



Dear NRHEG Elementary Families,

I thought I'd use this E-Learning Day to provide families with our most recent elementary newsletter.

Winter is a great time to catch up on some reading and as I continue to read personally and professionally, I am reminded of the importance of *READING*. Here at NRHEG Elementary we realize that the ability to read is the foundation for much of what we do.

"The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more you learn, the more places you'll go."— Dr. Seuss, *"I Can Read With My Eyes Shut!"*

February is *I Love to Read* month and at the elementary we will celebrate reading with a variety of activities and events. They will include:

~*Read N Munch* (D.E.A.R.) Time-Drop Everything and Read time or have a snack while reading.

~*Buddy Reading*-Teachers and students choose a time to read together, with students from other classes for 30 minutes.

~*Community Reader's Day* (February 8)-Members from the NRHEG Community will come into school to share their love of reading with our students.

~*Dr. Seuss Art Day*-Students will decorate the cafeteria and hallways with Dr. Seuss artwork in preparation for our breakfast on March 1.

~*Battle of the Books*-Grades 4-5, Friday, March 1, held at 1:15 p.m.

~*Green Eggs and Ham Breakfast*-March 1, 7:00-8:15 a.m.

~*Reader's Theater*-NRHEG Secondary students perform the works of Dr. Seuss, Friday, March 1.

~*Dress Up Days*

*Fox in Socks (Funny Socks)

*Sleep Book (Pajama Day)

*Read N Munch Mis-Match Day

*Cat in the Hat (Crazy Hat Day)

Stay warm! We'll see you in school!

Mr. Anderson

Mission Statement:

Empowering students with knowledge and skills to succeed.

Vision Statement:

To be the school district of choice, inspiring excellence in academics, arts, and activities.

Panther Pride:

Read Across America

Green Eggs and Ham Breakfast

NRHEG Elementary School will once again sponsor a Green Eggs and Ham Breakfast for students and families on March 1, 2019 from 7:00-8:15 a.m. in the elementary cafeteria.

Important information regarding the breakfast can be found below:

~Tickets will be on sale in the elementary office through Monday, February 25th. *PRESALE TICKETS ONLY*~No tickets will be sold at the door.

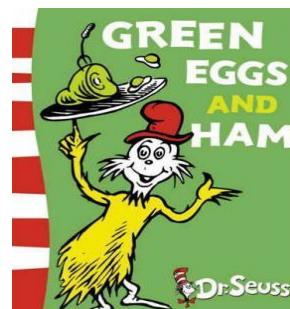
~Adult Tickets \$1.80

~Preschool Tickets (Ages 3-5) \$1.35

~Elementary Tickets-Students will use their lunch account.

~Tickets will be available for sale during Parent Teacher Conferences on February 12 and 14, from 4:00-8:00 p.m.

~Information Sheets and Ticket Request Forms were sent home with students. If you are in need of one, please email *Administrative Assistant* Jean Greenwood at jgreenwo@nrheg.k12.mn.us.



~An Opportunity for Parents~

Planning for Educational Inclusion: A Viewing of 'Including Samuel'

Date: Monday, April 1, 2019 — 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

**Location: Waseca Central School
501 East Elm Avenue, Waseca, MN**

PACER Center is excited to offer a showing of 'Including Samuel,' produced by photojournalist Dan Habib. This one-hour, award-winning documentary is designed to help schools, families, community groups, and others work toward educational inclusion in an informed and innovative way. It examines the educational and social inclusion of youth and young adults with disabilities. Q&A with a PACER advocate will occur before and after the film.