



Calendar

This Week:

Feb 11

- Snow Day

Feb 12

- 8:05am — Choir Rehearsal
- 6:00pm — PTO Meeting (Library)

Feb 13

- 2:00pm — Play & Learn (Library)

Feb 14

- 3:30pm — Good News Club (Library)

Feb 15

- No School — Waiver Day #2

Next Week:

Feb 18

- No School—President's Day

Feb 19

- 8:05am — Choir Rehearsal
- 9:45—11:45am — Allied Arts in 3rd Meissner
- 3:30pm—Missoula Children's Theatre Auditions (Gym)

Feb 20

- 12:35—3:10pm — MCT Workshops for 4th—6th graders (Library)
- 2:00pm — Play & Learn (PD Room)
- 3:30pm—MCT Practice (Gym & Library)

Feb 21

- 3:30pm—MCT Practice (Gym & Library)
- 3:30pm — Good News Club (Rm 10)

Feb 22

- 9:45—11:45am— Allied Arts in 3rd Baker
- 3:30pm—MCT Practice (Gym & Library)

Saturday, Feb 23

- 3:00pm & 5:00pm —Missoula Children's Theatre Performances (MBHS Auditorium)

Inclement Weather/Snow Routes/Closure Information



To find out if school is running and on time you can use: Inclement Weather & Information Line 360-383-2070, FlashAlert, Blackboard, and the school district website.

Hazardous weather, floods or unexpected emergencies may force changes in bus transportation schedules and pick-up/drop-off points for Mount Baker Students. Blackboard (automated communication system) will be implemented along with FlashAlert Broadcasting System to communicate with the following local broadcasting stations: KGMI 790, KISM 92.9, KAFE 104.1 KPUG 1170 and KBAI 930, KWPZ106.5, KZAZ 91.7, KCPQ 13 TV, KOMO 4 TV, KING 5 TV, KONG 6 TV, KIRO 7 TV. Go to www.flashalert.net/id/MtBakerSD to sign up for direct e-mails and/or to download FlashAlert Messenger App to Iphone or Android. Information is announced only when there is a closure or schedule change.

HOW WILL I KNOW OR REMEMBER IF I LIVE ON A SNOW ROUTE?

Find out ahead of time. Look at the snow route schedule on the website or talk to your bus driver before it snows. If you have a transportation question or concern other than, "is the bus running on schedule?", please call the Transportation Office at 360-383-2060.

Winter Weather—How do I stay updated on events?

As we look ahead and continue to see winter weather in the forecast, make sure you are in the loop on Harmony events and activities by visiting the **Harmony Elementary PTO Facebook page**. This is a great resource and way to get information as to whether events are being canceled or rescheduled due to weather. Thank you Harmony PTO!

Tomorrow, Tuesday, February 12 there is a PTO meeting scheduled for 6:00pm. There will be no meeting if there is no school.



Student Activities



Missoula Children's Theatre (MCT)

Missoula Children's Theatre is coming to Harmony February 19—February 23 to work with students to present MCT's production of "Alice in Wonderland".

Approximately 50-60 students will be cast to appear in the show with the MCT Tour Actor/Director. There is NO guarantee that everyone who auditions will be cast in the play.

Please read through the paperwork carefully before signing off on it. Students must be able to attend all rehearsals and both Saturday performances.

Permission slips are due back on Thursday, February 14th!

If you have any questions please contact Jake Wiebusch (360-220-0668) or Stormy Jeretzky (360-220-1539).

A big thank you to the Harmony Elementary PTO who paid for and arranged this opportunity for students.

Cooking with Common Threads



As your Common Threads AmeriCorps Food Educator, I'm here to help grow good eaters, seed-to-table! In the month of February our student chefs will learn to prepare a Borscht, a tasty soup with beets, carrots, cabbage and more! Keep a lookout for recipes coming home and visit <https://commonthreadsfarm.org/recipes/> for more! As always, if you're interested in getting involved, please contact me: carly@commonthreadsfarm.org.

Family Resources

Need Help with Energy Bills?

The Opportunity Council offers assistance to eligible households for home heating and energy bills through Energy Assistance Program. Households must be income eligible to receive assistance. Depending on the time of year they may help with electricity, natural gas, propane, heating oil, and wood bills.

For detailed information about these programs call 360-255-2192.



Did You Know???

If you are in a temporary or inadequate living situation due to a loss of housing, your child might be eligible for certain educational rights or services? Are you in any of the following situations?

- Doubled up with other people due to loss of housing or economic hardship
- Staying in a hotel, shelter or car



If yes, please contact your Family Services Coordinator, Kate Davies, to see what services and support may be available. Call Kate Davies at 360-383-2050 or email at kdavies@mtbaker.wednet.edu.

Food and Meal Resources in Whatcom County



Bellingham Food Bank 360-676-0392 1824 Ellis St. Mon & Fri: 11:00 AM-3:00 PM, Wed: 1:00-6:00 PM

Bham Food Bank @ Alderwood 360-676-0392 3400 Hollywood Ave. Thurs: 5:30 - 6:30 PM

Bham Food Bank @ CTK Church 360-676-0392 4173 Meridian St. Tues: 5:30-6:30 PM

Nooksack Valley Food Bank 360-966-4833 204 N Washington (Everson Presbyterian Church) Thurs: 10:00 AM-2:00 PM & 6:30-8:00 PM

Food Lifeline Mobile Pantry Mobile Pantry at the EWRRRC 8251 Kendall Rd, Maple Falls Every 2nd Saturday 11:30 AM-12:30 PM & Every 1st Friday 10:00-11:00 AM

Foothills Food Bank 6210 Mt. Baker Hwy (St. Peter's Church) Tues: 9:00-11:30 AM

Hope House 360-671-8702 207 Kentucky St. (For those who are homeless, or live outside of Bham, and cannot access a county food bank) Mon, Tues & Thurs: 9:00-11:30 AM, Fri: 12:00-3:30 PM

Lord's Table: River of Life Church 360-592-2279 4037 Valley Hwy. Van Zandt 2nd & 4th Saturday of the month: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Lummi Food Bank 360-380-6962 2830 Kwina Rd. (Commodity food program for low-income reservation residents and tribal members) Fri: 12:30-3:30 PM. Not open first Fri of the month

Nooksack Tribal Food Bank 360-592-0135 2515 Sulwhanon Dr., Everson 1st Fri of the month: 12:00-3:00 PM or while supplies last If 1st Friday is the 1st day of the month, open 2nd Friday

Salvation Army 360-733-1410 2912 Northwest Ave Mon, Tues, Thurs: 10:00 AM -1:00 PM