# **HUDSON HEADLINER**

March 6th, 2023

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS	March 13 <sup>th</sup> –	Board Meeting at 7:30 p.m.
	March 16th -	Early Dismissal at 12:15 p.m./MAP Meeting for Staff
	March 17th -	No School – Spring Break
	March 21st -	ITBS Testing Begins for Kindergarten & 1st Grade Students
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### **STUDENT OF THE WEEK: CHASE FROST – 2<sup>ND</sup> GRADE**

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# ONE THING I WANT TO IMPROVE ON THIS YEAR: Reading WHAT IS YOUR DREAM JOB? A rancher IF YOU COULD BUILD/DESIGN ANYTHING, WHAT WOULD IT BE? A pool I DO MY BEST WORK WHEN...I am by myself.



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I am proud to choose Chase as the student of the week. Chase has a great attitude in class and works hard on every single thing he does. He goes above and beyond on his work every day. He is constantly looking for ways to learn more and do better. Chase sets a great example for his classmates on how to be respectful to all those around him. He is honest and trustworthy and I can count on him to be a helping hand at any moment. Every class needs a Chase! Keep up the hard work, it always pays off!  $\sim$  Mrs. Thomas

**Preschool:** Welcome to March, where it can be 70 one day and 30 the next! Please dress in layers, we will try to go out as much as we can. This week we will begin our fun March activities. We will be working on shamrock matching, rainbow letters and we will learn what colors to mix together to make new colors. The fourth and final quarter starts today. If you are unsure of your payment status, please let me know. All balances will need to be paid before school ends on May 12th. Please ask, if you have questions. Have a great week! – **Miss Stacie** 

**Kind:** This week we are talking about farms! Our vocabulary words are plan, fetched, dragged, filthy, and pondered. In phonics, we will review all sounds including /sh/ and /ch/, and introduce both sounds that /th/ makes. In math, we will learn about nickels, counting by 5's, counting nickels to 25 cents, and we will review cylinders. Have a great week!

**1st/2nd:** This week in **1st grade** we will be learning about planets. We will read several informational books that talk about planets. We learned about planets in science several weeks ago, but they will be reading and writing about them this week. We will discuss why an author writes something, the difference between a star and a planet, and the main detail in a text. In grammar we will learn the au/aw says /o/ as well as proofreading sentences and making corrections. We will also talk about question words such as who, what, when, where and why. In math we will be learning different fractional parts of a shape (1/2, 1/3, 1/6), comparing numbers using symbols (<, >, =) and estimating capacity of objects using cups. In **2nd grade** we will be reading the story <u>Rosie Revere, Engineer</u>, by Andrea Beaty. We will talk about why authors rhyme sometimes and character traits. In grammar we will be learning about irregular verbs, contractions and that tion says /shun/. We will review apostrophes with possessive nouns as well. In math this week we will be working on telling time down to the minute, counting all our coins together, making sums over a dollar, and parallel lines. We will also start adding 3-digit numbers towards the end of the week. At home activities to help with math could be having your child add change, find parallel lines at home (on the highway), and ask them what time it is every so often, if you have an analog clock. – **Mrs. Thomas** 

**3rd/4th:** Here we are . . . the beginning of the fourth quarter. It seems like this year has flown by. Third quarter grades will go home on Wednesday. Please sign them and send them back. With the new quarter comes new requirements for

AR. Our class should finish our CARS book this week. We will still be working in our STAMS Solve books in math. Third grade will have a Science test over chapter 13 on Tuesday. Fourth grade will have theirs over chapter 13 on Weds. Study guides have gone home and should be used to prepare for these tests. Both grades will have a test in Social Studies over their Missouri Studies Weekly week 19. Students have completed those study guides as well, so be on the lookout for them for review. – **Mrs. Cooper** 

**5th/6th:** In Writing, 5<sup>th</sup> grade will start "Cinquain" poetry and 6<sup>th</sup> grade will be making "Shape" poems. In Science, 5<sup>th</sup> grade will start a new unit over the solar system and 6<sup>th</sup> grade will read about light and color. In Reading, students have started a new Lit. Circle book called "A Year Down Yonder" and will present roles on Friday. In Social Studies, 5<sup>th</sup> grade will test next Tuesday over Ch. 4 and 6<sup>th</sup> grade will be reading about pyramids and King Tut. Both grades will have a label Europe test this Friday. Students will also start a new geography unit this week. 7<sup>th</sup> / 8<sup>th</sup> Comm. Arts: Both grades will present their "Bio" Projects to the class this Wed. Students have also started reading our Lit. Circle book, "The Maze Runner" and will present their first roles this Friday. Have a wonderful week! – Mrs. Foster

**5/6 Math:** In fifth grade, students are working on reciprocals, data displays, and 2-digit divisors. In sixth grade, students are working on more difficult problems involving order of operations, classifying triangles based on the types of angles and segments, and more on fraction/decimal/percent equivalencies. **Tests This Week:** 5th/6th Math: Thursday **7/8:** In science, both 7th and 8th will be finishing chapters in their respective science series. Seventh grade is learning about types of wind and air pressure. Eighth grade is learning about traits and inheritance. After, we will pause to do another chapter topic of our health series. In social studies, we will be gearing up for our constitution test. Please remember, students are required to pass their constitution tests. **Tests This Week:** Pre-Algebra: Tuesday, Algebra: Friday, 7th Math: Thursday, Science: Tuesday, **U. S. Constitution Test: Friday – Mr. Ewing** 

**MARCH CHARACTER ED. WORD: MOTIVATED** - having a strong desire to do well or succeed The younger grades learned about Mr. Motivated Ninja! He uses the 4 "p's" to stay motivated. They are Passion, Purpose Plan and Positivity. **Passion** is your means for wanting to do something. **Purpose** is the reason for doing it. **Plan** is working out how to do it and **Positivity** is to keep trying until you get it right! We will work with Motivated Ninja this month. He will help us to make a rocket ship! – **Miss Stacie** 

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FEBRUARY ACADEMIC STARS: They are: Kind. – Mabry Merryfield, 1st & 2nd – Harlo Greathouse, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> – Nolan Varns, 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> – Isabel Branson & 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> – Beau Brownsberger

IMPORTANT DATES: April 4<sup>th</sup> – Election Day – Please support our proposed tax levy increase. April 5<sup>th</sup>: PK Easter Egg Dying at 6:00 p.m., April 7th & 10th: No School – Easter Break, April 26<sup>th</sup>: Student Singing, Art Fair, Science Fair & PTO Meeting, May 1st: Spelling Bee at Hudson R-IX at 9:30 a.m., May 5<sup>th</sup>: Field Day in the Afternoon, May 8<sup>th</sup>: K – 4<sup>th</sup> Graders' Field Trip to Dickerson Park Zoo, May 9th: 5<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Graders' Field Trip to Jefferson City, May 11<sup>th</sup>: 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation at 7:00 p.m., May 12<sup>th</sup>: Awards Assembly, Early Dismissal at 12:15 p.m. & Last Day & May 22<sup>nd</sup> – Preschool Screening – Appointment Needed

5<sup>TH</sup> – 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE FIELD TRIP TO JEFFERSON CITY ON MAY 9TH: Please let Mrs. Green know, if you plan to go on this trip by March 16<sup>th</sup>, so we can purchase the train tickets. The round trip ticket is approximately \$36.00.

# **EASTER PARTY HELPERS:**

PK: Snack – Amber Scott, Drinks – Kayla Wareham, Plates & Napkins – Kimber Thomas, Easter Egg Hunt – Miss Stacie KINDERGARTEN: Snack – Taylor Thomas, Drinks – Kayla Wareham & Games – Kayla Oexman 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup>: Snack – Bridget Merryfield, Drinks – Erin Snyder, Plates & Napkins – Susan Diehl & Games – Lara Merryfield 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> – Snack – Stacie Varns, Drinks – Kayla Wareham, Plates & Napkins – Haylee Smith & Games – Melissa Basore 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>: Snack – Nicki Munsterman, Drinks – Erin Snyder, Plates & Napkins – Jeremy McClure & Games – Amie Branson 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>: Snack – Amber Brownsberger, Drinks – Trevor Fischer, Plates & Napkins – Jody Hellwig & Games – Kadeena Nitchals