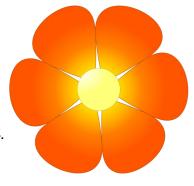
From the Desk of the Principal

We hope you have all enjoyed your first weeks of summer break.

We are well on our way to preparing for another great school year in 2017-2018. Our enrollment will be around 625 students. Due to this increase, we have a large number of new staff members joining us. Below are the new staff members with a complete staff roster included in this newsletter.

Jenni Borer-8 Reading/LA Bellar Chavez–World Language Holly Hesse–Family/Consumer Science Jake Kment–6 Science Barb Mohrman–World Language Joel Ratzlaff-Computers 8th Special Education-TBD *a complete EGMS staff list can be found on page 4.

Have a great summer!



Summer Hours

Beginning July 24th, office hours at Grandview Middle School will be 8:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. If you are unable to reach anyone at (402) 289-9399, please call Central Office at (402) 289-2579 and leave a message. We will get back to you as soon as possible.

August Back-to-School 101

Elkhorn Grandview Middle School will be holding Back-to-School 101 on Thursday, August 10th for ALL students from 10am–7pm. We encourage everyone to attend in order to take care of all the paperwork required to start the school year. It will also give your child another chance to get in the building and familiarize themselves with the layout. For complete details for Back to School 101 see page 3.

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Report cards and MAP achievement test results were mailed May 31st. If you have questions about your child's report card or test results, please give us a call at (402) 289-9399.



Fourth Quarter Antler Award Winners

6th Grade: Ava Murphy & Ben Reynolds 7th Grade: Ella Dalton & Izec Dingman 8th Grade: Kayli Pham & Blake Kidder



First Day of School

The first day for students will be Thursday, August 17th, a full day with lunch being served. The middle school day runs from 8:10 a.m.-3:20 p.m.



7th & 8th Grade Fall Sports

7th & 8th Grade Football and Volleyball will have an informational meeting after school on Aug. 17 or 18. Practice will begin after that. More detailed information will be sent out as it becomes available.



New Student Registration

New student registration is scheduled for Tuesday, August 2 and Wednesday, August 3from 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. for any new students to the district. Please call the school at (402) 289-9399 after July 26 to set up a time to register your student. Please bring immunizations, birth certificate, proof of residency, and any other information that may be useful for registering your child.

SPORTS PHYSICALS FOR 2017-2018

Sports Physicals will no longer be offered at EHS. All 7th & 8th graders for the 2017-2018 school year who plan to participate in sports at EGMS will need a sports physical from their own personal physician/clinic. Please contact your health care provider to arrange for your child to get a Sports Physical for next year. <u>Keep in mind that Sports</u> <u>Physicals for next school year must be dated</u> <u>after May 1, 2017.</u> Most physician offices will get very busy in late summer so schedule your appointments early. Fall sports will begin the first week of school in August and students are not allowed to participate without having a Sports Physical turned in.

If your student is a 7th grader for 2017/2018 they require a full physical which will cover the Sports Physical requirement.

Box Tops Update

The final results for 2016/2017 are in! Way to go EGMS! As a school we collected 6,947 Box Tops which equals \$694.70. Thank you so much to all who participated! A special thank you goes to Kathie Russell for taking charge of the program. Remember to continue to collect Box Tops over the summer and turn them in to your High 5 teacher when school resumes in the fall. Happy Clipping!



BACK-TO-SCHOOL 101 DAY August 10, 2017

Elkhorn Grandview Middle School will have a registration day for all students before school starts on:

Thursday, August 10 from 10:00 a.m. -- 7:00 p.m.

Students will arrive and proceed through a series of stations:

- 1) Pick-up Student Information Cards and make any necessary changes
- 2) Pick-up Student Agenda/Handbook and sign release form
- 3) Optional: Prepay for Yearbook (\$30.00)
- Athletic Information/Athletic Physical Forms, Activity Pass (\$35.00). Seventh and eighth graders will need an activity pass if you will be participating in sports.
- 5) Lunch Account
- 6) School pictures (Picture packets are optional, school yearbook photo-no charge)
- 7) Health Update Forms, School Physicals, Immunizations
- 8) Return signed Student Information Card & Activity/Photo Release
- 9) Pick-up student schedule
- 10) Questions/answers/tours

Many of the forms that will need to be completed will be available at the Elkhorn Grandview Middle School webpage after August 1.

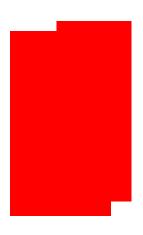
Students are encouraged to bring their school supplies and put them in their lockers after they pick up their schedules.

We will need several volunteers to help with the various stations. If you are willing to help, please contact Anne Revers, EGMS Booster Club President, at nurserev@juno.com Thanks for your help!

SMILE!

School pictures will be taken during pre-registration. Please dress accordingly.





2017- 2018 FACULTY & STAFF Michael Tomjack, Principal Kyle Peterson, Counselor Danielle McGlynn, Administrative Coordinator

6th GRADE CORE

Linda Blomenkamp, Math Dawn Bodyfield, Science Amy Eikmeier, Math Jake Kment, Science Tim Lucks, Science Megan Miller, Social Studies Brenda Royal, Language Arts Krisa Smith, Language Arts Meghan Sullivan, SS/Reading Sally White, Reading

7th GRADE CORE

Kyle Bluhm, Social Studies Dawn Bodyfield, Science Dan Feickert, Social Studies Alyssa Hansen, Language Arts Rachel Harger, Math Rachel Jussel, Reading/LA Bobbi Kudrna, Reading Lance Kush, Science Kari Pilkington, Math

8th GRADE CORE

Beth Banks, Math Rebecca Bloom, Science Jenni Borer, Reading/LA Tracy Everly, Social Studies Dan Feickert, Social Studies Rachel Harger, Math Lance Kush, Science Rachael Mimick, Language Arts Cassandra Schroeder, Reading

SPECIAL AREA STAFF

Jill Annis, Media Center Ryan Chandler, Industrial Tech Belar Chavez, World Language Lance Greteman, Art Katherine Griffen, H.A.L.E. Rachel Gogan, Special Education Holly Hesse, Family/Consumer Science Korrinda Jamieson, School Psychologist Chris Johnson, Band Cynthia Krug, World Language Trisha Kuiper, Special Education Patty Lorensen, Special Education Barb Mohrman, World Language Jacob Rapp, P.E. Joel Ratzlaff, Computers Tina Schwahn, Vocal Music Robin Stenglein, Speech Pathologist Joseph Timmerman, Speech/Drama Jennifer Wragge, P.E. Mike Zeplin, Health **TBD**, Special Education

BUILDING ASSISTANTS

Sue Adams Annie Badalucco Megan Burdek Sherry Georgi Eve Hawkins Jill Musel Tracy Nelson Michelle Ortega Kelli Robinson Dawn Sumrell Tonya Szymczak Michael Tuosto

OFFICE/CUSTODIAL

Therese Lerner, Secretary Mary Beth Logelin, Secretary John Jackson, Head Custodian Bill Koll, Custodian TBD, Custodian





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DATES

School Year - Aug 17 to May 25

(if needed, all other make up days TBA)

2 Scheduled Make-up Days

177 Student Days

190 Teacher Days

First Quarter					
<u>(Aug</u>	17	- Oct	12)=	39	Days

- 8-10 New Teacher Orientation
- 11, 14-16 Teacher In-service 17 Classes Commence

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Third Quarter

<u>(Jan 4 - Mar 15) = 49 Days</u>

Dec. 25 - Jan. 3 Winter Break

3 Teacher In-service - NO School

15 Teacher In-service - NO School

14-15 *Parent/Teacher Conferences -One Hour Early Dismissal 16 NO School

Fourth Quarter (Mar 26 - May 24) = 42 Days

15 End of Third Quarter

16 Teacher In-service - NO School

19-23 Spring Break

18 Teacher In-Service - NO School

Second Quarter (Oct 16 - Dec 22) = 47 Days

4 Labor Day

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20 Graduation

25 (Becomes vacation day if no more than one missed school day)

20 - Teacher In-service - NO School

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A teacher inservice will be held on the first business day following the last student day 28 Memorial Day

23-24 Thanksgiving Vacation

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22 End of Second Quarter Dec 25 - Jan 3 Winter Break

> Student Hours Elementary 8:15 - 3:06 Middle School 8:10 - 3:20 High School 8:10 - 3:20

*Parent/Teacher Conference Times Elem. 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm Middle 4:30 pm to 8:30 pm High 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm

CALENDAR KEY

First & Last Student Day NO School

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Teacher In-service/Work Day

A Parent/Teacher Conference

Ο One Hour Early Dismissal

Missed Day Contigency



The following student supply list is provided to assist you this summer and early fall to prepare for the school year. Students are encouraged, but not required, to bring the following school supplies. Please note this is a year round list to be kept throughout the year.

6 th Grade	7 th Grade	<u>8th Grade</u>
#2 Pencils	#2 pencils	#2 pencils
Erasers	Erasers	Blue or black pens
Blue or black pens	Blue or Black pens	Red pen
Red pen	Red pen	Highlighters
Markers	Markers	Colored pencils
Highlighters	Highlighters	Dry erase markers
Colored pencils	Colored pencils	Glue Sticks
Dry erase markers	Dry erase markers	Loose-leaf paper
Glue Sticks	Glue Sticks	(College ruled)
Loose-leaf paper	Loose-leaf paper	(6) 2 Pocket folders
(4)Single-subject	(College ruled)	(6) Separate spiral
notebooks	(6)Single subject	notebooks
(1) Composition notebook	notebooks	(2) Composition notebooks
Index cards	(2) Composition notebook	Calculator (w/fraction key)
(3) boxes of tissues	Calculator (w/ fraction key)	Index cards
(1) 2"three-ring binder	Index cards	(3) boxes of tissue
5 tab dividers	(3) boxes of tissue	(1) 2" 3-ring binder
Trapper with (7) 2 pocket	(1) 1" 3-ring binder	Optional organizational
folders or accordion file	Organizational system	system (folders or trapper)
Inexpensive ear buds	(folders or trapper)	Inexpensive earbuds
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Band and Chorus Students: Music Department T-shirt (\$10.00), black slacks, black socks, black shoes.

P.E. Students: Tennis shoes, t-shirts, and shorts.

Spanish Students: Spiral notebook, 2 pocket folder, blue or black pens, Index cards.