

3-SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

COOPER LANDING, HOPE, AND MOOSE PASS SCHOOLS

SEPTEMBER 25, 2023

MOOSE PASS SCHOOL: MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Tuesday 9/19: Back to School Open House and 1st Site Based Council Meeting of the school year 3:30 pm (See Agenda at the bottom of the newsletter).

Parents- come see all the cool stuff that your students are doing at Moose Pass School! See attached flyer at the bottom of the newsletter

Friday 9/29: Early Release- students released at 1:45, afternoon bus on 90 minute early release schedule as well.

Monday 10/2: Picture Day- Pre-order at mylifetouch.com with Picture Day ID: EVT38PQXR

Monday 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, and 10/23: Basketball Clinic 3:15-4:15 in Moose Pass School Gym

Thursday 10/12: Early Release- students released at 1:45, afternoon bus on 90 minute early release schedule as well.

Friday 10/13: In-Service Day- No School for Students

Friday 10/20: Fire Prevention Presentation at Moose Pass Fire Hall

Thursday 10/26: No School Parent-Student-Teacher Conferences

Friday 10/27: No School Parent-Student-Teacher Conferences

October Basketball Clinic

Jack Lindquist, Moose Pass School Alum and Seward High School Junior, has offered to teach a four week Basketball Clinic in October!

Where: Moose Pass School Gym

When: October 2, 9, 16 and 23 from 3:15-4:15

Who: All Moose Pass School students are welcome

Heather Lindquist will provide adult supervision. This is a great opportunity for students to learn more about basketball and have a fun after school activity! Please call the school and let us know if your students will be attending.

COOPER LANDING SCHOOL UPDATES

Dates to Remember

- Friday, September 29 - Early Release at 1:45
- Monday, October 2 - Picture Day
- Friday, October 13 - In-Service Day for Staff - No School for Students
- Thursday, October 19 - First PAC Meeting of the Year at 5:00 via Zoom
- Thursday, October 26 - Parent-Teacher Conferences - No School
- Friday, October 27 - Parent-Teacher Conferences - No School

Winter Gear

It's becoming a bit cooler as of late. Please make sure your child has a warm jacket, hat, gloves, and when the snow falls, snow pants and boots. If it is convenient for you, and your child has extras, these things can be kept at the school. **Please make sure to label each item with your child's name.**

Community School Activities to Resume

We recently submitted the required Building Use Agreements with insurance certificates to enable us to resume Community School activities. The schedule will be as follows:

Tot Time - Tuesdays and Thursdays, 11:45 am - 12:45 pm

Volleyball - Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6:00 - 9:00 pm

Walking/Work-out - Monday through Friday, 7:15 - 8:15 am

As soon as everything is approved at district office, we will let everyone know by way of the Crier.

District Office has informed us that since there is no student contact for Community School activities, background checks are no longer needed unless you are issued a key to the school.

Field Trips

Parents who wish to accompany their child on field trips (whether or not you are driving a student other than your own), must complete a background check. To complete the process, please click here: <https://kpbsd.org/departments/assistant-superintendent/instructional-services/hr/volunteer/>

Library News

Cooper Landing Community Library is open again on Tuesday afternoons, from 3-5pm, so that students have an opportunity to visit the library after school. The librarians look forward to seeing both parents and students there!

Winter Library Hours

Monday 1-3pm

Tuesday 3-5pm

Wednesday 1-3pm

Thursday 1-3pm

Friday 1-3pm

Saturday 11am-2pm

Donation Link

If you would like to make an online donation to our school with your credit card, here is a link: <https://kpbsd.revtrak.net/k-12-schools/Cooper-Landing/cooper-landing-fundraiser/> Please note that a fee of 3.6% will be added to the total. Thank you for your support!

HOPE SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

Everyone has worked very diligently to make this Field Trip happen. We are asking everyone to be on time and be prepared when arriving at the school Wednesday morning. Road construction is still a factor. It could be helpful to students to have everything laid out for the morning of departure to Kasitsna Bay the night before. Please speak with your child about good behavior and reasonable choices. Let students know the adults are there for them if they should have questions. We want this to be a fun learning experience each of them. Please see Dawn Hammon-Sammet with any last minute questions. We are all grateful to the Hope School PTO for their contribution to make the Field Trip possible.

For those who were recently hired by the KPBSD to work as substitutes, WELCOME! Thank you for being a part of the Hope School staff. We have substitute packet printed for you to swing by and pick up. Once the paperwork is completed, we will scan it back to District Office for you or you may send it in on your own. Just know that we are happy to have you and willing to assist you with facilitating your final step in the paperwork chain. For those who have not yet applied with the district. We definitely want you here. Please consider being a substitute teacher, substitute custodian or substitute secretary.

Thank you all for making sure the children have proper winter gear. I realize there are students who still do not quite have what they need. The rainboots really are needed this time of year. Honestly, this year has been a bit on the wet side all summer.

Important Dates:

September 27th - September 29th: Field Trip to Kasitsna Bay Ecology Laboratory

September 29th: Early Release- students released at 2:00

October 2nd: Picture Day-10:00am

October 12th: Early Release - students released at 2:00

October 13th: No School for students

October 26th & 27th: No School for students/Parent Teacher Conferences

Volunteers and Substitute Teachers: Hope School is always happy to have substitute teachers and volunteers. Opportunity is available for both positions currently. Please consider one or both positions <https://www.applitrack.com/kpbsd/onlineapp/default.aspx?Category=Volunteer+Screening+Process>

Here is a link to your new **school calendar** for this school year.

<https://kpbsd.org/wp-content/uploads/parents-students/calendars/2023-2024/2023-2024-Districtwide-Calendar-ER.pdf>

COVID POLICY: Covid information available on district website:

<https://www.kpbsd.k12.ak.us/content.aspx?id=42180>

Hope School Staff



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