

Picnic Point Elementary

January 2024

A safe and nurturing environment that promotes passion for lifelong learning

Ali Williams, Principal

Happy New Year! I hope everyone was able to enjoy family, friends and a relaxing couple of weeks. The kids are all ready to get back to work now and we are too. Teachers and other staff members are reviewing expectations for behavior in class, at lunch and recesses. This is a critical time of new learning for students from now until the end of the year, and I encourage you to ask them about what they are learning in math, reading and writing as well as science!! We have some great things coming up in the next weeks and months. We are especially excited to share information with you about our upcoming **Family Listening Tour this February**.



All Mukilteo School District schools will be participating in the listening tours. Ours will be on Monday, February 5th.

Picnic Point's session will be held at Lake Stickney Elementary School, located at 1625 Madison Way, Lynnwood WA 98087. This event will be from 5:30-7pm and will include childcare and food for families. Interpreters will be available for families as well.

Our goal is to connect with families and discuss important topics of family engagement, support for learning at home, school and district communication, multi-lingual services, and more. We really hope to see you there.

Healthy Kids!

Happy new year!



The holidays bring friends and family together and that sometimes means sharing germs! Please help your child stay healthy by reminding them to wash their hands often, cover their cough, wear warm clothes when outside, and stay home when symptoms are present.

TOO SICK FOR SCHOOL?

HERE'S HOW TO TELL

STAY HOME IF ...

- Your child feels too sick for regular activities
- Yellow or green pus appears
- The temperature on an oral thermometer reads 100° F or higher (100.4 for an ear, rectal or forehead temp)
- You suspect flu—it spreads rapidly
- Your child has a migraine—throbbing, severe pain with moodiness, fatigue and sensitivity to light
- Redness and itchiness affect all or most of your child's body
- Your doctor suspects—or diagnoses—strep throat
- Your child is vomiting or has uncontrollable diarrhea

SYMPTOM

COUGH AND OTHER COLD SYMPTOMS

EYE DISCHARGE

FEVER

FLU

HEADACHE

RASH

SORE THROAT

STOMACHACHE

GO BACK TO SCHOOL AFTER ...

- Fever decreases and your child feels better
- The amount of pus decreases, using antibiotic eye drops for 24 hours
- Body temperature reaches normal
- Fever has been gone for 24 hours
- Taking pain medication
- The rash is gone—or the doctor gives the OK
- 24 hours after beginning antibiotics
- Vomiting stops and your child has control of bathroom breaks

» GET IT ONLINE! You can download this chart at lutheranjournal.org/too-sick-for-school

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Calendar

January 1 - New Years Day

January 11 - Martin Luther King Jr Day Assembly - Picnic Point Gym
10:40am

January 15 - Martin Luther King Jr Day



In Celebration of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.



In remembrance of a Civil Rights leader, we will be celebrating Dr. Martin Luther King Jr on Thursday, January 11th with an assembly at 10:40 in the Picnic Point Gym. We will join his legacy as we are inspired by his vision of equity and social justice for all. We embrace his desire for equality and respect for all and aspire to

work toward unity through peace.

[Click Here For More About The Legacy of Dr. King](#)

Winter Weather Information

It's that time of year again! With the potential for snow and ice in the next few months, we would like to provide you with easy access to helpful information in case of school delays, closures, or bus route changes.

School delays and closures are monitored and announced early in the morning. There are several ways the information is relayed.

Parents will receive a message via text through Parent Square, where the message will also be posted.

You may also find closure and delay information on the [Mukilteo school district website](#), KING 5, KOMO 4, Fox 13, KIRO 7 and their radio affiliates, the [FlashAlert](#) website, and district social media pages (Facebook, Instagram, and X).

If bus routes are impacted due to snow and ice, alternate bus routes can be found [here](#).



[Picnic Point PTA Information - Click Here!](#)

Picnic Point PTA Chipotle Night



CHIPOTLE FUNDRAISER FOR
PICNIC POINT PTA

33% OF EVENT SALES GET DONATED TO THE CAUSE

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17TH | 4-8PM
4120 196TH ST SW STE 150, LYNNWOOD, WA, 98036

ORDER ONLINE FOR PICKUP USING CODE **HWNYQBH**
OR SHOW THIS FLYER IN RESTAURANT



For online orders to count towards the fundraiser, they must be placed for pickup only from the restaurant location of, and during the hours of, the fundraiser. Delivery orders and gift cards do not qualify. \$150 minimum event sales required to receive any donation.

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Mukilteo School District does not discriminate in any programs or activities on the basis of sex, race, creed, religion, color, national origin, age, veteran or military status, sexual orientation, gender expression or identity, disability, or the use of trained dog guide or service animal and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following employees have been designated to handle questions and complaints of alleged discrimination:

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Inquiries regarding ADA/Access issues at Sno-Isle TECH Skills Center should be directed to Wes Allen, Director (425-348-2220)

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