



MARTINSON MESSENGER



Weekly Update
January 28,
2018–
February 3,
2018

PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

I cannot believe February is at the end of this week. The year is more than half way over and you can tell because the students are making amazing progress. They are persevering and rising to the challenges of the new material they are given. I am proud of the academic growth of the students, but more importantly I am proud of the people they are - kind, respectful, and thoughtful, to name a few of the traits I see every day. Edutopia is a great resource for both educators and families. Here is a link for [Social Emotional Learning resources for families](#).

Have a terrific week!

This Week's

Important Events at Martinson

MONDAY: Band Lessons/Before School Band, Project Reach

TUESDAY:

WEDNESDAY: Strings Lessons

THURSDAY:

FRIDAY: Patriot's Spirit Day

Follow me on Twitter at Dr. Leslie Scollins @MESPPAL.



CORI CHECK

PLEASE NOTE: If you are planning on helping in either the classroom or on Field Trips you must make sure your CORI is up to date as of this fall. Everyone must be re-CORId.

[Marshfield Food Pantry](#)
[Sowing Seeds](#)
[Community Christmas](#)



A quick look at this week's Main Menu:

Mon. 1/29 Toasted Cheese on WW Bread

Tue. 1/30 WW Popcorn Chicken

Wed. 1/31 Muncho Nachos

Thu. 2/1 WW Homemade Pizza w/green salad

Fri. 2/2 Cereal Day/Reduced Sugar, W.G. Cereal,
Scrambled Eggs, Sausage Link

School Nutrition Department has a NEW Electronic Free and Reduced applications please click on the link below to apply for Free and Reduced.

<http://nlappscloud.com/District.aspx?sdid=40&op=30dcb3efe164777986725f978cd9b4ba>

Nurses Corner

BMI screening will begin soon for students in Grades 1 & 4. If you have any questions about the process - please call and speak directly with Nurse Mudge 781-319-3985

Students have been encouraged at school to make healthy choices for themselves... this includes bringing a healthy snack each day (something from one of the food groups- a fruit veggie, protein, dairy or whole grain). Adequate hydration for small children is very important. Please send your child to school with a water bottle as the school is very dry with the heat on this time of year. Also please follow -up at home with reinforcing good habits- such as oral hygiene, getting enough rest, making wise nutritional choices and avoiding drinks that contain a lot of sugar. Making smart health choices can decrease absences, and avoid minor health issues such as belly aches during the school day.



[Healthy Celebrations](#)
[Healthy Students, Healthy Schools](#)

FROM THE LIBRARY

In an effort to keep the library at your fingertips, I wanted to make sure everyone knew that you can access the catalog of available books by going to

libraries.mpsd.org

Simply choose the link for Martinson. You can search specific books in the Catalog or you can browse lists of books by clicking on "Destiny Quest" or "Resource Lists".

Give it a try and let me know if you have any questions or requests!

Thanks,
Kristine Jelstrom-Hamill



2/6: Enrichment-MOS "States of Matter"-
Gr. 2, **School Com. Mtg.-DWS, 7P**
2/13: Enrichment-MOS "Motion, Forces &
Work"-Gr. 3, **SEPAC Meeting-7P, MES**
Auditorium
2/14: **PG Visit, Debyah/McHugh Classes**
2/16: **HEALTH FAIR-ALL GRADES-**
STUDENTS ONLY, MES Spirit Day, Gr. 3
Biography Presentation-Burn's Class-
9:15, Irons Class-10:30, MacLachlan's
Class-2:00P
2/19-2/23: **NO SCHOOL-VACATION**



For more information click the links below:
[MES Website](#) The [Recreation Department](#) will
offer a variety of programs
Details on the above programs are listed in the
Winter Community Brochure.

PTO NEWS

Our next Box Tops deadline is fast approaching. In order to add some fun to the mix, whichever class turns in the most Box Tops by February 16th will win pajama/ popcorn day. Please send in a bag/ envelope marked with your child's teacher's name.

The PTO has been approached by the school administration and was asked to purchase a Chrome Book cart. A cart holds 26 Chrome Books for the students to utilize. Due to the cost of the purchase (approximately \$7000) a vote will need to occur. Please be on the lookout in your email for further information in the very near future. If you have questions relative to this purchase or the PTO support of it, please do not hesitate to reach out to any board member.

Talent Show will be held on Friday, March 23rd. Robin Cahill and Lindsey VanKauwenberg will be coordinating a fun show once again.

