

Greywolf Elementary 2023-2024

FEBRUARY 23RD  FAMILY NEWSLETTER

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Greywolf families,

February is a big month in elementary school; so much to celebrate! Last Wednesday students celebrated Valentine's Day, and on Friday they welcomed the 100th Day of School! Be sure to check out photos submitted by teachers of their fun events and activities.

Next week is **Read Across America week** and we are packing in as much reading fun as we can! Each day will be a spirit day; please see attached schedule for our reading-themed days! Our Monday assembly will feature a children's book author talking about how to write a book, and sharing books she has written. We will end the week with 8th grade reading buddies visiting from Sequim Middle School which is always a favorite event!

Coinciding with our Read Across America week is the PTA Read-a-Thon fundraiser; see attached information for details!

Thank you,
Mrs. Lopez,
GWE Principal





Mr. Stevens' class wrote valentines to their hearts. Students learned how big their hearts were and how many times they beat in 30 seconds.



Mrs. McCrorie's class celebrated being 100 days smarter on the 100th day of school!

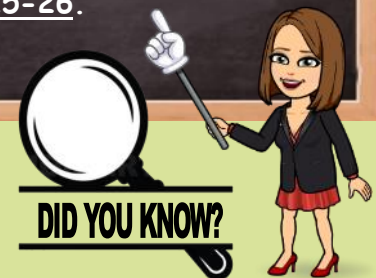
FEBRUARY / MARCH



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
26)	27)	28)	29)	1) MARCH
Read Across America Spirit Week (see pg. 2 for details)				Bingo Read-A-Thon Ends
4)	5)	6)	¿Preguntas? Llama a Sra. Carlson, 360-582-3310, por ayuda.	
			¡Habla español!	
11)	12)	13)	14)	15)
Education Support Professional's Week Celebrate our Paras, Custodians, Bus Drivers & Secretaries				

♥ **Reminder:** We've used up one snow make-up day, and we will have school on Friday, May 10th, 2024.

♥ The 2024-2025 and 2025-2026 Academic Calendars www.sequimschools.org or click here: [2024-25](#) & [2025-26](#).





READ ACROSS AMERICA Spirit Week



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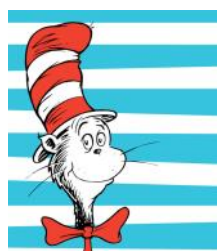
26)

Neon Colors:
We are
BRIGHT Readers



27)

Cat in the Hat
Wear stripes or
Dr. Seuss



28)

School Colors:
Grey & Blue



29)

Wear Words:
Clothing with as
many words as
possible



1) March

Cozy
Clothes



Mrs. Robbins celebrated Valentine's Day. They shared what they love most about their Kindergarten class.



100 Day Celebrations

- ▼ Mrs. Kleinberg's Kindergarten class— 100 balloons
- ▼ Ms. Drescher's Kindergarten class— 100 Days of Smarter Crowns!





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READATHON



Helen Haller

It's time for a readathon! Students from Helen Haller and Greywolf will be reading, reading, reading...and raising money while doing so! Funds will be going towards big end of year fun for students: 6 Books for Summer and Yearbooks!

The Readathon will run from February 12 - March 1.

FUNDRAISING

Fundraising can be done in person and online via FundHub. See the backside of this flyer for fundraising details



READING

Students will all receive a readathon bingo sheet. Mark off each square as they complete it! Once the squares are all marked off, turn it in and get a new one. Students can complete as many bingo sheets as they'd like!

DONORS

Many of the prizes are being generously donated by local businesses and groups! Be sure to follow Sequim Elementary PTA on Facebook and Instagram to join us in thanking them for their support! Thanks to their donations, more funds raised will be able to go directly toward PTA projects.

Readathon is organized & presented by:



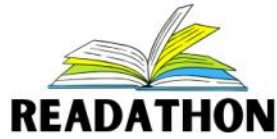
WHOLE CLASS PRIZES:

- The class that raises the most money in EACH GRADE earns a glow-in reading party! Students will get to read in a blacklight lit room with small flashlights and have a small dance party with glow sticks!
- The class that marks off the most bingo squares in EACH GRADE wins a cozy reading party in a *massive* cozy reading tent set up in the field.

INDIVIDUAL PRIZES:

- The TOP FOUR individual fundraisers will win prize baskets filled with all kinds of amazing reading based fun: books, bookmarks, reading lights...and some other fun surprises
- For our readers: every time a student turns in a blackout bingo card (every box marked off) they will be entered to win drawings for more fun reading prizes!

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Donation Log

Please use this log to report in person donations. The log with the donations needs turned into the school office by Friday, March 1. Cash and check donations have no service charge, 100% going directly toward the fundraiser! Online donations can be collected via FundHub. FundHub does charge the PTA a small fee.

Checks should be made out to SEPTA (Sequim Elementary PTA)

Donor Name	Amount	Cash	Check Number



Online fundraising through FundHub.
Easily share with friends and family across the country.
Register/update account by scanning the QR code or visit
<https://www.getmovinfundhub.com/event-webpage/65c509482efd8>


Scan to Register



FUNDRAISING GOAL: \$10,000

Donations due by Friday, March 1

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READATHON



Student _____

Teacher _____

 Read with a flashlight	Read a non-fiction book	 Read in Bed	Read to someone YOUNGER than you	 Read a GRAPHIC NOVEL 
Read a book with an ANIMAL as the main character	 Read under a blanket	Read in a silly voice	 Read with an ANIMAL (real or stuffed!)	Read upside-down
 Read while eating (be very careful with your book!)	Read while walking	 READ AT SCHOOL	Read a chapter book	 Read in the car
Read to someone OLDER than you	 Read Outside	Read a historical book (fiction or non-fiction)	 Read a recipe	Read a book about a PLACE
 Read a menu (at a restaurant or online)	Read a book with your favorite color on the cover	 Read while brushing your teeth	Read a book about your favorite sport	 Read with a friend

Every box completed counts as a point. Complete as many blackouts (marking off every box) as you can! Each blackout sheet handed is entered in a drawing for an individual prize. The class from each grade with the most points earns a class reading prize. Even if you don't have a blackout, still turn in your sheet so it can add to class points!

Bingo Sheets are due by Friday, March 1

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5th Annual Sequim Sunshine Festival

March 1 & 2, 2024



Art created by Mary Lewis

Celebrate the Sunshine in Our Hearts!

- Sound Community Bank Drone Show
- Peninsula Behavioral Health Sun Fun Color Run
- Clallam County PUD Interactive Light Experience
- Community Art, Sunshine Market, Food, Live Music & More!



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