

Daily Announcements for: Wednesday, February 4, 2026

For PreK-12th Students:

- Thought of the day: "Success is never so interesting as struggle." – Willa Cather
- Joke of the day: What do you call a snowman in the summer? A puddle!
- Random fact of the day: Approximately one-third of the population can't snap their fingers!
- **This Week's Lunch Menu and Helpers:**
Wednesday, Feb. 4: Lasagna, Jonna DeHaan – lunch will be in the lobby today
Thursday, Feb. 5: Cheesy Potato Soup or Taco Soup, Brianna Veurink
- **Next Week's Lunch Menu and Helpers:**
Monday, Feb. 9: Korean Beef Bowl, Kirsti Muckey
Tuesday, Feb. 10: Tator Tot Casserole, Katie Hoekema
Wednesday, Feb. 11: Breakfast Burritos, Linda Feenstra
Thursday, Feb. 12: NO HOT LUNCH (No School for PK-6)
- Archery Practice this week: Friday, Feb. 6: 3rd-6th grades from 7:00-8:00 p.m. and 7th-12th grades from 8:00-9:00 p.m.

For 7th-12th Grade Students:

- Friday, Lunch Clean Up (February 6) – Junior High *note change
- Friday Music, February 6 - CHOIR
- Interested in being part of the spring play? Sign up in the office TODAY. The number of participants will help determine the script selection, which will be revealed soon!
- Platte Youth Group this week we have a guest speaker, one of your mentors, their initials are JB!
- HS Vocal Contest Students: You will be dismissed for lunch at 11:40. We need to leave the school at noon!

For Preschool-6th Grade Students:

- **Lunch Times:** 11:40 a.m. – preschool; 11:45 a.m. – kindergarten; 11:50 a.m. – 1st/2nd grades; 11:55 p.m. – 3rd/4th grades; 12:00 p.m. – 5th/6th grades
- Friday Music, February 6 – CHOIR

Parents/Readers on the Web:

- **URGENT!** The Scrip team NEEDS someone willing to take over the program ASAP. If you are curious or interested in taking this over, please contact Joan Niewenhuis (605-680-0258).
- Preschool – 6th grades Parent teacher conferences, Thursday, Feb. 12, 8:15 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Parents remember to sign up!
- Anyone interested in coaching track for the upcoming spring season? Know of someone who would like to coach track? Talk to Mrs. Niewenhuis or Mr. Peters.
- Hot lunch department needs freezer space for a full pork, starting now and going to the end of the school year or the pork is gone – whichever comes first.
- Junior Parents are selling Little Caesars Pizza Kits to raise money for Dakota Christian School Post Prom Activities! They are convenient and delicious, perfect to have on hand for busy days. You can order by clicking the link here <https://fundraising.littlecaesars.com/products?support=429153ae-a9c8-40cf-93c5-4e673a510cdb>
It's easy and only takes a few minutes to order. You can pay by credit card and the yummy Kits will be shipped right to your door by FedEx. It's the same price to ship 1 or 2 Kits, so I'm thinking you might want to get 2! Thank you so much for your help!
- Blood drive for today was CANCELLED due to staffing illness.

- Birthday Calendars have arrived. If you have not received yours, please let us know.

Today's Absences

Payton E

Sophia N – coming in later

Today's School Excused Absences

Leaving at noon - Brooklyn, Danae, Ty, Jaden, Audrey, Kathryn, Felicity

Upcoming Absences

Wednesday, Feb. 11

Kane D – leaving at 2:45

Wednesday, Feb. 25

Kahne D – leaving at 2:45 p.m.

Upcoming Events

Feb. 4 HS Vocal Contest @ Kimball (Brooklyn, Danae, Ty, Jaden, Audrey, Kathryn, Felicity)

Feb. 5 BB DH at Wagner

JH BBB, 4:00 at Wagner (played in the Armory)

Feb. 7 JH BBB GPC

GBB Highmore-Harold Classic, at Highmore (Varsity only)

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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 – 6th grades

Parent Teacher Conferences Preschool – 6th grades, 8:15-3:30 p.m.

Feb. 13 State E-sports

Feb. 14 GBB GPC at Bonesteel (Varsity only)

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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 3rd Quarter

BBB Regions

Mar. 9 Symphony (3rd & 4th)

School Board, 7:00 p.m.

Mar. 10 BBB SoDak 16

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Mar. 11 Urban Plunge (9th – 12th)

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
State Archery, Yankton
Mar. 21 State BBB
Mar. 23 NO SCHOOL – Spring Break
Mar. 25 Large Group Contest
Mar. 26 HS TM at Yankton
Mar. 31 HS TM at Gregory