

### From Mrs. Martin



We've been back at school for two full weeks. We've seen 50 degree weather and we've seen 30. Not sure if it's winter or spring, but we love seeing the sun peak through the clouds. It has been so nice having students back in the building. They truly do bring all of us such joy.

January is one of our longer months. We work hard and we play hard. From winter testing to the hopes of a sledding hill soon, we hit 2023 running! We hope you enjoy this edition of our Sandyview Newsletter. Check out all that's been happening!

### Reading Assembly

Author Tami Corbett shared her story Chickenbit is Brave. It was so neat to see students engage with the book.







### Preschool Egg Drop

Humpty Dumpty Sat on a Wall. Humpty Dumpty Had a Great Fall.

Our 3-year old preschools have been reading and singing the Humpty Dumpty rhyme. What a great time to test out some eggs! Were they able to put them back together again?













# Sledding Hill/Winter Gear

January was off to a slow start with 50 degree weather, but winter will be in full swing soon and kids love the snow hill!



Hats

Gloves

Coats

**Snow Pants** 

Boots

Socks



Our December SOAR winners who painted with Mrs. Martin were:

Emma (Kindergarten)
Wyatt (2nd Grade)
James & Molly (3rd Grade)
Mallory (4th Grade)



Painting with the Principal



## PTO January Updates

Our PTO continues to sponsor popcorn Fridays. The halls sure do smell good on Fridays & the kids LOVE the treat!







# SOAR Winners!

January 6th

Kindergarten = Scarlett

2nd Grade = Evelyn

3rd Grade = Blake

4th Grade = Melany

Overall = Ramona

These students were the lucky winners of a snack box filled with treats for a winter movie night at home!



# SOAR Winners!

January 13th

Kindergarten = Drew

2nd Grade = Easton

3rd Grade = Levi

4th Grade = Abigail

Overall = Adan

These students won a prize from our Sandyview Prize Box and a book of their choosing.



## Reading Buddies















#### **PEANUT BUTTER DRIVE**



January 24th - February 28th







#### **Hamilton Community Schools**

in partnership with

Ottawa Community Schools Network

#### **Peanut Butter Drive**

to benefit the

Allegan County Food Pantry Collaborative

Please bring peanut butter donations to your school. Collection boxes will be within the building.

\*\*All Hamilton Community Schools will be a "community donation location." Community members are invited to drop donations at any local school. Collection boxes will be clearly marked in the main entrance of all buildings.



# Sandyview Receives a \$4,000 Grant for Snacks at School

The Nolan Kamer
State Farm Agency chose
Sandyview to receive one of it's grants.
The funds will be used to provide extra snacks during the day, as well provide a different fresh fruit once a week. We are excited and grateful for this gift and can't wait to begin the initiative in

February.



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information!



# YOUNG 5S / KINDERGARTEN INFORMATION NIGHTS!

HAMILTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

Parents: Attend one of the information nights!

All from 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Bentheim Elementary: Monday, Feb. 20

Hamilton Elementary: Tuesday, Feb. 21

Sandyview Elementary: Tuesday, Feb. 21

Blue Star Elementary: Thursday, Feb. 23

Parents may attend any one of these nights, regardless of location

Childcare will be provided at all information nights!

#### Save the Date for Screening Days!

Blue Star Elementary: Tuesday, March 14
Sandyview Elementary/Bentheim Elementary: Thursday, March 16
Hamilton Elementary: Friday, March 17

Welcome Nights to be held in May!



SCAN FOR MORE INFORMATION!



Call your elementary school to start the envollment process!

Interested in Hawkeye Preschool for the 2023-2024 school year?! Registration has not opened quite yet, but will in mid to end of February. We have started an "interested" application to get on the list to receive information. If you would like to be added to this list, please fill out the link below!

Hawkeye Preschool 2023-2024

Spaces in our classes are limited & generally fill up quickly! To hold a spot in the program, we ask that you pay a \$50.00 non-refundable deposit through an Eventbrite link. This link will be shared with you once registration opens as well as put on our website.



#### 2023-2024 Hawkeye Preschool Program

**3 Year Old Program** 

(Child must be 3 years old by September 1st)

Wednesday's & Friday's 9:00am - 12:00pm

1 yearly payment - \$1,277 2 semester payments - \$1,328 (\$639) 9 monthly payments - \$1,366 (\$147)

\*Qualifying families can receive reduced 3 Year Old tuition assistance through Ready for School.

#### **4 Year Old Programs**

(Child must be 4 years old by September 1st)

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 8:30am - 3:30pm

1 yearly payment - \$3,600 2 semester payments - \$3,744 (\$1,847) 9 monthly payments - \$3,852 (\$423) Monday - Thursday 8:30am - 3:30pm GSRP Program

\*Free tuition for qualifying 4 Year Olds is available through Michigan's Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP).

\$50.00 non-refundable deposit fee required for tuition programs.







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We have partnered with The Homestead Tee, a local business, to set up an online shop for Hawkeye, Sandyview, and Hawkeye Preschool merch If you would like to order something, you can simply click the link below to place your order and it will be shipped to you Easy as that! In return, The Homestead Tee will be donating 10% of all sales back to Sandyview PTO. Check it out and happy shopping!

Thanks for your support!
Sandyview PTO



# Spirit Shop Link!



