# NEWS FROM THE NEST

**Emmons Lake Elementary** 

Nov. 24, 2023

Educational Excellence... Every Day, Every Child!



THE WEEK at a glance

MON.	TUES.	WEDS.	THURS.	FRI.
11/27	11/28	11/29	11/30	12/1
Giving Tree thru Dec. 19th_		PTO Humane Society 3rd & 4th grade	3rd & 4th Grade Holiday Concert	
12/4	12/5	12/6	12/7	12/8
PTO Holiday Gift Shop Starts		Family Day/90AR T-shirt Day		PTO Holiday Gift Shop Ends

### A note from the Principals:

At the risk of repeating myself, we continue to have a great time getting to know students and parents and we love working with this amazing staff. We feel so blessed to be back at Emmons. We also very much appreciate the grace that is given to us as we come up to speed on all things Emmons Lake.

This past week, we had a great PTO meeting. We left the meeting feeling extremely grateful for the wonderful parents we have and the support you all give to our staff and students. If you have not attended one of their meetings, I would strongly suggest you do. They are a great group, working hard to provide some of the extras for our students.

Awesome things continue to happen in our school each and every day. We are so proud to serve as your Emmons Lake principals. On behalf of our entire staff, we want to wish you and your families a very happy Thanksgiving. Whatever your plans may be, stay safe and take good care!

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# **Upcoming Events**

#### **November**

30th -3rd & 4th Grade Holiday Concert

#### December

4th-8th Holiday Shop Week

6th - S.O.A.R. T-Shirt Day/Family Day

11th - Board of Ed Meeting

**13th - Giving Tree Ends** 

18th-22nd- Holiday Spirit Week

21st - Parties 2:15-3:00pm

22nd- Half Day dismiss at noon

25th- Jan. 7th Christmas Break

#### Beginning End:

Breakfast: 8:30 am Start Time: 8:35 am End Time: 3:45 pm Half Day: 12:00 pm

Gordie & Pea

# S.O.A.R.

Safety, Ongoing Kindness, Act Responsibly, Respect



#### Table Talk:

Ask your student how they are S.O.A.R.ing at school.

Look here weekly for topics to talk with your kids about what they are working on at school.

The Week of Nov. 20th - Ongoing Kindness Take turns, let the other person go first.

The Week of Nov. 27th - Act Responsibly Write your name at the top of your papers

The Week of Dec.4th - Respect
Walking in the hallways and by the office quietly

#### Helpful Links Below:

Morning and Afternoon Drop Info:

**Breakfast** and **Lunch Menus**:

**Birthday Treats in the Classroom:** 

**School Health Program & Med Forms:** 

Monthly PE Update:

Emmons Lake Website Here:

**District Calendar:** 

Mobile App Support:

PowerSchool:

**Volunteer Forms**:

**Giving Tree Info:** 



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# THE PTO NEWS Eagle Feathers Parent-Teacher Organization

Shop our SpiritWear Gear & Apparel Store



emmonsPTO@calschools.org

**Upcoming PTO Events:** 

#### November

29 th - Humane Society of W. Mi

#### December

4th-8th <u>Holiday Gift Shop</u>
Watch for Sign Up Information

13th-PTO Social



Lavender Life Co in Caledonia is partnering with our PTO! When making a purchase on site, mention your student attends Emmons Lake and they will take 15% of each sale to give back to our PTO!

Great way to support local, and give back to Emmons!

There is not and "end" date it will run all year!
464 Stanton Farms Dr
Lavender-life.com

### A note from the PTO:

The Humane Society of West Michigan Presenters will be at Emmons Lake on Nov. 29th with 2 four legged friends, Spinelli and Truman to talk about dog safety with our 3rd and 4th graders from 2-3pm in the cafeteria.

The Fourth Grade will also present a check to the Humane Society of West Michigan from the money they collected during their pumpkin voting.

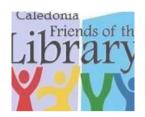
H<u>oliday Gift Shop</u> will be held the week of Dec. 4th-8th for students to shop for their family and friends at a low cost. Watch for the volunteer sign-up to come.

PTO Social- PTO Pile Clean up and Closet Set up will take place on Dec. 13th. If you have some free time and you are great at organizing, consider joining us to help.

# From the Community



#### Leighton Township Library Winter Festival with Santa



Holiday Book Sale - Caledonia Library



Christmas in Caledonia 2023

## Vist our District Community Page For More Opportunities in our Area.

We have an amazing community that provides a variety of opportunities for our students that extend beyond the walls of the classroom. If you would like to know more about events and opportunities available to students in Caledonia, follow our website or the Community Section of our app to stay updated.