

Greywolf Elementary 2022-2023

JANUARY 6TH  FAMILY NEWSLETTER

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Greywolf families,

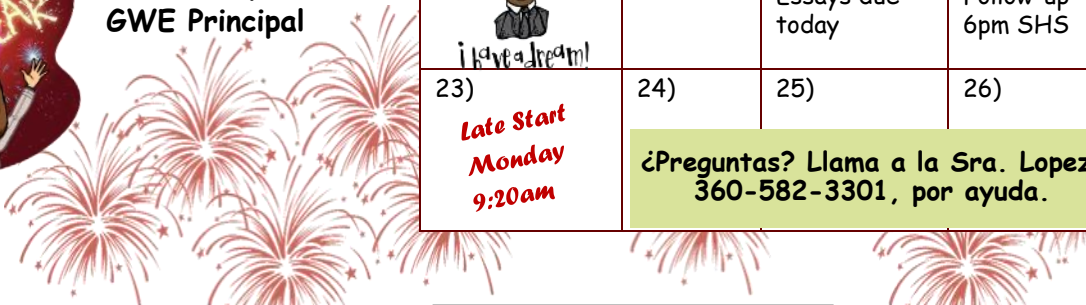
Happy New Year! We are excited to be back at school with your students as we kick off this new year! We always start January with mid-year testing to see the growth and progress that our students have made since the Fall. Our staff use this data to plan future instruction and to help determine extra supports students may need. Teachers will communicate progress with you through your child's report card which will come home in February.

Stay tuned to the calendar section of our newsletter for upcoming school events, and school closures.


Lastly, please consider attending our district's Strategic Planning sessions. More details are included in our newsletter, but this is an opportunity for you to help us shape the future of education in the Sequim School District. The input from our families is invaluable and we hope you will join us!



~ Mrs. Lopez,
GWE Principal



January is School Board Appreciation Month!

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thurs	Friday
9) Late Start Monday 9:20am	10)	11)	12)	13) Movie Night 5:30 Lyle, Lyle, Crocodile
16) MLK Jr. No School  i have a dream!	17)	18) Irrigation Festival Button & Essays due today	19) Safety Forum Follow-up- 6pm SHS	20)
23) Late Start Monday 9:20am	24)	25)	26)	27) Cooking Contest Recipes due today
¿Preguntas? Llama a la Sra. Lopez, 360-582-3301, por ayuda.				

Greywolf's Future Chefs

Calling all future 4th & 5th Grade Chefs!

- ♥ Sequim School District's food service provider, Sodexo is sponsoring their "Future Chefs" Competition on March 18.
- ♥ **Deadline:** Recipe entries must be submitted by January 27th.
- ♥ Please see the attached flyer on page 4 for more detailed information and links.



Volunteer Portal 2023

We have many volunteer opportunities at Greywolf. Please complete the volunteer registration if interested.
gwe.sequimschools.org/volunteer

Needs:

Reading with Students
Copying for Staff
Classroom Volunteers
Art Volunteers

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



Yearbook 2023 Attention 5th Graders DEADLINE is February 1st

- ♥ **Cover Contest:** Designs must be submitted on an 8.5x11 sheet of paper. (Spelling is very IMPORTANT and errors unfortunately won't qualify)
- ♥ Student name and teacher's name should be on the back of the paper.
- ♥ Winners will be SURPRISED when they see their artwork in or on the yearbook!

Baby Photos: Families please submit baby photo or toddler to Mrs. Lamb in our office. Greywolf@sequimschools.org or deliver a photo to the office for scanning and it will be returned.

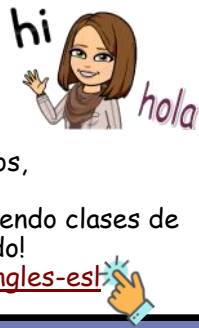


¿Necesitas aprender inglés para:

- ¿Ayudar a sus hijos con la escuela?
- ¿Consigue un mejor trabajo?
- ¿Obtener un certificado o título en tención médica, construcción, negocios, o muchas otras carreras?

Peninsula College y el YMCA estan ofreciendo clases de ingles en Sequim, cuidado de ninos incluido!

¡Haga clic! <https://pencol.edu/aprenda-ingles-es/>



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.

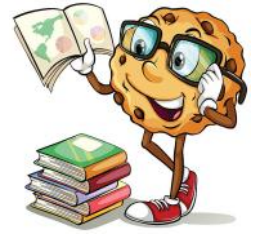
Details on the program and the referral process, including the referral packet, can be found on the district's website at http://www.sequimschools.org/instruction/highly_capable_hi-cap or the Greywolf office.

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



2023 Irrigation Festival Contests

Information was sent home before break.

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.

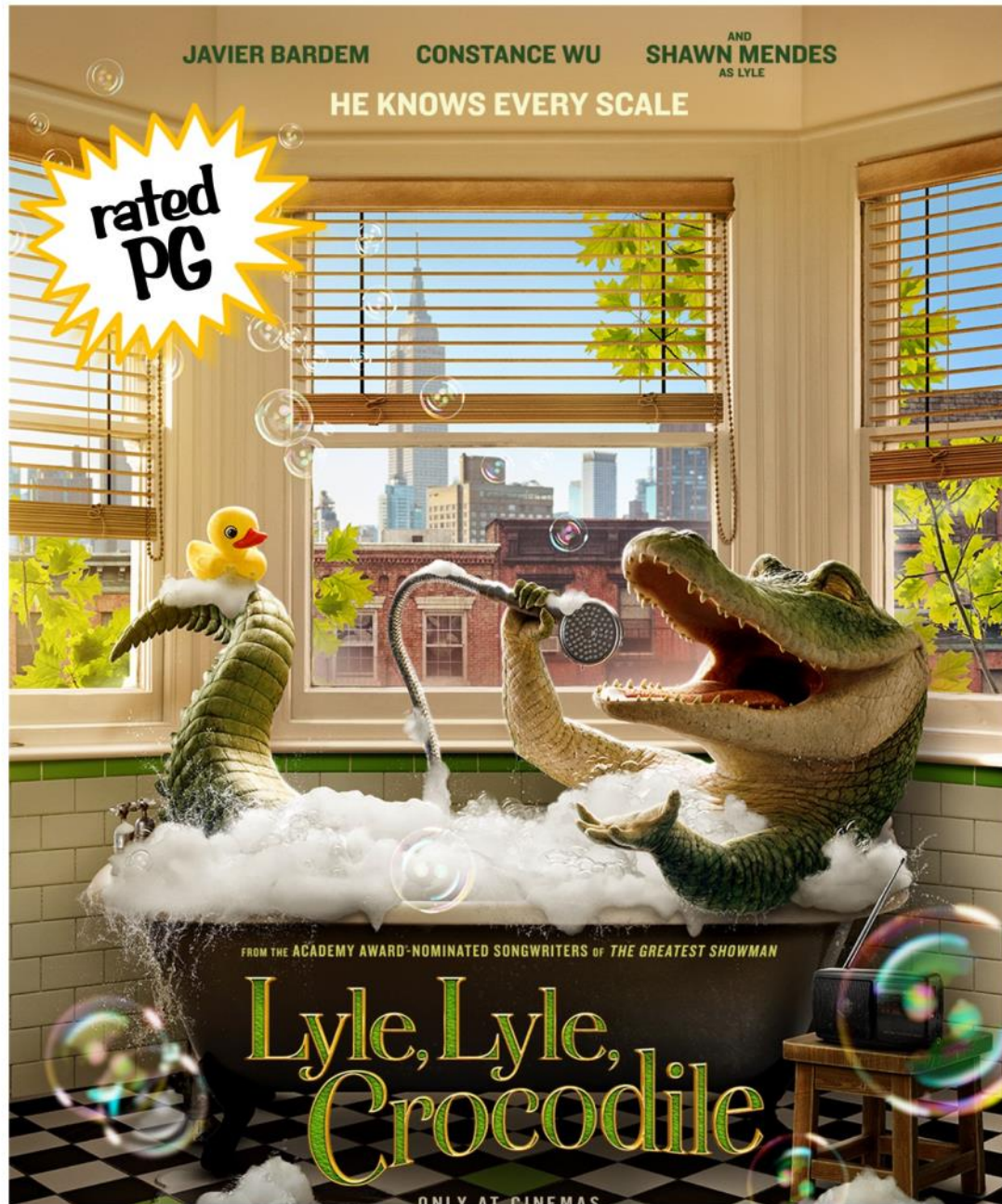
Questions?: 360-582-3260



Greywolf Free Family Movie Night

Sponsored by Greywolf PTA

COMING SOON



Friday, January 13th • 5:30 pm



Please bring:

- Blankets, pillows, folding chairs, bean bags, comfy seats
- Water bottles only please
- Popcorn Provided by PTA

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PG 2022, Kids & family/Musical, 1h 46m



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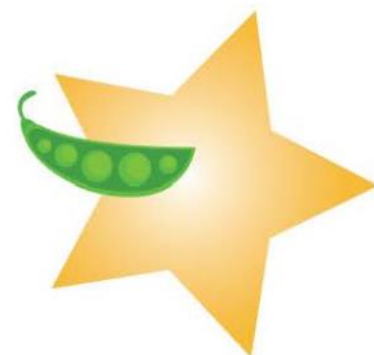
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81 Reviews



93%

AUDIENCE SCORE
1,000+ Verified Ratings

Calling all
"FUTURE CHEFS"
for our CULINARY
COMPETITION



by *sodexo*

**WE'RE LOOKING FOR YOU
TO COMPLETE THE PLATE
WITH YOUR FAVORITE
FRUIT OR VEGETABLE
SIDE DISH**

**ATTENTION: 4th & 5th
Grade Students**

Three lucky winners from each school will be chosen as finalists to compete in our contest at Sequim High School on **March 18, 2023**. As a bonus, the winner of this event will be entered in a Future Chefs National Challenge for some great prizes!



Student Recipe Submission Portal will Open on
December 5, 2022

Submit recipes no later than **Jan 27th** or online

Need a paper recipe form? Just ask Nutrition Services!

Tandi Wahlsten, Food Service Director, Sequim School District
360-582-3432 ♦ tandi.wahlsten@sodexo.com



PLEASE JOIN SEQUIM HIGH SCHOOL'S
CHEER PROGRAM FOR OUR



YOUTH CAMP



Saturday, January 14th, 2023
OPA/Community School Gym
400 N 2nd Ave, Sequim, WA 98382
9:00am - 12:00pm



Saturday, January 21st, 2023
Sequim High School Gym
Meet @ 6:30pm in the SHS Auxiliary Gym

PRE-REGISTER AT
[HTTPS://FORMS.OFFICE.COM/R/EVZDGF2DHN](https://forms.office.com/R/EVZDGF2DHN)
OR THROUGH THE QR CODE:



Registration forms will also be available the day of.

Sequim Little League

Registration | 2023 Season



T-Ball: \$85

Prep – Seniors: \$100

REGISTER ONLINE



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