E LEARNING DAY FEEDBACK
Thanks to all that shared their feedback regarding the E-Learning Day! In brief, the feedback was generally positive and supportive of the “strategic” utilizing E-Learning in the future. The feedback also include several suggestion to improve the experience. I will be sharing this data with the Board of Education at the meeting next week. Click on the following link to see a summary of the feedback [E-Learning Day Feedback](#).

DAN HABIB COMING TO SUNSET RIDGE
Dan Habib, the director/producer of INTELLIGENT LIVES, and creator of several award-winning documentaries will be coming to Sunset Ridge School on Monday March 4, 2019 6:30 – 8:30 PM! Habib's work has been featured in dozens of film festivals, broadcast internationally, nominated for Emmy awards and translated into 17 languages for worldwide distribution. Register online at www.nssed.org/events. For additional information contact Amanda Beranek: aberanek@nssed.org or call 847.831.5100 ext 2270.

GET YOUR GOLDEN TICKET!
The time has come for you to purchase your ticket to the most anticipated event of the year, District 29's Winter Benefit, WONKA BALL. Parents, community members, teachers and staff will gather to celebrate our district and raise money to benefit our students on Saturday, March 2nd at 6:30pm at North Shore Country Club. Invitations have gone out! HURRY to purchase your tickets online to get early bird pricing. Ticket prices will go up after February 17. For all benefit info including donations, sponsorships, tickets, and volunteer opportunities, visit [http://district29pto.org/winter-benefit](http://district29pto.org/winter-benefit).

YOUR DONATIONS HAVE A BIG IMPACT
Want to know how the PTO's money is spent? Interested in knowing why the PTO is raising money at the Benefit and where your donations go? Come to the PTO meeting this Tuesday, February 12 at 9am at the Park District Community Center to understand how your generous donations affect your children and our entire district. Check out just a few ways that students are benefitting from the financial support of the PTO and your donation by clicking on the following link [https://youtu.be/rOqR_VG0f5I](https://youtu.be/rOqR_VG0f5I).
2019-2020 KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION
The District is currently in the process of making decisions regarding staffing levels for the 2019-2020 school year. If you have new Kindergarten student planning to attend District 29 in the fall, please let us know as soon as possible!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

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<td>The Impact of Technology on Families” at St James the Less Church in Northfield. Calling everyone with a phone - from preteens and teens, to</td>
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<td>parents and grandparents. Come learn about the impact of technology on our families. The same presentation will be offered twice - Sunday,</td>
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<td>February 10th at 11:30 a.m. and Monday February 11th at 7:00 p.m.</td>
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<td>The regular monthly District 29 Board of Education meeting will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday February 12, 2019 in the Legacy Room at Sunset Ridge School. Agenda topics include: the spotlight on SRS Music students, a discussion regarding 2019-2020 projected enrollment and staffing, a review of feedback on the E-Learning Day experience. All are welcome to attend.</td>
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<td>FEBRUARY 15</td>
<td>February 15, 2019 is Parent-Teacher Conference Day. There is no school that day! If you were unable to schedule a conference during this day, please reach out to your child’s teacher(s) to schedule an individual appointment.</td>
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Sincerely,
Edward J. Stange, Ph.D.
Superintendent of Schools

MIDDLEFORK HEADLINES

VALENTINE’S DAY PLANNING: February 14 is another popular and celebratory day in Middlefork classrooms. If a child chooses to bring Valentine cards, it is customary to do so for all of the students in the class. Candy or edible treats may not be attached to cards or distributed separately. The classroom teachers and room parents will coordinate all festivities!
OFFICER FRIENDLY met with classes this morning to talk about the dangers of drugs and poisons. Please review the Stop Look & Learn coloring books (complements of Officer Friendly & the NPD) with your child, especially Play it Safe With Poison Prevention. It highlights common household products that are dangerous if used improperly.

LEARNING CENTER NEWS: Visit the Learning Center website to check out Mrs. Johnson's February Book of the Month!

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES are almost here. Please sign up online if you’ve not already done so. https://www.sunsetridge29.org/parents/february_conference_registration If you would like to schedule a parent-teacher conference with Dr. Pauls or Mrs. Brouilette, please contact them directly at paulsb@sunsetridge29.org and brouilettem@sunsetridge29.org.

100th DAY OF SCHOOL CELEBRATIONS: Time definitely flies when you’re having fun! Kindergartners counted by 10s to 100 to make Hundredth Day hats while first graders rotated through 100th day themed centers. Second graders were challenged by a making words activity, finding as many words as they could from the letters in “one hundred”. Finally some 3rd graders engaged in 100 “wondering” while others created their bucket lists of 100 things...

LUNCHES FOR THE HOMELESS are being generously donated by families in grades 1 & 3 this Tuesday, February 12. Thank you!

KINDERGARTEN MATH NIGHT is February 21 at 6:30 p.m., so mark your calendars! Look in your kindergartner’s backpack next week for more details and RSVP instructions.

REMINDER: 2019-20 Kindergarten Enrollment is underway - please spread the word!

MIDDLEFORK NEWS: http://www.sunsetridge29.org/schools/middlefork_school__k-3

SUNSET RIDGE HEADLINES

DESIGN STUDIO: Check out the update from the Design Studio: http://sunsetridge29.ss18.sharpschool.com/cms/one.aspx?portalId=570623&pageId=1207783

CONFERENCES: It’s still not too late to sign up for conferences! Go to https://www.sunsetridge29.org/parents/february_conference_registration to get your spot for Friday’s conferences with your child’s teacher. If you would like to schedule a parent-teacher conference with Dr. Pauls or Mrs. Brouilette, please contact them directly at paulsb@sunsetridge29.org and brouilettem@sunsetridge29.org.

HEART HEALTHY: We are continuing Heart Health month with a focus on healthy snacks.
Check out some resources from the AHA:
https://www.heart.org/en/healthy-living/healthy-eating/heart-check-foods

**AFTER HOURS WITH DR. SUKENIK:** We are going to try a new version of 2nd Cup! From the comfort of your own home, we will have a live video chat where Dr. Sukenik will highlight some of the awesome things happening at SRS and then open it up to Q&A. All Sunset Ridge parents are welcome. More information about connecting to After Hours will be forthcoming, but mark your calendar for Wednesday, February 20th at 7:00 pm.

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**#D29CONNECT UPDATES**

We will be sharing updates each week about the different committees of #D29Connect. You can also access information on our website - [click here](#) for a direct link to the #D29Connect page!

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**UPCOMING AT SRS:**

**2/11**
Marvel Club - 5th Grade Recess
New Trier Registration @ SRS
Boys VB SRS@CHA V:4:00pm JV:5:00pm

**2/12**
8th Grade Graduation Picture Retakes
Big Books Club - 4th Grade Recess
Giving Club - 4th Grade Recess
Boys VB Glencoe@SRS V:4:00pm JV:5:00pm
Board of Education Meeting @ SRS Legacy Room - 7:00 pm

**2/13**
Scribbler Sisters - 5th Grade Recess
Boys VB Marie Murphy@SRS V:4:00pm JV:5:00pm

**2/14**
Green Club - 7:30 am
Student Library Advisory Board (SLAB) - 7:45 am
7th and 8th Grade Macbeth Field Trip to Chicago Shakespeare Theatre
Boys Volleyball Sears@SRS V:4:00pm JV:5:00pm

**2/15**
Non-attendance Day for Students
Parent/Teacher Conferences
SUNSET RIDGE NEWS:
http://sunsetridge29.org/schools/sunset_ridge_school__4-8_