

Greywolf Elementary 2022-2023

DECEMBER 16TH 🐾 FAMILY NEWSLETTER

Office Hours : 7:30am – 3:30pm ♥ E-mail: greywolf@sequimschools.org ♥ Office: 360-582-3300 ♥ Bus Garage: 360-582-3274



Greywolf families,

It has been an absolute joy to have families in the building for our different events over the first trimester of the year. Please enjoy some of the pictures taken at these events and look for more event invitations in our upcoming newsletters in 2023!

We have several new things coming up in the new year and wanted to put a bug in your ear now so you could be thinking ahead.

1. First off, the district is looking at offering high-dose tutoring opportunities three days a week after school. This would be on an invitation-only basis and students who are below grade level in math or language arts would qualify. There will be reduced bus runs with neighborhood stops, and sessions will be six-week long commitments.
2. Greywolf will have some co-curricular club opportunities beginning in the new year. We will send home information with students and attach the details to our newsletters. These clubs are on a first come, first served basis, so if you would like your child to participate, be sure to return permission slips as quickly as possible.
3. We are looking for volunteers to help supervise lunch, read with students, and help with a new art program. If you are interested, please visit this link ASAP and Mr. Fox will be contacting people over Winter Break so we can have systems in place for the new year.

Please enjoy the extra time with your students over the next two weeks, we appreciate you sharing them with us and we look forward to their return in January!

~ Mrs. Lopez,
GWE Principal



December & January at Greywolf 2023				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thurs	Friday
10)	20)	21)	22)	23)
 Winter Break See You Next Year! (Dec. 19th-Jan. 2) 				
2)	3)	4)	5)	6)
	Welcome Back! 8:20am	¿Preguntas? Señora Lopez, 360-582-3301	hi  hola	

Greywolf Winter Fun

Arts & Crafts, Movie Night, Family Portraits and Sequim High School Choir perform for students.



Volunteer Portal 2023

We have many volunteer opportunities at Greywolf.

Please complete the volunteer registration if interested.

gwe.sequimschools.org/volunteer

Other help:

Reading with Students
Copying for Staff
Classroom Volunteers


Mr. Fox will be connecting with volunteers over Winter Break to schedule.
360-582-3302

Greywolf Website: www.gwe.sequimschools.org

PTA: www.greywolfPTA.com

Highly Capable Program

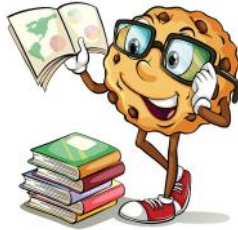
The Sequim School District's Hi-Cap Program referral window is now open. New student referrals begin Dec. 1 through January 31.

Details on the program and the referral process, including the referral packet, can be found on the district's website at http://www.sequimschools.org/instruction/highly_capable_hi-cap or the Greywolf office. 

Information Night: Thursday, January 12th at 5:00pm
Zoom meeting <https://sequimschools.zoom.us/j/86744098848>

Questions? Jodi Olson, Highly Capable Program Coordinator/Teacher

(360) 775-7083 or email
jolson@sequimschools.org



12 DAYS OF GIVING



DING! DONG!

Try our new door bell at the main entrance for early pickups and drop offs.



2023 Irrigation Festival Contests

Information was sent home before Winter Break. Please check backpacks

Festival Buttons Design
~ Grades 1-5

JR. Royalty Essay Contest
~ Grade 3

(Deadline for both ~ January 18th)



Sequim Schools Strategic Planning

What is a Strategic Plan? Strategic Planning is a focus on the future. It is the means by which the school district and the community contribute toward defining priorities, making decisions, and setting goals for our school system. In the end, a guiding document will be developed to articulate the goals, objectives, and desired measurable outcomes. We would love for you to be a part of this journey with Sequim School District.

How can YOU participate in our strategic planning process? Come join a round table! Superintendent Nickels will lead us through an introduction to the planning process and will begin our round table discussions to share perspectives and brainstorm ideas. Our collaborative gatherings will include a combination of presentations and forward-thinking discussion activities. We appreciate participants' active involvement if you can attend just one or all of the scheduled sessions. All meetings will take place at the Guy Cole Event Center (202 North Blake Avenue [Directions](#)) from 6pm-7:30pm

- Thursday, January 12, 2023- **Strategic Planning Process Introduction and Reflections**
- Thursday, January 26, 2023- **Workforce Needs and Societal Changes**
- Thursday, February 9, 2023- **Workforce Readiness and Skills for the Future**
- Thursday, March 2, 2023- **Identifying 21st Century Competencies**
- Thursday, March 16, 2023- **Portrait of a Graduate, Competencies, Integrated with District Goals**
- Thursday, April 13, 2023- **Vision to Mission: Competencies and S.W.O.T. Analysis**
- Thursday, May 11, 2023- **Strategic Plan Goals Development and Portrait of a Graduate Logo Creation**
- Thursday, May 25, 2023- **Strategic Plan Goals Development and Portrait of a Graduate Logo Creation continued**
- Thursday, June 8, 2023- **Strategic Plan Objectives Development and Portrait of a Graduate Logo Creation**
- Monday, June 19, 2023- **School Board Presentation**

We look forward to your ideas and participation. Thank you for your time and commitment to providing the best education for Sequim students. RSVP's are appreciated but feel free to attend if the opportunity presents itself. Our focus on the future is poised to bring our students real world and innovative educational opportunities.

Questions?: 360-582-3260





After School Meet the Masters Art Program

JANUARY 17-MARCH 7

TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS
WITH MRS. SCHRUBB

3:00-4:30PM
ROOM 143

4TH & 5TH GRADES ONLY

25 SPOTS AVAILABLE

FIRST COME FIRST SERVE

After learning the inspiration and techniques of each Master, Mrs. Schrubb will lead the students on a step-by-step journey through the art project. Often in the same medium, style or subject matter as the Master, the students will discover their creativity while developing confidence in their own unique abilities.

Art Masters included in the class are...

Mary Cassatt
M. C. Escher
Winslow Homer
Piet Mondrian
Claude Monet
Pablo Picasso
Vincent van Gogh

PLEASE COMPLETE & RETURN INFORMATION BELOW IF INTERESTED TO YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER

STUDENT: _____
GRADE: _____ TEACHER: _____
PARENT/GUARDIAN: _____
CELL #: _____ EMAIL: _____
ALLERGIES: _____

CLASS ENDS PROMPTLY AT 4:30PM

IF YOUR CHILD IS NOT PICKED UP AT THIS TIME, THEY WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO CONTINUE COURSE. THANK YOU FOR YOUR UNDERSTANDING.

QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS??

PLEASE CONTACT MRS. SCHRUBB AT PSCHRUBB@SEQUIMSCHOOLS.ORG



Inviting all 4th and 5th Grade Adventurers to participate in exploration, cooperation and questing. If you have played or are familiar with Dungeons and Dragons: GREAT! If you are new to the game and are interested in learning more: WONDERFUL!

D&D Club will **meet every Wednesday, beginning January 11th from 3:15 pm to 4:15 pm.** If you are already a player, you can bring your own dice and imagination! If you are a new player, we will have dice for you to use. In the first two sessions we will be learning how to work cooperatively and create our characters. Experienced players will have an opportunity to be Dungeon Masters and help teach others how to play.

PICKUP Required: Please be sure to arrange for students to be **picked up promptly at 4:15pm** at the main entrance. If you are a walker, please indicate that below. Mr. Sutherland will host the club in Room 123. First come first serve, with a maximum of 25 students.

Content Warning: Dungeons and Dragons is a game where players are presented with quests, moral and social dilemmas, requiring them to collaborate positively with their team and problem solve.

PERMISSION REQUIRED: For your child to join the Dungeon's and Dragons Club, you must sign below to indicate you have reviewed the above with your child and approve of their desire to join the club under the conditions listed.

If you have **questions** or concerns, PLEASE feel free to contact Mr. Sutherland at jsutherland@sequim.schools.org or (360) 582-3323.

It will be my pleasure to assist you in any way possible. Thanks for all you do.

YES, my child has my permission to join D&D Club. Phone#: () _____

Print Student's **Name & Teacher/Grade**

Parent **Signature**

Date



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When school is out, the Y is in! Registration is now open for two, one week sessions of winter break camp at the YMCA of Sequim. Session 1 We're bringing the Outside In with outdoor activities, done indoors! Session 2 campers will be immersed in a variety of art and craft projects. Each day will include time for campers to play in the pool!

SESSION 1: Outside In: December 19th-23rd SESSION 2: Art Explorers: December 26th-30th

Membership Benefits Vary by Location

TIME: 8:00 AM-3:00 PM
LOCATION: YMCA OF SEQUIM
610 N. FIFTH AVE
AGES: 6-11
COST PER
SESSION: \$190 for members
\$225 for non-members
CONTACT: tiffanybarnett@olympicpeninsulaymca.org or
Call 360-477-4381

PICK UP A REGISTRATION PACKET AT THE FRONT DESK OR CALL 360-477-4381!

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