



### Dates to Remember:

Oct. 7—Character Assembly, 2:40p

Oct. 10—Fire Prevention Week, Bear Creek Fire Dept. at 12:30pm

Oct. 10—Breakfast with Families, 7:15–8:00am

Oct. 16—Health Day—Hearing & Vision Screening

Oct. 16—Boss's Day!

Oct. 19—Trunk-or-Treat, Set-up begins at 12:30pm

Oct. 24—NO SCHOOL  
P/T Conferences 11am–7pm

Oct. 25—NO SCHOOL  
Inservice Day

Oct. 30—Re-take Picture Day!

Oct. 31—HAPPY HALLOWEEN! Wear black & orange

Nov. 3—End of 1st Quarter

Nov. 3—Daylight Savings Time Ends—Turn back one hour.

Nov. 4—Girl Scouts Meeting, 3:30–4:30pm, Music Room

Nov. 5—Election Day!

Nov. 18—Girl Scout Meeting, 3:30–4:30pm, Music Room

Nov. 27–29: Thanksgiving Break

Dec. 2: Character Assembly, 2:40pm

Dec. 3: PTO Mtg, 6pm in the Music Room

Dec. 12: Winter Concert, 1:30pm, HS auditorium

### **From Mrs. Grable's Desk**

Mrs. Kristin Grable, Sugar Bush Elementary Principal  
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Our October newsletter arrives with summer still in the air! It also arrives with many opportunities to get involved. Whether it be a field trip to chaperone or decorating your vehicle for Trunk or Treat, we appreciate all you do to make Sugar Bush a learning community that also has fun!

Students in grades 1–4 have completed the fall *i-Ready* online district assessment. Classroom teachers will review the results with you during our Fall Parent-Teacher Conferences.

The fall season for schools brings many annual activities including PTO's Trunk or Treat and Pumpkin Run set for October 19th, rain or shine. This popular event allows families to get together and show

off their costumes while trick or treating from car to car, or truck, or van, or SUV! The Pumpkin Run finishes off the event and puts a healthy spin on candy gathering. All runners will receive a pumpkin "toe token" to go on their Bulldogs of Character token necklace. And don't forget, a prize goes to the best decorated vehicle! An invitation along with an R.S.V.P. form is in this week's Thursday folder. We will report out the number of "trickers" to be treated the week of the event in agendas the Monday before the event.

Parent-teacher conferences are also just around the corner. We will be using Class Dojo to schedule this year.

A note will be coming home about this in the upcoming week. Conferences are a perfect time to sit down with your child's classroom teacher to review progress thus far and expectations for the year. If you are unable to attend, please let your child's classroom teacher know and they will work with you to set up a more convenient time.

On behalf of the Sugar Bush Staff I want to thank you for supporting all that we do to make Sugar Bush Elementary a great place to learn and have fun!

Fondly,

**\*Kristin Grable**



# New to our school....

Elrik in 1st grade



Jamari and Erin  
Kindergarten



Hudson and Taylor



Lance in 3rd grade



Fiona in 4th grade



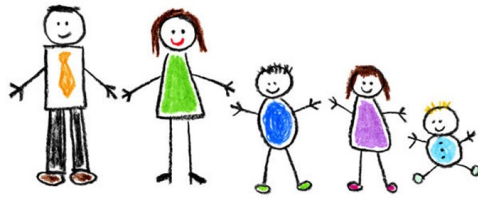
Andrew, Alexander and Amelia



Welcome to Sugar Bush Elementary!



♥ my family ♥



Bring your family to Sugar Bush Elementary for Breakfast

Thursday, October 10th

7:15am—8:00am

French Toast, Cheese Omelet or Assorted Cereal

Side options will include Danishes, Assorted Fresh Baked Muffins, Yogurt,

String Cheese, Fresh Mixed Fruit, Juice, Coffee Bar

Adults—\$2.60

Students—\$1.20

Everyone is welcome!

**Formally...**

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF NEW LONDON

**Child Development Days**

Free Preschool Screening

**Little Bulldogs Community Connection**

**First Friday of every Month**

held at the New London Public Library

9:00AM to 10:00 AM

**Ages 2—4**



**Please call Pupil Services at 982-8447 if you have any questions.**

**October's Character Pillar: Caring!**

# Notes from the Nurse

Does your child need an **Emergency Health Care Plan** at school for concerns such as: *Asthma, Seizures, Food Allergies, Bee sting allergies, Latex allergies, Animal allergies or other Medical concerns??* Be sure to get the Health Care Plan filled out and returned to school along with medications that may be needed. Without these items provided to the school, if a child has a medical emergency, we will call 911 and request an ambulance if needed.

## Emergency Health Care Plans

- Asthma Care Plan
- Animal Allergy Care Plan
- Bee Sting Care Plan
- Food Allergy Care Plan
- Latex Allergy Care Plan
- Medical Action Care Plan
- Seizure Action Plan

**BEE aware:** As we begin the fall season, we are seeing an increase in bee activity. Please be sure you are supplying the needed medication(s) to school if your child has a bee sting allergy.

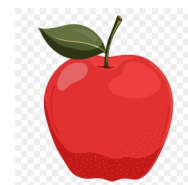
**Immunization records:** Reminder to provide the school with a record of your child's immunization history and/or complete an immunization waiver. We are required by the State to have these on file.

**Illness uptick:** We are back to school and so are the germs...! *Please remind your child to practice good hand washing, cover their cough properly, get plenty of sleep, drink enough water, and eat a balanced diet to ward off illness. If your child is feeling ill before school, please consider keeping them home if they are symptomatic.*

## APPLE CRUNCH DAY!

OUR LUNCH PROGRAM IS OFFERING  
HOT APPLE CRISP WITH VANILLA ICE CREAM  
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10TH  
IN HONOR OF APPLE CRUNCH DAY

FOR HOT LUNCH PARTICIPANTS ONLY!





## School Bus Loading Zone

Please help keep all children safe and be aware that the designated School Bus Loading Zone area is outside of the front door of our school and is noted to be from 7AM – 4PM, please avoid parking and dropping off students especially during bus loading hours (7:30 – 8:30am and 3:00 – 3:30pm).

Students being picked up will be walked out to the west parking lot at 3:10pm. Students will not be allowed to walk in the parking lot without adult supervision.



## TRUNK OR TREAT

Our annual Trunk-or-Treat Gathering is set for Saturday, October 19th! Please see today's Thursday Folder for more details.

Please be sure to turn in form if you will be participating or call the school office.

SET UP: 1:00pm in the west parking lot of Sugar Bush School

TRUNK-OR-TREAT: 1:30–2:00pm



Followed by the PUMPKIN RUN

(all runners receive a pumpkin toe-token!)

**\*\$5.00 to trunk-or-treat and not pass out candy**

\*Proceeds will be used for PTO to purchase additional candy.



## School Lunch Account—Important Notice

It is not the districts intent to deprive any student of a meal; however, the district has a financial liability by allowing family food service accounts to go unpaid. The practice causes the meal prices to increase for everyone else. In an effort to minimize credit problems and reduce the time and effort to deal with overdue accounts, no student or staff member will be allowed to charge against an account unless sufficient funds are available in the account.

Students will not be able to charge on the account again until the balance is restored to a positive number. Only a cheese sandwich will be given as an emergency meal along with a carton of milk and a fruit.

We also are aware that families ensue hardships from time to time. We encourage families to consider applying for our Free and Reduced Program. Part of our schools funding from the state is calculated by this program which, in turn, helps our school.

Sugar Bush Elementary



### POPCORN FRIDAY!

PTO will be popping popcorn on Friday,  
October 11th

### Girl Scouts

There will be Daisy and Brownie Troop meetings held at Sugar Bush School on Monday, November 4th and 18th from 3:30 to 4:30.

This is available to Kindergarten thru 3rd grade. More information to come!

### Parent/Teacher Conferences

Thursday, October 24th, 11:00am—7:00pm

NO SCHOOL—October 25

(Staff Development Day)

### October Birthday Bunch!

A special birthday wish to the following students.

Jericho Gruetzmacher in 1st grade on the 6th

Quinley Zierler in 3rd grade on the 7th

Aubree Zimmerman in 4K on the 14th

Elijah McKenzie in 2nd grade on the 31st



# Student Picture Re-Take Day



## Wednesday, October 30th

## Wear Orange and Black on Tuesday, October 31st!



It is the policy of the School District of New London that no person may be denied admission to any public school or be denied participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be discriminated against in any curricular, extracurricular, pupil services, recreational or other program or activity because of the person's sex, color, race, religion, national origin, ancestry, creed, pregnancy, marital or parental status, sexual orientation or physical, mental, emotional or learning disability.