

## Daily Announcements for: Tuesday, January 13, 2026

### For PreK-12<sup>th</sup> Students:

- Thought of the day: "Perfect is not attainable. But if we chase perfection we can catch excellence." – Vince Lombardi
- Joke of the day: How does a scientist freshen his breath? With experi-mints!
- Random fact of the day: Digging a hole to China is possible if you start in Argentina.
- **This Week's Lunch Menu and Helpers:**  
Tuesday, Jan. 13: BBQ's (PK-6) Stromboli (7-12), Gary/Beth Maas  
Wednesday, Jan. 14: Stromboli (PK-6) BBQ's (7-12), Emily Ringling  
Thursday, Jan. 15: Spaghetti, Nova Steinhauser
- **Next Week's Lunch Menu and Helpers:**  
Monday, Jan. 19: NO SCHOOL  
Tuesday, Jan. 20: Chicken Ramen Noodle Casserole, Cassie Erickson  
Wednesday, Jan. 21: Korean Beef Bowl, Pat Vander Pol and Elaine Veurink  
Thursday, Jan. 22: Chicken Noodle or Vegetable Beef Soup, Brandi DeLange
- No school next Monday, Jan. 19.
- Congratulations to the JH boys' basketball teams on 3 wins over TDA yesterday!

### For 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade Students:

- Friday, Lunch Clean Up (January 16) – Seniors
- Friday Music, January 16 – Band
- Seniors – graduation will be here before you know it. We need a digital copy of your senior photo for the local papers, Mitchell Daily Republic, yearbook, and class composite (flip charts in the lobby). Please email your picture(s) to Shauna by Friday, January 30.
- The following students did not return their laptops at the end of the day: Ty Maas, Scarlett Cole, LaTia DeLange, Jaden Faller, Mason Munneke, Sophia Nelson, and Paisley Van Dusseldorp. If this continues to be a problem privileges will be revoked.
- Also, if you borrowed a laptop charger yesterday, please return it!
- Today's transportation to the game in Tripp will be:  
Leaving at 2:30 with Mr. Kroese – Scarlett, Zoey, Sophia, Aspen, Lilly N, McKenna  
Leaving at 3:00 with Mrs. Niewenhuis – LaTia, Paisley, Jaden, Mason, Lane, Leo, Lily M, Halle, Audrey, Brooklyn, and Alyssa.

### For Preschool-6<sup>th</sup> Grade Students:

- **Lunch Times:** 11:40 a.m. – preschool; 11:45 a.m. – kindergarten; 11:50 a.m. – 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> grades; 11:55 p.m. – 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> grades; 12:00 p.m. – 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> grades
- Friday Music, January 16—Band

### Upcoming Events

- Jan. 13 BB DH vs. TDA, at Tripp
- Jan. 15 BB DH at Mitchell Christian, 5:00 JV girls, 6:00 JV boys, 7:30 Varsity boys
- Jan. 16 BB DH vs. Scotland/Menno, at Scotland
- Jan. 17 BBB Redfield Classic, 2:30 vs Northwestern
- Jan. 19 NO SCHOOL

JH BBB vs Parkston, at DC 4 p.m.

Jan. 20 BB DH vs Corsica-Stickney, at Corsica — 5:15 JV games (girls main gym, boys auxiliary gym), 6:30 Varsity girls, Varsity boys to follow  
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Jan 22 JH BBB vs Avon, at AC  
BB DH vs Avon, at AC (senior night)

Jan. 23 JH BBB at Burke  
Junior Honor Choir @ Rapid City (Danae F)

Jan. 24 JH BBB at Wagner  
GBB Irene-Wakonda Classic, at Irene (Varsity only) vs Sioux Falls Lutheran at 8:30 a.m.  
Junior Honor Choir @ Rapid City

Jan. 26 JH BBB vs Gayville-Volin, at AC  
BB DH vs. Platte-Geddes (rescheduled) at Platte

Jan. 27 BB DH vs Wessington Springs, at DC—Pep Band Plays

Jan. 29 JH BBB at Bon Homme

Jan. 30 JH BBB vs MCS, at DC

Jan. 31 JH BBB at Colome

Feb. 2 JH BBB vs Scotland/Menno, at Scotland

Feb. 3 JH BBB at Wagner

Feb. 4 HS Vocal Contest @ Kimball

Feb. 5 BB DH at Wagner

Feb. 7 JH BBB GPC  
GBB Highmore-Harold Classic, at Highmore (Varsity only)  
BBB Highmore-Harold Classic, at Highmore (Varsity only)

Feb. 9 JH BBB vs Corsica-Stickney, at Corsica  
GBB vs Sunshine Bible Academy, at DC  
School Board, 7:00 p.m.

Feb. 10 Fellowship Meeting at 5:30 p.m.  
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Feb. 12 NO SCHOOL: Preschool – 6<sup>th</sup> grades  
Parent Teacher Conferences Preschool – 6<sup>th</sup> grades, 8-3:00 p.m.  
Elementary Festival Honor Choir @ SDSU

Feb. 13 State E-sports

Feb. 14 GBB GPC at Bonesteel (Varsity only)  
State E-sports

Feb. 16 NO SCHOOL

Feb. 17 BBB at Sunshine Bible Academy

Feb. 18 HS Instrumental Contest @ Chamberlain

Feb. 19 BB DH vs KWL, at DC—Pep Band Plays  
Spelling Bee at Bonesteel

Feb. 21 BBB GPC (Varsity only), at Irene/Wakonda

Feb. 23 GBB Regions

Feb. 24 GBB Regions

Feb. 26 GBB Regions

Mar. 2 BBB Regions

Mar. 3 BBB Regions

Mar. 5 GBB SoDak 16

Mar. 6 End of 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter  
BBB Regions  
Middle School All-State Band

Mar. 7 Middle School All-State Band

Mar. 9 Symphony (3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>)  
School Board, 7:00 p.m.

Mar. 10 BBB SoDak 16  
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Mar. 11 Urban Plunge (9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>)  
Mar. 12 State GBB  
Mar. 13 State GBB  
Mar. 14 State GBB  
Mar. 18 Prairie Readers  
Mar. 19 NO SCHOOL – Spring Break  
State BBB  
Mar. 20 NO SCHOOL – Spring Break  
State BBB  
Mar. 21 State BBB  
Mar. 23 NO SCHOOL – Spring Break  
Mar. 25 Large Group Contest  
Mar. 26 HS TM at Yankton  
All-State Band @ Rapid City  
Mar. 27 All-State Band @ Rapid City  
Mar. 28 All-State Band @ Rapid City  
Mar. 31 HS TM at Gregory  
Young Band Festival @ Mitchell