

HILLRISE

elementary



Hillrise Huskies...Teamwork Makes the Dream Work!

Happy Friday Hillrise Families!

This past week we have been MAP testing in grades 2-5. Map (Measure of Academic Progress) is a computer-adaptive test. If your child answers a question correctly, the next question is more challenging. If they answer incorrectly, the next one is easier. MAP uses a RIT scale to accurately measure what students know, regardless of their grade level. It also measures growth over time, allowing you to track your child's progress throughout the school year and across multiple years. After each test, your child receives a RIT score. RIT scores have the same meaning across grade levels. If a fourth-grade student and an eighth-grade student have the same RIT score in reading, then they are testing at the same level in that subject. Teachers use these scores to help drive small group instruction/practice. It gives us great data!

Our Lost and Found is really full! Please come on up and take a look or have your child check if you are missing items!

Please remember the Cookie Dough Fundraiser delivery is Tuesday. If you have a large order, please make arrangements to pick it up at 3:06.

Congratulations to this week's Allstar winners:

Kindergarten: Gavin Hickle

First Grade: Brianna Fruit

Second Grade: Mia Talman

Third Grade: Addie Cone

Fourth Grade: Gavin Starman

Fifth Grade: Gavin Knapp

Have a wonderful weekend!

Deb Madden

Principal Hillrise Elementary

402-289-2602

dmadden@epsne.org

December 8, 2017

[TUESDAY] **DECEMBER 12**

Cookie Dough Delivery

[THURSDAY] **DECEMBER 14**

Family Night Out Paradise Café

[TUESDAY] **DECEMBER 19**

Winter Assembly

DECEMBER 23-JANUARY 3

Winter Break

[THURSDAY] **JANUARY 4**

Return to School

[FRIDAY] **JANUARY 5**

Report Cards come home

[MONDAY] **JANUARY 15**

Teacher In-service, no school

[MONDAY] **JANUARY 22**

PTO Meeting 6:30

Dr. Bary Habrock speaking

[WEDNESDAY] **JANUARY 31**

Third Grade Field Trip—The Rose

[MONDAY] **FEBRUARY 5**

PTO Meeting 6:30

Hillrise's Helpful Hearts Food Drive

I Can, You Can, We can...

Teamwork Makes the Dream Work

**The Hillrise Student Council is hosting a
non-perishable food drive!**

Monday, December 11th - Friday, December 15th

**If we reach 500 donated items, Ms. Madden and Mrs. Joiner will
come to school in their PJs.**

(daily updates will be on the news report)

Suggested Items to Donate -

**canned meat (tuna, chicken, salmon), tomato sauce, pasta, boxed
meals (mac and cheese, hamburger helper), peanut butter, rice,
beans, canned fruits, canned veggies, soups, oatmeal, and baby
foods.**

****THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!!****

From the Hillrise PTO

Hillrise Families: Our December Family Night Out is conveniently located in Village Pointe Shopping Center. Grab some dinner, coffee, dessert, or maybe all of the above while maybe taking care of some Christmas/Holiday shopping at the same time on Thursday 12/14 4-8pm. There will be a jar on the countertop at checkout for you to place your receipt in and just like that Hillrise will get 15% of your receipt. Enjoy the night out and thanks for supporting Hillrise!!

School Hours: 8:15-3:06

Breakfast: 7:35-7:55

Walking Club: 7:55-8:10

Lunch Times:

Kindergarten: 11:15-11:40

1st Grade: 11:30-11:50

2nd Grade: 11:50-12:10

3rd Grade: 11:55-12:15

4th Grade: 12:15-12:35

5th Grade: 12:25-12:45

****recess is prior to lunch****

Our Mission

The mission of Hillrise Elementary is to inspire lifelong learners, to foster a belief in one's ability to succeed, to nurture respect and appreciation of self and others, and to encourage contributions to an ever-changing world.

**Hillrise School
Improvement Goal**

**All students will
improve Math
computation and
concept skills.**



ELKHORN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

2018 – 2019 KINDERGARTEN ROUNDUP

Elkhorn Public Schools is seeking to identify children who are eligible for kindergarten during the 2018-2019 school year. Parents are encouraged to pre-register their students prior to Kindergarten Roundup and orientation. Children who will be five years of age on or before July 31, 2018 are eligible to attend kindergarten according to Nebraska State Law.

Kindergarten Roundup will be held Friday, March 2. Parents are encouraged to attend an orientation meeting held at their school prior to Kindergarten Roundup on Monday, February 26th at 6:00 pm.

If you have a child who will be attending Kindergarten Roundup, please fill out the information below and return it as soon as possible. This will allow us to make arrangements for the number of students attending. If you have friends or neighbors who will have a child starting school, please share this information with them. Additional forms are available at www.elkhornweb.org OR at your school's main office. Please contact us if you have any questions.

HILLRISE	
Principal: Deb Madden	<u>Hillrise Parent Meeting</u>
20110 Hopper Street	Monday, February 26 at 6:00 pm
402-289-2602	<u>Hillrise Kdg Roundup</u>
www.elkhornweb.org/hillrise	Friday, March 2, 9:00 – 11:00

KINDERGARTEN PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

Child's Name (First Last) _____ Male ___ Female___

Elementary School _____

Birth Date (mm/dd/yy) _____

Parent Name(s) _____

Phone Number (Home) _____ (Work) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Housing Subdivision _____

Please list any allergies, dietary restrictions, or medications for your child here:

Return completed form to your school's main office or email to joiner@epsne.org at your earliest convenience.



Hillrise Elementary School Parent Teacher Organization

Family Night Out with:



Where: Village Pointe 17305 Davenport St #191, Omaha, NE 68118

When: Tuesday December 14, 2017 4pm – close

Proceeds: 15% of purchase to PTO –

(** Place Receipt in Hillrise PTO Jar at Checkout **)