



Fredon School Vine News

1-26-24



IMPORTANT REMINDERS



Revised 23/24 school year calendar-Please see the revised master calendar that was approved at the 1/22/24 Board of Education meeting, indicating the snow day closure on January 16th. If we have any more school closure days we will adjust the calendar accordingly.  **REVISED 23-24 MASTER CALENDAR.pdf**

Student Pick Up



Fredon School has begun utilizing Pick Up Patrol to help manage our dismissal process! Pick Up Patrol provides a layer of safety to our dismissal process by authorizing plan changes and automatically tracking student dismissal plans. The application reduces interruptions, speeds up dismissal time and is administered by our own staff. **The Daily Sign Out will no longer be utilized.**

Please take a few minutes to set up your account so that we can accurately dismiss your child(ren). Follow the [parent registration instructions](#). If you have any questions, please contact Fredon Township school at bkitchin@fredon.org.

2024-2025 School Year PreK and Kindergarten Registration



February 5 - 9, 2024

<https://www.fredon.org/page/pre-k-kindergarten>

Please feel free to contact Mrs. Grosso with any questions.

You can fax your registration packet to Fax #973-383-3644

or scan it and email it to Mrs. Wendy Grosso wgrosso@fredon.org

February 2

FEF Cookie Box
Fundraiser Due

February 2

Groundhog Day
PTC Father Daughter
Dance at Civic center
6 -8 pm

February 4

Kindergarten and
PreSchool Registration
Week

February 6

FEF Meeting 7 pm

February 8

Tentative 100th day of
school

February 12 - 16

Love & Kindness Spirit
Week

February 15

Volleyball Game
Faculty vs. 6th grade

February 19

President's Day
School closed

Gertrude Hawk
Fundraiser Due

February 20

PTC Meeting 7 pm

5th & 6th Grade Trip To Philadelphia



Parents of 5th and 6th grade students-If you have not yet registered your child for the June 5th day trip to Philadelphia it is due by **Friday 1/26**. Please go to the link for further information and details.  Curriculum Travel of America Trip Information.pdf

NEWS FROM THE NURSE

We have some EGGciting News to Share!!

Over the last several weeks our students have been learning about nutrition and healthy snacks in health class with Mrs. Reynolds. As a culminating activity, each grade was surveyed to learn about which healthy snacks are their favorites. Posters were then created for a bulletin board and to share with our families. Please see the posters below and ask your child about the healthy snack lists.

Perhaps, your child has identified a new healthy option that could be brought into school for their morning snack.

Wellness Team



[Kindergarten](#)

[Second Grade](#)

[Fourth Grade](#)

[First Grade](#)

[Third Grade](#)

[Fifth Grade](#)



[Sixth Grade](#)

As the weather changes and temperatures are cooler, please make sure your child(ren) are dressed for cold weather as we will have outside recess whenever possible.

SCHOOL DRESS CODE

A School Dress Code has been established for our entire student body. The Board of Education recognizes that the basic responsibility for proper dress lies with the students and their parents. However, it is felt that guidance and direction from the school is necessary in order to instill an atmosphere conducive to learning and ensure the safety of our students. The administration accepts the responsibility for making all decisions relating to acceptable dress. Dress that poses a potential safety hazard, or is distracting in nature is prohibited. Students' shall wear apparel that is appropriate and safe for school.

As the temperatures become colder it is expected that students wear jackets for outdoor recess, physical education classes, and emergency drills. Fredon School will continue the practice of holding outdoor recess when the outside temperatures are at or appropriate.. All students that wear jackets to school will be required to put those jackets on when they go outside. If family circumstances are such that a student is unable to own a jacket, please contact our school nurse who can make arrangements for jacket donations while keeping your

information confidential. If you feel that you want your child(ren) to go outside without a jacket when temperatures warrant a jacket, please notify the Chief School Administrator via email for record-keeping purposes.

CAFETERIA NEWS

Lunch Orders: We are pleased to announce that our food service provider this year is Maschio's. Please see the menu under Parents, then Cafeteria. Student Lunches are \$3.75 this year. The swap outs are as follows:

Monday - Chicken Caesar Salad, Popcorn chicken, Cereal bag
Tuesday - Turkey, Ham & Cheese, Popcorn Chicken, Cereal bag
Wednesday - Chef Salad, Popcorn Chicken, Cereal bag
Thursday - Turkey, Cheddar, & Bacon Wrap, Popcorn Chicken, Cereal bag
Friday - Crispy Chicken Salad, Cereal bag

The students are able to purchase snacks on the following days:

KINDERGARTEN - Monday & Wednesday
1ST GRADE - Tuesday & Thursday & Friday
2ND GRADE - Monday & Wednesday & Friday
3RD GRADE - Tuesday & Thursday & Friday
4TH THROUGH 6TH - Everyday

If you have any questions or require further clarification, please feel free to reach out to our food services coordinator, Mrs. Elizabeth Diorio, at cafeteria@fredon.org.

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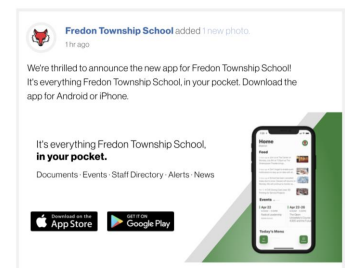
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the Fredon Township School App!**



Fredon Educational Foundation News

Use the Box Tops app to scan your store receipts for participating products.

Your school will automatically earn cash with every Box Tops product you buy.

Shop for participating products to earn Box Tops.

Box Tops = Cash for your School!

1. Download Box Tops App:
[Box Tops for Education](#)
 2. Search Fredon Township
 3. Scan Receipts
- Thanks!



Valentine's Cookie Box Fundraiser



The FEF Is hosting a
Cookie Box Fundraiser
Buy cookies made by Lauryn Meehan for your children, family, friends or anyone.
Cookies will be handed out on Valentine's day.
The cookie sales benefit the FEF and the teachers' classrooms.
All orders and forms due by February 1.
Any questions, reach out to tandreopoulos@fredon.org
Please see the [flyer](#)



★FEF Meeting February 6 at 7pm★



Fredon PTC News

PTC SPIRIT WEAR is back!

Order your Fredon Fox clothing and 10% goes back to PTC.
Fun to wear to school or sporting events! Click the link below
<https://twentyfourink.com/pages/fredon>

Great for Spirit Weeks and to use in School!

Fredon PTC Proudly Presents their annual
Father/Daughter Dance



Friday, February 2nd

6:00 - 8:00 PM

\$10/ per Dad or father figure

DJ, Photo Booth, Refreshments, Activities, & more

See Flyer and Permission Slip

RSVP by January 19th



Gertrude Hawk Fundraiser



The PTC is having a Spring Chocolate Sale. You can shop online or from the catalog. Information was sent home. The sale begins today and ends on **February 19th**. The organization ID# is 106441. Orders will be delivered the week of March 18th. Please see the [flyer](#) for more information.

★PTC Meeting February 20th at 7pm★

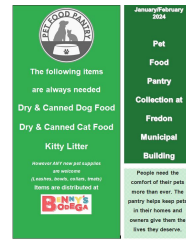
COMMUNITY NEWS

***Kittatinny Little League 2024 Registration is open!** Kittatinny Little League is open to any child ages 4 - 16 residing in or attending school in Hampton, Sandyston, Fredon or Stillwater Townships. Children must be 4 years old by April 1st, 2024. Registration will close on February 25, 2024. See the [flyer](#) or website (www.kittatinnybaseball.com) for more information.

***The Growing Stage presents Carmela Full Of Wishes:** Tickets and Season Packages Now Available for February 2-18. Please see the [flyer](#) for more information.

***Beauty and the Beast:** Kittatinny Players present Beauty and the Beast on Thursday, March 14, Friday, March 15 and Saturday, March 16 at KRHS. For a flyerdditional information and to purchase tickets, www.KitatinnyPlayers.com and see the [flyer](#).

***Fredon Township Municipal Building Pet Food Pantry Collection:** Fredon Township is collecting Dry & Canned Dog and Cat Food, Kitty Litter, and supplies at the municipal building during the months of January and February. Items will be distributed at Benny's Bodega. There will be a collection box in the lobby of the Fredon Municipal Building.



***Sussex County Y and Fairview Lake YMCA Camps Programs:**

[Fairview lake Arctic Plunge/Annual Chili Cook Off](#) - Sunday February 4, 1 - 2pm

*The Sussex County Recovery Community Center is a program of the **Center for Prevention & Counseling**. Please see the [attachment](#) for information on the following programs: Free Cooking Class, Open to Hop[e Greif Support, Mindfulness Walk Mondays, Choir group, Narcan training, Open Mic Night, Kaleidoscope meetings, Recovery Support programs and employment opportunities. See the [flyer](#) for the winter events.

***Fredon Recreation Basketball Clinic** registration is open! Please go to fredonrecreation.com and click Register or Login to get your child signed up. This instructional clinic helps boys/girls develop skills needed for competitive basketball. The clinic fee is \$30 and runs each Tuesday from 5:00 - 6:00 pm at the Fredon Civic Center starting on **January 9th** and ending on **February 27th**. Participants will be given a junior size basketball to keep. Parents are asked to assist with the coaching. Any questions please contact the Recreation Basketball Coordinator, Kat Eitner at kat.eitner@gmail.com or 908-268-0239.

***Weis 4 School:** Educational technology and funding changes daily. To keep up with these changes and expenses, our school is partnering with Weis Markets in the Weis 4 School program. By participating in this program we can earn money for our school simply by shopping as we all do every day. When you shop at Weis, scan the QRcode on the flyer to register your Weis Club Card. Once you register, you're in the program and do not need to register again. Please share this QRcode with your friends and relatives so they can earn points for our school too! Thank you for supporting our school with much needed funding! Find our school's code [here](#)

***Fairview Lake YMCA Activities:** Fairview lake YMCA has developed special events held throughout the year to promote family, friendship, and fun through outdoor experiences for our community. These free or low-cost events bring together everyone for afternoons of exploration and growth through meaningful activities. Come out and play and make Fairview Lake YMCA Camps your home away from home! Family Fishing Day, Community Harvest Day, Hike A Thon, Boo at the Blue, Turkey Trot and Tree Lighting. Please see the [link f](#) for more information.

***THIS IS NOT A SCHOOL SPONSORED EVENT**

Please email cstenderowicz@fredon.org by Wednesday of the week you want your information included in the School Vine News.

