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The Bulldog News

IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

✓ **No School**Monday, January
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- ✓ Site Council
 Wednesday,
 January 23 5:00
 in Library
- ✓ Class Pictures
 Monday January
 28
- ✓ Cheer Clinic Friday, Feb. 1
- ✓ Valentines
 Class Parties
 Wednesday,
 February 13 @
 2:45
- ✓ No School February 14 & 15
- ✓ Student-Led Conferences
 February 14
- ✓ No SchoolMonday, February18

McLouth Elementary Mission Statement

"Together, we live in a community that promotes academic excellence, respect, lifelong learning, and responsible citizenship."

McLouth Elementary Expectations

- Respect yourself
- Respect others
- Respect your school

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Notes from the Elementary Office

By Mr. Johnson, McLouth Elementary Principal

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Conferences: Reminder that our student-led conferences are Thursday, February 14th from 8am-8pm. This year we are using a digital sign-up. Below are ways to access the sign-up form

- Visit the school website <u>www.mclouth.org</u> and click on Parent Teacher Conferences under the Elementary Tab
- Or copy and paste this link into your browser to access it directly, https://goo.gl/NkpSiu
- If you are unable to complete the digital form please call the elementary office and we will sign you up for a time.

From the Counselors office:

By Vickie Feuerborn

Coming Soon! Save the date! Evening of February 23. You won't want to miss this! Watch for more details later!

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Jan. 21	22	23	24	25
NO SCHOOL	Xander Speidel Adalida Spare	Allisson Sanford Cadence Saheb	Aiden Perry Abella Moreno	Rezik Morando Colton Mick
Jan. 28	29	30	31	Feb. 1
Kaylynn McNish Easton McMeans	Ivan Kartus- Benner Braelyn Jones	Jaxson Harper Brenden Glahn	Hunter Dice Cayla Deleat	Ava Betsworth Coy Clubine

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January Menu Lunch

	1 No School	2 No School	3 Com Dog	4 Pizza
7 Sweet and Sour Chicken	8 Italian Dunkers	9 Super Nacho's	10 Pulled Pork Sandwich	11 Crispito
14 Beef and Bean Burrito	15 Stromboli Ham and Cheese	16 BBQ Beef Sandwich	17 Turkey and Cheese Sandwich	18 Country Style Beef Sandwich
21 No School	22 Pig in a Blanket	23 Taco Salad	24 Spaghetti and Meat Sauce	25 Fish Sticks
28 BBQ Rib Sandwich	29 Italian Dunkers	30 Corn Dog	31 Chicken Quesadilla	

Lunch

*All lunch meals include fruit bar, hot veggie bar, cold veggie bar, and milk

*Elementary may choose the menu item, or a PBJ sandwich

*Secondary may choose the menu item or an item from the second option line.

Breakfast Several Entree Choices *All breakfast meals include cereal, fruit bar, juice and milk

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

-Student Led Conferences-

Parents

As always thank you for attending our semester conferences. This semester we will continue with last spring's format of a student led conference. We are very excited to continue this opportunity for our students. It will encourage them to have ownership of their learning, behavior and goal setting. Below are tips and information to help have a successful conference.

Conference Schedule

- Thursday, February 14, 8am-8pm
- Families will continue to sign up for a time slot visit our website www.mclouth.org and click on parent-teacher conferences under the elementary tab.
- Time slots will still be 15 minutes

Expectations for Parents

- Please be on time
- Be certain to go over expectations with siblings who might be in the room during your child's conference. We want the focus on our students.
- Be supportive and encouraging. This is a big step for our students since they will be doing the talking.
- **BE UNDERSTANDING AND FLEXIBLE** Even though we have discussed, planned and practiced there will most likely be hiccups and challenges for us to correct for future conferences

Questions for Parents

- Do we need to bring anything? All materials will be at school, just bring yourself.
- Do we need to dress up? Please wear comfortable clothes, students may dress up if they so wish.
- Will there be time to ask our child questions after his/her presentation? Yes, and sample questions will be provided.
- Can we have our child practice at home or ask them questions about their presentation? -Yes, it would be beneficial to have your child demonstrate or discuss their presentation at home as this will better prepare them for success.
- What will my child be presenting? Each student in our elementary will present samples of academics, behavior, successes, and areas to improve upon.

Will my child be graded over their presentation? No, this will not affect their class grades but there will be a rubric/checklist, self-assessment and teacher assessment that students will follow to prepare for their presentation