

Upcoming Events

By Riley Pace

Jan 15th Band Concert

Jan 18th Middle School Dance (NO SCHOOL)

Jan 21st No School

Jan 25th Early Release

Jan 28th Barkhausen $\frac{3}{4}$ Denise and Amy

Jan 29th Barkhausen $\frac{3}{4}$ Beth and Chad

Jan 30th Barkhausen $\frac{3}{4}$ Stasch

What is Ski and Snowboarding Club?

By Kyra Brosig

Ski and Snowboarding Club is a middle school co-curricular. It is a opportunity for middle schoolers to learn how to ski and snowboard and or improve skills and enjoy this life long sport. This club has been running for three years and kids have seemed to enjoy it so they plan on continuing it. The club goes on four night trips in January to Nordic Mountain which is located on Mt Morris, Wisconsin. One of the coordinators, Sarah, said she enjoys seeing students progress from the bunny hill to the mountain. She also said she enjoys joining them on the mountain and watching them enjoy it. Sarah is happy about how the group size grow and grow throughout the three years.

SIX AND SEVENTH GRADE SOCIAL STUDIES

By Jaedyn La Brec

In Eva's six and seventh grade social studies they are learning about 1800's America and the 13 colonies. For their assignment they are doing a reader's theatre play as a person from that time/ colony. Eva finds different approaches to help students learn at their own pace. For example, if a student is having troubles reading the assigned work she will assign a video, so they can stay with the rest of the class.

6th grade Math

By Emerson Messenger

Amy Crum's 6th graders, "are continuing their quest to know everything they can about ratios." Students are currently working on using ratios to make conversions within and between measurement systems. Next they will be working on percents and how to figure tax and tip. This unit will take the class through the end of February. Amy also said, "Khan Academy and the online text continue to be great resources for help and extra practice."

7th grade math class
By Olivia Johnson

Currently, Amy Jones's seventh grade math students are learning about slope and slope intercept and will soon be moving onto solving equations. Something she found interesting about the math they are learning about is that you can really use them in real life and it can really be helpful in real life activities. Some techniques she uses to help her students be successful is she tries her best not to be boring and tries to make things fun, she does a variety of activities instead of sticking to one and she does her best to find time to work with small groups of kids at a time to make sure everyone understands.

Jenny's ELA class
By Kyra Brosig

The 6th grade ELA class is Working on literary essays. They would have to have to come up with a claim about a character and have to support the claim throughout the essay. Jenny is excited to see them improve on writing/essays skills. Jenny thinks it is interesting to see how the essay makes them think deeper about their essays.

Theater
By Morelia Rios

Theater is a class where all middle schoolers are welcomed. Middle schoolers can take this class more than once. Students don't need theater experience to be in theater class. During this class students learn team building and learn a dance number. They also work on team building and they learn a dance numbers and perform a readers theater piece. Students also learn how to tap their imagination and creativity into their everyday lives. This class is during the day and is an elective. This class is held 1 per. and 2 per. Scott also teaches Theater at Washington during 5th period. This class is a lot of fun and everyone is welcomed.

Brian's 8th grade science by:Ashton

In Brian's 8th grade science class they are learning weathering and he is looking forward to seeing the stop motion animations in WeVideo. He really likes to teach the students science because he likes to see the kids do the hands on activities. He is also really looking forward to see the kids grow and improve and learn more about science. He also thinks teaching the class is interesting because he gets to see how different kids minds work in science.

Tims algebra class

Max Burke

In Tims eighth grade 3rd hour Algebra class they just got done working on function equations and changing them into graphs and tables and seeing if they are linear functions.

In Tims eighth grade 5th hour Algebra class they just got done with systems and they are starting to study for their midterms and the midterms will be on Jan. 16 and 17. After midterms they will be working on exponential functions.

Brian's science class

Ella Hattendorf

In Brian's 6th grade science they were doing the "rube goldberg" project. For example a kid made a machine that could pop a balloon without any student touching it. I also asked Brian a few questions about why he became a teacher and how his teaching experience has been for far at Aldo. Brian became a teacher because he looked up to him and inspired him. Brian said so far his experience here was great.

Brian's STEM class

By Matthew Lagerkvist

Brian's STEM class is currently building board games to put their engineering skills to use. The class is made up of certain 6th-8th graders. They've been working on this since before break and are finishing on January 25th. In my opinion, the best board game is currently being developed by Matthew and Ike. The students will play each others games once the projects are complete.

8th grade ELA

By Mekai Stewart

In 8th grade ELA they are learning and working on essays about world problems. They have been working on a book tower and are really progressing in finishing. They have get really good treat's every two weeks when done with a book. There is a really nice student teacher who helps a lot in class. The classes have been doing a lot of group projects to. Like coming up with definitions for social justice. They got done reading this really good book called Turtles All The Way Down.

7th grade ELA

By: Khalid

I interviewed Bridgette and i asked her some question about ELA, bridgette likes her students because there very creative and supportive of each other, and they enjoy sharing their work with others or in front of class and they always find humor in the most situations and in their work. Bridgette enjoys teaching ela because it's a good excuse to a lot of books, and she likes writing and having audience and reading her stuff, she likes the books she reads because they have conversations about the books. She said it feels to be a failure it's feels awesome and favorite thing is it's never boring, and somethings new every day and challenging also having kids fun with kids makes it worth it.