

Heritage Elementary

The Husky Herald

JANUARY 2014

PTA Newsletter



Mark Your Calendars:

- Jan. 8 & 9: 6-8 pm, Western Night →
- Thurs. Jan. 9: 9:30 am, PTA mtg., all parents welcome
- Mon. Jan. 13: Furlough Day, No School
- Mon. Jan. 20: Martin Luther King Jr. Day, No School
- Wed. Jan. 22: Science Fair Entry Deadline
- Jan. 22-29: Open Enrollment for ASC (see pg. 2)
- Fri. Jan. 24: Reading Counts Cut off
- Wed. Jan. 29: 5:30 pm- Set up for Science Fair
6:00- 7:30 pm- Science Fair
- Thurs. Jan. 30: 10 am: Heritage Adventure Assembly
- Fri. Jan. 31: 1:30 pm: Reading Counts Assembly
- Thurs. Feb. 6: PTC's: Early out at 1:10 pm (see pg. 2)
- Fri. Feb. 7: PTC's: Regular Friday schedule
- Fri. Feb. 28: Furlough Day, No School
- March 3-7: Book Fair
- March 5: Literacy Night!!!!

Help Wanted

We are looking for someone who is willing to serve on the South Council PTA Board. Your responsibilities would include attending just one meeting every other month. Please contact Amy Johnson at amynmarkj@q.com if you are interested. We are also still looking for people willing to serve on the PTA board for 2014-2015 school year. This is your chance to get involved and to have a say! If you are interested in running for PTA President-Elect for 2014-2015 or for want to be involved in any other positions or committees, please let us know! Please contact Amy Johnson at amynmarkj@q.com or Tennille Phillips at tennillephillips@yahoo.com. Thanks!!!



From the Principal's office

Parents, a new plan will be in place for the loading and unloading of children beginning the day we come back from Christmas Break! Look for the attached letter of how it will work and please be patient while the changes are being implemented!
~Ms. McDowell



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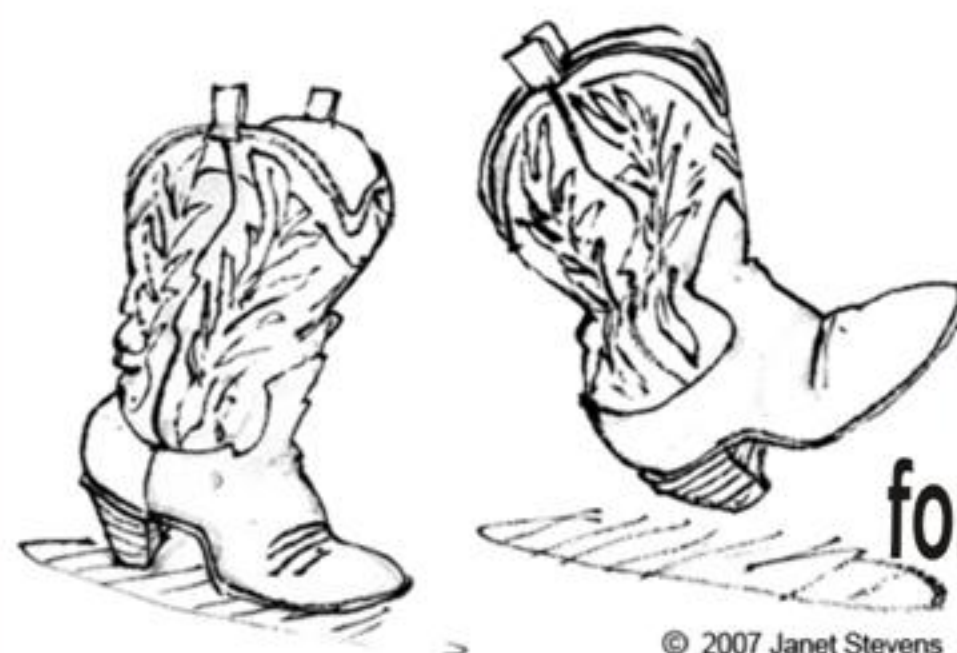
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Western Night DANCE

Grab a partner and shine your boots
It's time to hit the wood floor and show your stuff!

Jan 8th For the Guys
Jan 9th For the Gals

Kinder, 1st & 2nd grade 6-7pm
3rd, 4th & 5th grade 7-8pm



Bring your camera for the photo booth

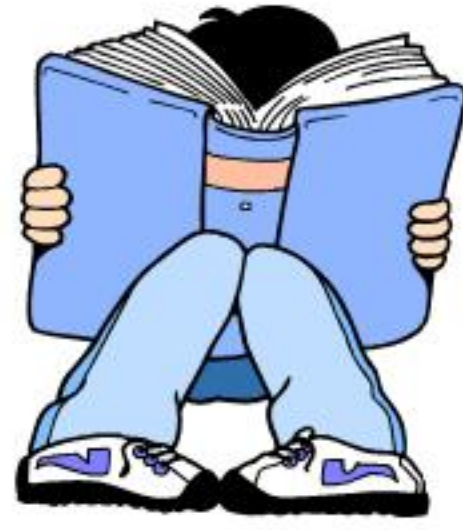
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Dare to Explore

The Science Fair is coming soon!!! The Theme this year is: "Dare to Explore" and will be held January 29 in the school gym. Entry forms are due Wednesday Jan. 22 by the end of school. Set up for the Science fair will start at 5:30 in the gym and the Science Fair will be from 6:00- 7:30 pm. Start thinking now of a great project to share! Please contact Jessica Crook for questions or for more information at rjcrook@q.com.



"Reading gives us someplace to go when we have to stay where we are."
- Mason Cooley



Librarian's corner

Welcome back! Thanks to all of you who participated in Cozy Up and Read! As we get started in our new year we are working towards our 10,000 point goal to help us reach the next checkpoint on the Iditarod trail, Kaltag. If we reach our goal we will celebrate with a "sports" day! The Reading Counts cut off is on Friday, January 24th and the assembly will be on Friday, January 31st.

~Mrs. Barber

Reflections

Congratulations to all who participated in Reflections! There were so many impressive entries on display at our Showcase Night. Those who attended were able to see the amazing talents of our Heritage Elementary Students. Look at the glass display case to see photos of students who entered. Congratulations to the students who won at the Council PTA level:

- * **Colton Liqun** won 1st place in Photography
 - * **Laura Rigby** won 1st place in Music
 - * **Corbett Sorensen** won 1st place in Film.
 - * **Alexis Lindsey** received an Honorable Mention in Dance
 - * **Annie Cullumber** received an Honorable Mention in Visual Arts.
- Council level includes 9 Elementary Schools, and there was only one winner and one Honorable mention recipient in each category, so Heritage Elementary was very well represented! Great job, Husky artists!!!



Earn \$\$ for our school

We have a Box top and Campbell's labels contest going the first 2 wks in January. The winning class will get a fun prize of mechanical pencils and cell phone erasers!!!! Be sure to send in those Box Tops & Campbell's labels!!! And please be sure to link your Macey's Perk card and your Smith's Rewards card to Heritage Elementary for great rewards for our school!!!



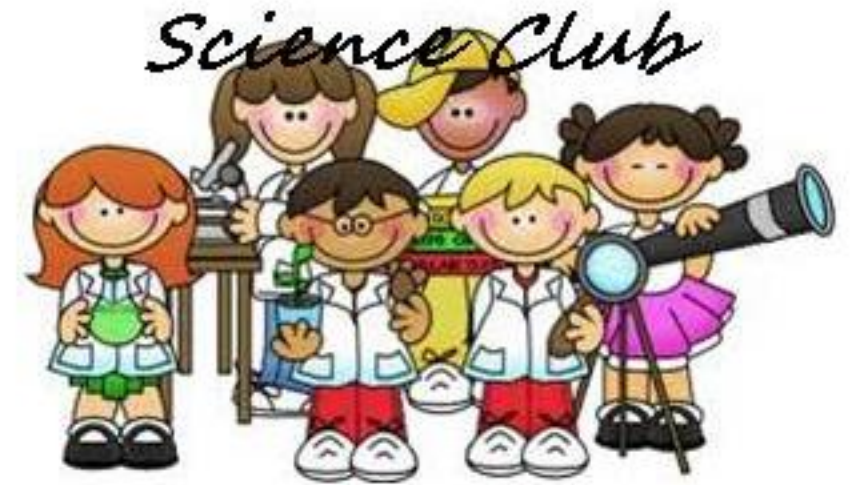
Parent Teacher Conference Schedule

Look for a letter coming home with information about scheduling your Parent/Teacher Conferences in February. Here's a look at the Schedule for that week:

- Wednesday Feb. 5th:** Regular School day, out at 3:25 pm
Conferences will run from 3:30 to 6:00 pm
- Thursday Feb. 6th:** Early out at 1:10 pm
Conferences will run from 1:30 - 7:30 pm
- Friday Feb. 7th:** Regular Friday Schedule, out at 2:10 pm
Conferences will run from 2:30-4:00 pm

After School Club

The REACH ASC will be opening up a Science Club in February. Details of the club will be available on the next flyer home. February Calendars will be open for enrollment on Wednesday January 22nd



and close the following Wednesday Jan 29th. Please remember that you can enroll ONLINE!!!! Go to <http://www.ccsdut.org/Heritage> and click on ACTIVITIES and select REACH-ASC. This will take you to our website and you can click on "Registration and Calendars." There will be a link for the February Calendar, click on it and fill out the form and SUBMIT. It is SUPER EASY and really quick and convenient! The ONLINE calendar as well as the paper calendars WILL CLOSE on the 29th and WILL NOT be available until the 22nd. Thanks for being flexible with all the continuing changes!

~Mrs. Harris

School hours

Monday thru Thursday:

- Grade 1-5: 9:05 am - 3:25 pm
 - AM Kindergarten: 9:05 am - 12:05 pm
 - PM Kindergarten: 12:25 pm - 3:25 pm
- #### Friday:
- Grade 1-5: 9:05 am - 2:10 pm
 - AM Kindergarten: 9:05 am - 11:35 am
 - PM Kindergarten: 11:40 am - 2:10 pm

Parent Unloading/Loading in front of Heritage Elementary

Please help keep our kids safe!!

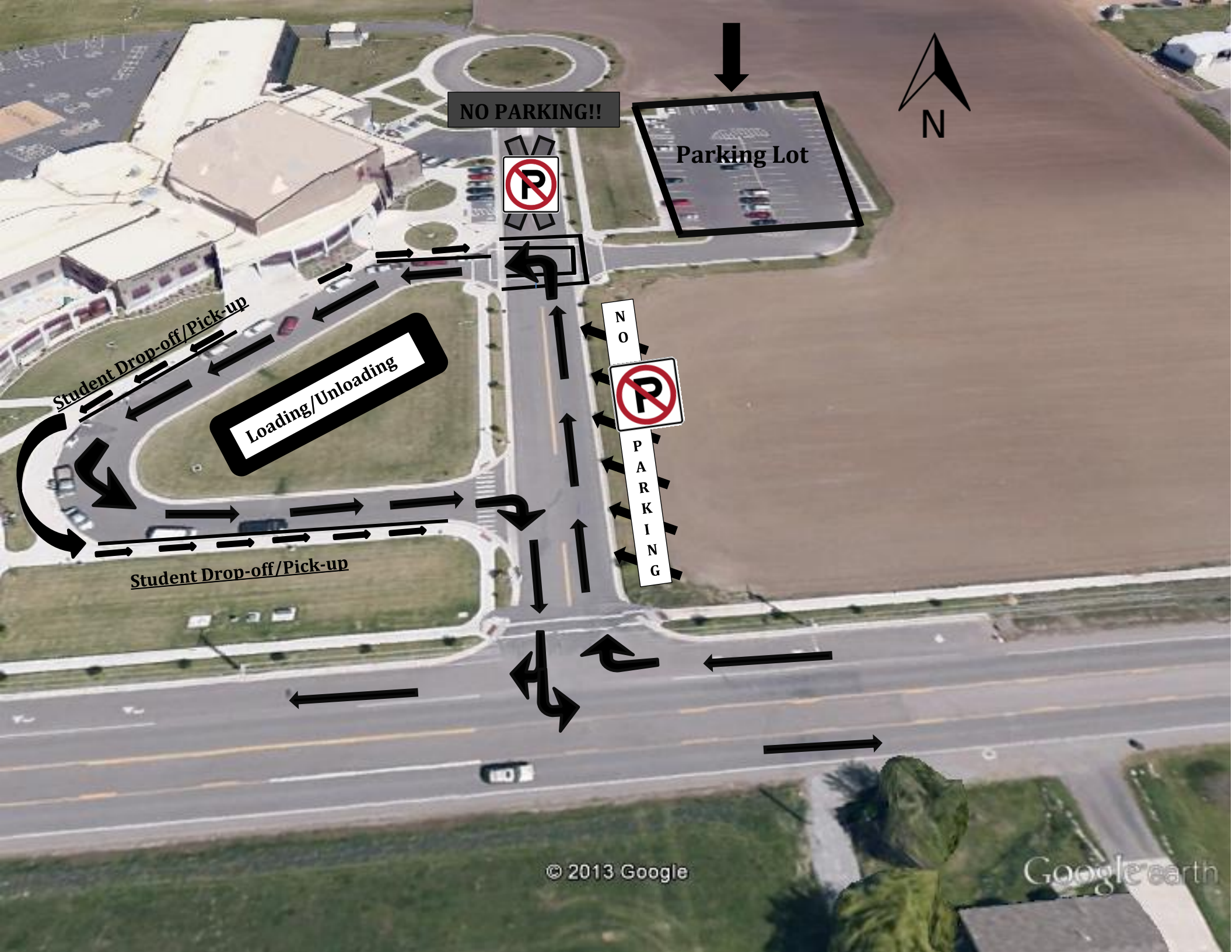
- ~ **Never** leave your vehicle unattended in the circle drive! **PM Kindergarten is an exception (see below):**
If you have to leave your vehicle, **PARK** in the designated parking lots! This includes any assemblies or programs!
- ~ If you arrive before 3:15, please park in the parking lot! *The circle drive must remain open after 9:15 and before 3:15 in case of emergencies. The emergency vehicles would need to enter the circle drive and if cars are parked there, this causes problems for the emergency vehicles. If your child is sick or you are just checking them out during the school day, please know you can pull in front of the school for the short time you will be picking them up.*
- ~ During high traffic time (drop-off and pick-up) pull as far forward as possible in the circle drive even if this means to the stop sign! Children can walk to your vehicle using the sidewalk.
- ~ Children are to **EXIT** the passenger side of the vehicle only! *If they exit the driver's side, this puts them in danger of on-coming vehicles.*
- ~ **DO NOT PARK** on cross-walks!
- ~ You may **NO** longer pick your child up on the side of the school, unless you park in the parking lot and use the crosswalks. Children will be held in the front of the school for pickup unless you have parked in the parking lot and have made arrangements for your child to walk safely across to your car in the parking lot.
- ~ If you are waiting in the line to pull into the circle drive and your child has not come out, please move forward so the next vehicle can move in.
- ~ Bus zone, **NEVER** cross in front of a bus, and use designated cross-walks.
- ~ **NEVER** pull your vehicle into the bus parking for any reason!
- ~ Parents, students, visitors please use crosswalks; walk your bikes, scooters, roller blades, roller skates, etc.

It's Unlawful to pull into a handicap parking stall to drop off or pick your child up without the proper permission of legal identification (handicap parking pass).

~ **Kindergarten Parents!!!** If you walk your child into their classroom, please park your vehicle in the parking lot and use crosswalks to walk your child in. **DO NOT** park in the circle drive and leave your vehicle unattended. If your child is in the PM session, please **DO NOT** arrive before 3:15, if you do, please park in the parking lot, **then at 3:15 you may pull into the circle drive and then pick up your child at the gate.** It is very important that **ALL** parents follow these safety rules; they are intended to keep **CHILDREN SAFE!!!** It only takes **7 minutes** from the PM bell to clear the circle drive after school. Please be patient so we can keep children safe!!!

These rules will be enforced beginning Thursday January 2!!!

Thank you so much for your cooperation and helping keep Heritage Huskies Safe, Kind, and Responsible!



NO PARKING!!

Parking Lot

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Student Drop-off/Pick-up

Loading/Unloading

Student Drop-off/Pick-up

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