

As the weather begins to turn colder and wetter, please make sure your children are prepared for it.

Winter coats, boots, hats & mittens.

If the weather isn't too cold or too wet, gym classes or walks may be taken outside throughout the day.

## YOUR CHILD CAN EARN A FREE MEDIUM PIZZA!

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All you need to do is participate in Mark's Pizzeria "Book-Mark's program! It's easy! Help your child meet their reading goal each month. You can read to them or they can read to you. Keep track of your reading on the calendar or form that was sent home with your child. Parents need to sign the calendar/ form before returning it to school each month by the assigned due date. As soon as we receive your child's coupon from Mark's Pizzeria we will send it home for you to redeem.

Happy Reading!! Sincerely, Mrs. Thibault & Pratt Teachers

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# Happy New Year 2024!

### **Pratt Elementary Yearbooks**

Advance orders for the Elementary Yearbook will be coming up!

### All yearbooks must be pre-ordered!

Order forms will be coming home this month! Watch for them in your student's folders!

If you are interested in purchasing a
Class Group Photo through Inter-State Studios,
orders are due January 5th, 2024.
They are \$12.00.
They will not be provided for free to
Pratt Elementary by Inter-State Studios.

A better option is a Pratt Elementary Yearbook. Orders will begin in January!

Do you know a Barker child who will be 4 years old by <u>December 1, 2024?</u>
They are eligible to attend Pratt Elementary's Pre-K Program for the 2024-2025 school year.

Watch for future dates of Pre-K Open House and Pre-K Registration to be posted in March.

#### **School Resumes**

Tuesday, January 2<sup>nd</sup> 2024

# Pratt Elementary Yearbook Sale

Watch for Upcoming Dates!

# Board of Education Meeting January 8<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm Board Room

Martin Luther
King Jr. Day
No School
Monday

January 15<sup>th</sup> 2024

Trimester 2
ends
March 15<sup>th</sup>,
2024

### A reminder to Potential Volunteers:

All volunteers must be School Board Approved.

If you have been previously approved, you are still on the list.

For new applicants, please contact the office to receive an application. Please schedule an appointment to return your application. You will need your license or ID card in order to be Raptored in to our system.

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If you would like to know more information, or to inquire if you are already on the board approved list, please call Rachel Anderson at 716-795-3237.

7:45-7:55

Morning Drop Off must be in the 1911 Building Parking Lot.

Please do not park in the Elementary Lot in the morning, as we still have staff arriving at that time and the buses are pulling into and out of the bus loop.

# January 2024

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SUNBUTTER FUN PLATE
GRILLED CHEESE/ TURKEY
VEGETARIAN BEANS
FRUIT

2024

LUNCH 2023-2024
ALL STUDENTS EAT
LUNCH FOR FREE

Lunch 2ND LUNCH NO CHARGE H \$2.50

U.S. currency only Checks made out to "BCS SCHOOL LUNCH" Meals are FREE MY SCHOOL BUCKS

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MILK \$.50
ICE CREAM CUP \$1.30
ICE CREAM NOVEL \$1.30
CHIPS \$.75
CHIPS \$1.25
COOKIES \$1.20
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FRUIT 66 \$2.00

MUST CHOOSE: 1 OR 2 FRUITS/ VEG

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BREAKFAST FOR LUNCH
PANCAKES W/ EGG PATTY
SUNBUTTER FUN PLATE
GRILLED CHEESE/ TURKEY
CARROTS

CHEESEBURGER ON BUN
SUNBUTTER FUN PLATE
EGG & CHEESE / HAM
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MUST CHOOSE: 1 OR 2 FRUITS/ VEG.

CHICKEN TENDERS
SUNBUTTER FUN PLATE
CHEESEBURGER / HAM
FRENCH FRIES
GREEN BEANS
FRUIT

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LETTUCE & CHEESE
SUNBUTTER FUN PLATE
GRILLED CHEESE/TURKEY
VEGETARIAN BEANS
FRUIT

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FRUIT

CEREAL, FRUIT & MILK OFFERED DAILY

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LETTUCE & CHEESE
SUNBUTTER FUN PLATE
GRILLED CHEESE/TURKEY
VEGETARIAN BEANS
FRUIT

FRUIT

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MOZZARELLA STICKS W/ MARINARA SAUCE SUNBUTTER FUN PLATE EGG & CHEESE / HAM CORN

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PULLED PORK ON BUN SUNBUTTER FUN PLATE CHICKEN PATTY/ BOLOGNA VEGETARIAN BEANS FRUIT

MACARONI & CHEESE
FUN LUNCH PLATE
CHICKEN PATTY/ BOLOGNA
CARROTS

CHEESEBURGER ON BUN FUN LUNCH PLATE EGG & CHEESE / HAM CORN FRUIT

THURSDAY

**FRIDAY** 

CHEESE PIZZA
FUN LUNCH PLATE
GRILLED CHEESE/ TUNA
BROCCOLI

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FRUIT

FRUIT

CHEESE PIZZA
SUNBUTTER FUN PLATE
GRILLED CHEESE/ TUNA
BROCCOLI
FRUIT

FRENCH BREAD PIZZA
SUNBUTTER FUN PLATE
GRILLED CHEESE/ TUNA
BROCCOLI
FRUIT

MACARONI & CHEESE
FUN LUNCH PLATE
CHICKEN PATTY/ BOLOGNA
CARROTS
FRUIT

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WED: EGGO CHOC CHIP FRENCH TOAST

MUST CHOOSE: 1 OR 2 FRUITS/ VEG.

FIESTADA PIZZA
SUNBUTTER FUN PLATE
CHEESEBURGER / HAM
GREEN BEANS
FRUIT

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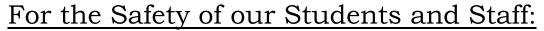
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All Visitors MUST report to the Pratt Elementary Main Office

before going anywhere in the building.

Please bring your

License or Non-Driver ID card to sign in and receive a visitor pass and lanyard.

Please sign out before leaving and return the lanyard and pass.

If a teacher is not expecting you, please check with the **Pratt Office** first to make sure a Teacher is available to meet with you.

Thank You!

### **Morning Drop Off**

Morning Drop off is from 7:45 - 7:55 in the

### 1911 Building Parking Lot

for the children that are being driven to school in the morning. Please adhere to this time frame. School begins at 8:00am, and we need time for the children to make it to their classrooms for the start of the day. Any child that arrives after 8:00am will be marked tardy. Late arrivals must be dropped off at and enter through the Pratt Elementary

Main Entrance.

## Afternoon Pick Up

A reminder to parents that the Afternoon Pick Up time is from 2:35 - 2:45pm in the

### 1911 Building Parking Lot.

Please arrive during this time to pick your child(ren) up and have your Pick Up Tags ready.

If the person that is picking your child up does not have a pickup tag, please notify us by using PickUp Patrol and make sure they bring an ID to show our Aide at dismissal.

Thank you for providing transportation for your child(ren)!

### HARD WORKER of the Month

Pratt Elementary is on the look-out for **HARD WORKERS** each month to become part of an elite group of students who strive to use positive character traits every day.

One student from each grade level will be selected by staff each month.

Those students selected will have demonstrated the designated monthly trait on a regular basis. Each month's trait will begin with a letter from the phrase **HARD WORKER**.

### December's trait is **DEPENDABLE**.

If someone is DEPENDABLE, you have confidence that person will work hard and be trustworthy. They are consistent in their performance or behavior.

### January will focus on the trait Witty

A **WITTY** student is clever and funny.

Witty students say quick, little funny remarks that are delivered in a playful manner.

**H**onest (September)

**A**mbitious (October)

 $\mathbf{R}$ eliable (November)

Dependable (December)

 $\mathbf{W}$ itty (January)

**O**rganized (February)

Respectful (March)

Kind (April)

Encouraging (May)

Responsible (June)

The following students have been selected as December's group of

HARD WORKERS

with the trait

**DEPENDABLE**:

Pre-K: Arla Fuerch

Kindergarten: Grant Atwater

**1st Grade: Camilla Cruz** 

2nd Grade: Adeline Lehner

3rd Grade: Miles Lyon

4th Grade: Makayla Puchlerz

5th Grade: Kian Baker

6th Grade: Addie Snell









Our Hard worker for
December is
Arla Fuerch.
We can always count on
Arla to do the right thing.
Arla is dependable in every way.
She is trustworthy
and works hard every day.
We are so proud of you, Arla!
Great job!
Mrs. Luckman & Mrs. Niethe



Adeline Lehner is the Grade 2 student of the month for always being dependable. Addy comes in every single day excited to learn! She is enthusiastic about all subject areas, and she is always happy to participate. All of our lessons are more fun because of her energy and personality! Thank you to Addy for always working hard, helping friends, and giving your very best!

Congrats Addy!

Mrs. Zablocki



Grant Atwater
is the kindergarten dependable
hard worker for the month of
December. We can always count on Grant to
help out in the classroom and to be there for
other students. Grant knows the
classroom routine and helps others when in
need. He is always willing to lend a hand to
keep our room organized.
Great job Grant!
Mrs. Weller



displaying the trait of **dependable** is

Camila Cruz.

Camila displays this trait constantly and consistently in the classroom.

She is someone who we can depend on to work hard, and she is always someone her friends can depend on for help in all areas. She is constantly making great.

all areas. She is constantly making great choices that benefit her and her classmates. I am so happy to have Camila in our classroom and as the hard worker of the month for December.

Mrs. Nobles



Miles Lyon is our 3<sup>rd</sup> grade December hard worker of the month. Miles demonstrates the trait dependable on a daily basis by consistently being a trustworthy and honest student. I can always count on him to follow class rules and be a great example for his peers.

Miles' willingness to complete all of his tasks is appreciated. His positive and sweet personality is contagious and a joy to have in the classroom.

Thank you for being a dependable student, Miles. Keep up the amazing work!

Mrs. Pavlock



The 4<sup>th</sup> grade Hardworker of the month for December is **Makayla Puchlerz!** Makayla is always very **dependable**. We can count on Makayla to complete her work on time, even when she has been absent. Makayla is always available to help her peers and teachers - we can depend on her to do the right thing!

Mrs. Evans



Addie Snell is a responsible student who is dependable in all areas. Her positive attitude, conscientious work ethic, and willingness to assist both peers and adults alike makes her a student we can all count on. Addie is a dependable role-model and exemplary 6th grade student.

Way to go, Addie!

Team 5/6



We are so excited to honor **Kian Baker** as our Hardworker of the Month for December! Kian displays the characteristics of a **dependable** student on a daily basis. He knows the rules/routines and expectations of each class and follows them without reminders. When he misses class he always reaches out to his teachers to make sure he has all of his assignments completed. And most importantly, we can depend on him to be kind and helpful to everyone!

Congratulations Kian! We are so proud of you! Team 5/6

