



March 2023

Important Dates:

Mar. 2 & 8	P/T Conferences
Mar. 31 - Apr. 7	SPRING BREAK
Apr. 10	School Resumes

Parent Teacher Conferences:

Parent Teacher Conferences will be held on Thursday, March 2nd and Wednesday, March 8th. This is a perfect time to catch up with your child's teacher and find out how your child is doing and where improvements can be made. Please reach out to your child's teacher or the office if you do not have a time scheduled yet.

Updated Phone Numbers:

In case of emergency or your child becoming sick at school, it is important that the office has updated phone numbers. This includes your emergency contacts. Please notify the office if there is a change in any of these.

Cherry St. Dental:

A reminder to parents who filled out a blue Cherry Health Dental Consent Form: The approximate timeline for dental hygienist services is sometime in March - TBD
As stated on the consent, these services include an exam, x-rays, a cleaning and sealants if needed. If you filled out the form and no longer wish to have your child seen or if you have not filled out a form and would like these services provided for your child, please call 616-776-2345.

Southeast Little League Sign Ups:

Serving Wyoming and Kentwood boys & girls ages 4-16 years old is now available at:
<https://kelloggsvilittleleague.sportngin.com/register/form/776527882>
Fees: Ages 4-8 \$30.00
Ages 9-12 \$40.00
Ages 13-16 \$50.00

Registration will be open until March 14th. Waiting list and double fees begin March 15th. For more information, call (616) 262-6821.

March is Reading Month:

Nationally we celebrate reading every March. We will be celebrating at West this year too! You will receive a green calendar listing our activities and dress up days. Two additional packets will be sent home with activities that the kids can do at home. We will also be having a Mock Caldecott competition. Every year a Caldecott Medal is given to a picture book that was written this past year for its outstanding illustrations. We are going to read 15 of the books that were nominated this year for that award and then vote for the one we like best. Keep reading books with your children to develop their love of reading!

The West Michigan Whitecaps are also offering a Book Club during the month of March. If children keep track of their reading at home, they can earn a couple of tickets to a baseball game. Look for more info coming home!