

Roosevelt News



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Important Weather Information

HOW CAN I GET WEATHER/ EMERGENCY INFORMATION?

Depending on weather conditions, schools will close for the day, open two hours late with regular bus routes or snow bus routes, or open on time with snow bus routes. Changes to the school schedule are usually announced by 6 a.m. Weather emergencies can sometimes disrupt power and telephone service. The district will use a variety of methods to keep you informed, but please remember to keep a battery-equipped radio as your emergency communications back-up:

Tune to Bellingham and Seattle radio and TV stations for live updates:

KGMI Radio (790 AM)
KOMO-TV (Channel 4)
KAFE Radio (104.3 FM) KING-TV
(Channel 5)
KOMO Radio (1000 AM) KIRO-TV
(Channel 7)
KIRO Radio (710 AM)

Bookmark the Web site www.bsnet501.org and sign up to receive notices by e-mail. To sign up to get regular news and emergency information, click on E-News Registration at www.bham.wednet.edu.

Call 676-6400 for a recorded message in English. Please do not call the Transportation Office because it is important to keep lines open for emergencies. For **Español, русский, tinh tữ and Punjabi translations: 647-6815.**

Snow Routes for Buses: It is the responsibility of families to know if they live on a snow bus route and in which snow route group. Click here for snow route information (link to <http://www.bham.wednet.edu/departments/transportation/routes.htm>).

Snow routes effecting Roosevelt Crown Lane, Rhododendron Way, Niagara Dr, Erie St.....Vining & View Ridge, View Ridge & View Ridge Dr., Huron @ Mossop Niagara StVining & Maryland Illinois Area.....Vining & Maryland or Crestline Dr. & W. Crestline



November 11:

No School. Veteran's Day.

November 13:

Boys and Girls Club **CLOSED.**

November 18-25:

School released at 12:30 for conferences

WHAT IF A STORM BEGINS WHEN CHILDREN ARE AL- READY AT SCHOOL?

We try, if at all possible, not to dismiss school early due to weather, except in rare extreme weather conditions. Young children cannot be dropped off at bus stops without an adult and releasing early is problematic when families are not expecting it. Families may choose to pick up their children early.

IF SCHOOL IS CLOSED, ARE ACTIVITIES/EVENTS/MEETINGS CANCELLED?

All school and district athletics held on district property — including mandatory or voluntary practices/rehearsals, activities (field trips and school/district facility rentals), meetings and events previously planned for before, after school and evening — are cancelled. When school is open on snow routes or delayed, school and district administrators decide whether to cancel activities, meetings/events on a school-by-school basis. This information will be communicated to families.

November Conferences

Conferences have been scheduled in November prior to Thanksgiving Break to provide you with information regarding your child's present level of performance.

You will not be receiving a Report Card at this time. Rather, you will be receiving a "Report of Progress" that includes samples of student work that reflect your child's performance relative to the standards using classroom-based and district level assessments gathered throughout the fall in the areas of Reading, Writing, and Math.

School Psychologist Receives State Award

Deborah Monroe, the school psychologist at Roosevelt Elementary, recently received a Best Practices in Consultation Award from the Washington State Association of School Psychologists. The award will be presented to her at an awards luncheon at the fall conference on Oct. 30 in Spokane.



Roosevelt Garden

We have a garden growing at Roosevelt and we need your help! We have a list of needs and a work party date. If you can help with either, please contact **Pat Bate-man at 676-6470 x 5776**

Work party date-Sat. Nov.21 10:00am-1:00 pm. Any amount of time you can work within those times would be appreciated!

Items or help needed:

Some prizes for the "name the garden" contest winners: ???

Compost: (will need trucks to haul it)

Wood Chips

Trucks for hauling compost/manure/building supplies (multiple vehicles would be good)

Manure

Tools on the work party day

Fencing posts

Old Fishing Nets

Concrete

Leaves (can be raked up around school by students) OR straw

A Shed! If anyone has construction knowledge or access to materials we need a shed to keep the gardening tools!

Gardening tools!

PLEASE READ!
Boys and Girls Club
will be closed on
Friday, November
13th! ! !