









February 5, 2024



MOOSE PASS SCHOOL

Mark Your Calendar

Monday 2/5/24 - Battle of the Books 3rd and 4th Grades

Tuesday 2/6/24 - Battle of the Books 5th Grade

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on 90 minute early

Wednesday 2/14/24 - Alyeska Ski Day: More information coming soon

Thursday 2/15/24 & Friday 2/16/24 - Student Led Conferences: No school for students. See notice at bottom of newsletter

Tuesday 2/20/24 - School Forensics Competition starting at 9am. See notice at bottom of the newsletter

Wednesday 2/21/24 - Alyeska Ski Day: More information coming soon

Tuesday 2/27/24 - Site Based Council Meeting at the school or in Ms. Barron's Zoom Room # 306-939-5959

Wednesday 2/28/24 - Alyeska Ski Day: More information coming soon

Saturday 3/2/24 - Forensics Competition at Tustumena Elementary: more information coming soon

Wednesday 3/6/24 - Alyeska Ski Day: More information coming soon

Wednesday 3/20/24 - Alyeska Ski Day: More information coming soon

Wednesday 3/26/24 - Alyeska Ski Day: More information coming soon

Note to Moose Pass Families: We have many Covid tests at the school. We just received notice that the expiration dates have been extended. If you would like some, feel free to stop by the school and pick them up.

Any questions or concerns?

Please reach out to our Principal, Mr. Doug Hayman: <u>DHayman@kpbsd.k12.ak.us</u>

or our school secretary Susanna Litwiniak: <u>SLitwiniak@kpbsd.k12.ak.us</u>



Cooper Landing School Updates

Dates to Remember

- Battle of the Books Monday, February 5 Grades 3-4
- Battle of the Books Tuesday, February 6 Grade 5
- Battle of the Books Wednesday, February 7 Middle School (CL Grade 6)
- Battle of the Books Thursday, February 8 High School (CL Grade 8)
- Friday, February 9 Early Release Students will be dismissed at 1:45

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Skiing

Dates are set!

- February 14, February 21, and February 28
- March 6, March 20, and March 27

An informational email was sent home last week and forms will be sent home this week. We don't have much time so please be sure to get the forms returned to school ASAP.

Scholastic Book Orders

We've only had 2 families turn in their certificates for FREE books from Scholastic. Please go to Scholastic.com with your child and pick out your \$20 worth of books. Then just email or text Donna, or send in a note with your child's choices.

PAC Officers

We are in need of a PAC president, secretary, and treasurer. It sometimes becomes difficult to conduct the business of the PAC without officers. Please consider volunteering.

Substitutes

Cooper Landing School is in need of substitutes for all positions: teacher, instructional aide, special education aide, secretary, and custodian. If you are interested, please go to the KPBSD website to apply: https://kpbsd.org/departments/assistant-superintendent/instructional-services/hr/substitute-information/

Teacher substitutes need only to have a high school diploma or GED. A teaching certificate is not required.

Winter Gear

If anyone has any extra children's winter gloves, the school could use a few spares.

Please make sure your child has a warm jacket, hat, gloves, 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

Volleyball - Tuesdays & Thursdays, 6:00 - 9:00 pm Walking/Work-out - Tuesdays, Wednesdays, & Thursdays from 7-8 am Tot Time - Tuesdays and Thursdays, 11:45 am - 12:45 pm

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

Field Trips

Iriving a student ss, please click

here: https://kpbsd.org/departments/assistant-superintendent/instructional-services/hr/volunteer/

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

Time flies when you are having fun. I cannot believe it is February already! Alyeska trips are fixing to begin. The students are very excited. Our staff have worked hard to bring community into the Hope School. Please come to the next Community night will be February 8th from 6-7 pm and we will be enjoying a wonderful game night. We would like very much to see more people from our community attend. Mrs. Peck and Mr. McKibben have had some truly interesting classes this past week. Students have taken a virtual tour of the China Wall. They have discussed how Roman roads were constructed. While others learned more about plate tectonics, coding and the workings of simple machines. I would like to say that I hope all of our students from Hope, Moose Pass and Cooper Landing have a wonderful time together at Alyeska this year. They are a part of our small communities and share many of our joys and struggles with us. We can count on them.

Important Dates:

February 8th: Community Night 6-7 - Game Night

February 9th: Early Release 2:00

February 13th: Community Night 6-8 Movie Night

February 14th: Alyeska Ski Trip

February 15th/16th: No School for Students - Parent Teacher Conferences

February 21st: Alyeska Ski Trip February 28th: Alyeska Ski Trip

February 29th: Community Night Game Night 6-7

March 1st: Exit Glacier Field Trip March 6th: Alyeska Ski Trip March 7th: Early Release

March 8th: In-Service NO SHOOL

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March 27th: Alyeska Ski Trip

March 29th: Make up day for snow day

Battle of the Books

Our students have been reading and preparing to battle in the Battle of the Books. They are set to have a meeting of the minds on February 7th. These students are having a good time reading. We are happy they are participating and sharpening their skills. We are proud of their hard work and joyful attitude. Have fun and we all wish you luck Ellie and Bev!

Alyeska Ski Dates: February 14th, 21st, 28th, March 6th, 20th & 27th. All other information will be provided during our PTO meeting on February 5th at 3:45 pm. Please direct questions to Miss Dawn at that time.

New Upcoming Fun Community Opportunities

Game night - 1 hour

Adults in gym Kids board games in classroom

Movie/Craft night - 2 hours

Adults craft and visit Kids Movie Thursday, February 8 Game night 6:00-7:00 Tuesday, February 13 Movie night 6:00-8:00 Thursday, February 29 Game night 6:00-7:00

KMTA WINTER PROGAM FLYER

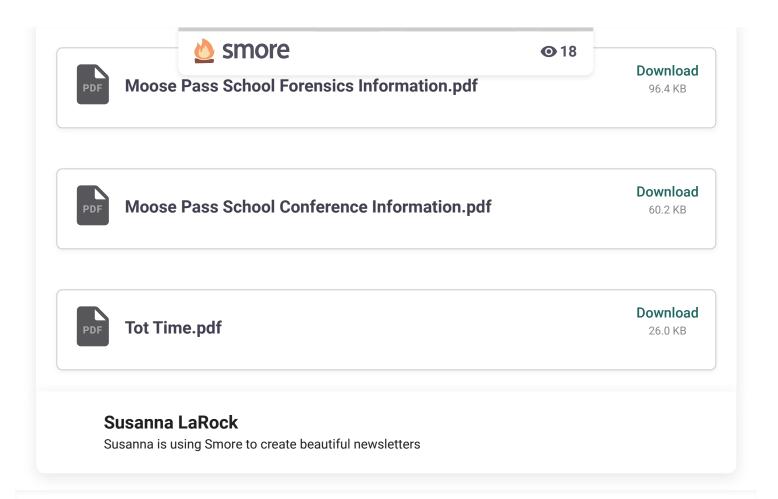
Please view the attached flyer provided to us by KMTA. There are many opportunities scheduled that would be of interest to families. Just click the attachment below for details.

LINKS AND INFORMATION

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

Symptom-Free Protocol: https://www.kpbsd.k12.ak.us/content.aspx?id=42180



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