARKING ONLY**. You may choose to park and walk your students in the building however, students may not be dropped off in this parking area. This is for the safety of all students.

Accentuate the Positive: Assets for Health Development with Dan St. Romain: Our next parent workshop will be held on Tuesday, March 21st in the Woodridge auditorium at 6:00pm. At this session the external asset categories of Support and Empowerment will be discussed and the best ways foster open lines of communication with our children.

4th Grade Strings Concert: 4th grade Strings students will perform in concert on Wednesday, March 8 at 2:40pm and at 6:30pm. Please wear your Strings t-shirt and jeans/long pants for both performances. For the evening concert students should arrive by 6:15pm to tune their instruments.

PTO News

For the latest news in PTO visit our website at www.woodridgepto.org

“Woodridge Elementary’s Bright Minds” Spring Fundraising Event: Join us for an evening at Pearl supporting Woodridge classrooms on Wednesday, March 29, 2017 from 7:00-10:00pm. Tickets may be purchased online at www.woodridgepto.org.

PTO Executive Board Nominations: The Woodridge PTO Nominating Committee is now accepting nominations for the 2017-2018 PTO Executive Board. Please see the Woodridge PTO website to review the following board job descriptions and nominate qualified individuals who are willing to serve on the Executive Board for the coming year. Self-nominations are welcome and strongly encouraged. Please consider becoming part of something that is so important to all our students, teachers, and faculty! You can find a link to the form via the PTO website, hard copies are available in the front office, look for the forms also going out on Facebook and in the Woodridge EBlasts. The PTO will also be happy to email a copy to you if needed. With any questions or concerns, please contact Jill Charlton at [210-393-6943](tel:210-393-6943) or at jilcharlton@hotmail.com

District News

Link to All District Flyers - <http://www.ahisd.net/stupar/studentflyers.html>

ALAMO HEIGHTS ISD HEART OF HEIGHTS PROGRAM presents Dr. Michele Borba to speak to our Alamo Heights community on March 6, 2017. Dr. Borba is an internationally recognized expert and author on children, teens, parenting, bullying and moral development. For more information a copy of the flyer can be found on our website at http://www.ahisd.net/students_parents/student_flyers.

DESTINATION IMAGINATION - Come out and support Destination Imagination on Monday, March 6, 2017. Order breakfast, lunch or dinner at OrderUp at 999 East Basse Road at the Shops at Lincoln Heights and 20% of your bill will be donated to Destination Imagination. **Remember to tell the cashier you are supporting Destination Imagination.** Thank you for your support! For more information a copy of the flyer can be found on our website at http://www.ahisd.net/students_parents/student_flyers.

AHHS VOLLEYBALL – 3RD ANNUAL BBQ COOK OFF & FUNDRAISER – March 25, 2017, Alamo Heights Community Pool. For more information a copy of the flyer can be found on our website at http://www.ahisd.net/students_parents/student_flyers.

OPEN YOUR HEART WITH ELLA – Student of the Year – Ella Behnke, student and Alamo Heights High School cancer survivor herself, is working with other students to raise \$500,000 toward blood cancer research. To learn more about her charitable efforts and to help her earn the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society’s Student Series Student of the Year, go to <http://events.ils.org/pages/sctx/sanantoniosoy2017/ebehnke>.” A copy of the flyer can be found on our website at http://www.ahisd.net/students_parents/student_flyers.

SUMMER AT HEIGHTS 2017 ENRICHMENT CAMP opens registration on March 1st for some of San Antonio’s most exciting and fun learning opportunities! Taught by AH teachers and local professionals, incoming K-8th grade students enjoy half or full day fun in sports, technology, chess, cooking, theater, art, STEM, robotics and

much more! Find us on the district webpage in the “Students and Parents” tab, email SAH@ahisd.net, or call 832-5888.

BLUE-GOLD FLAG FOOTBALL CAMP – Summer camp sessions for boys in first through fifth grade interested in Flag Football have been set. For more information a copy of the flyer can be found on our website at http://www.ahisd.net/students_parents/student_flyers.

SAVE THE DATE – The Annual Mule Team Tailgate Party is Thursday, April 6th at 7:00 PM at the Pearl Stables. Proceeds from the event benefit AHHS aquatics, baseball, basketball, cheerleading, cross country, football, golf, JROTC, soccer, softball, Spurs, Special Olympics, tennis, track, volleyball and water polo. For ticket and table information, please contact Melany Andersen at (210) 216-4150 or melanyandersen@gmail.com.

AH ACADEMIC SUPPORT GROUP - Calling all parents! If you have a student in HEIGHTS, GT, Pre-AP, or AP courses in AHISD, you should join us on Monday, March 6 at noon in the Cambridge Auditorium for a meeting of the AH Academic Support Group! This district wide group supports YOUR student's teachers and we need your support too! For more information, please contact Stacy Foerster at kawuc@aol.com.

WOODRIDGE PTO is excited to sponsor “Woodridge Elementary’s Bright Minds” Spring Fundraiser on Wednesday, March 29th at the Pearl Studio. To purchase tickets go to <http://woodridgebrightminds.blogspot.com>. For more information a copy of the flyer can be found on our website at http://www.ahisd.net/students_parents/student_flyers

More Woodridge news @ www.ahisd.net/campuses/woodridge/index.htm