

On the "Prairie" with Mrs. Myers

Read All About It-

Science Fair A Success!

This year 88 students participated in the Prairie View Science Fair. The following students earned ribbons for their work. Exhibits were presented under categories of Life Science, Physical Science, and Collections. A list of award winners will follow in the next edition of On the Prairie.....

Many thanks to Mrs. Walbring, Miss Wilkins and to our judges.

Spell Bowl Team Competes—

Mrs. Pease led our Spell Bowl Team to the Spell Bowl Competition on Thursday, November 5th at Kingsbury Elementary School. Members of the Spell Bowl Team included: Gemma D., Joey B., Wreese H., Wrigley H., Gunner B., Katie M., Julia K., Jordan W., Mackenzie K. Amellia K., Jaycee S., Owen S., Derrick C., Makayla S., and Beth A. We also appreciate Mrs. Smith (parent volunteer) and Mrs. Moore (Librarian & parent) for attending to supervise and proctor the competition. We hope to continue the proud New Prairie tradition of Super Spellers.

Attendance Counts!

Did you know that children with good school attendance get better grades? It's true! Studies also show that students with good attendance, including little to no tardiness grow up to be citizens with good employment records. They carry the positive attendance behaviors and work ethic with them.

Of course, if children are ill, they should stay home so that our school remains healthy. We do appreciate it when parents schedule appointments on days off of school or after the school day.

Your child's attendance has an impact on our ability to earn Four Star School Status. Please help us make it a positive impact. Thank you!

Prairie View
Elementary School

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Principal

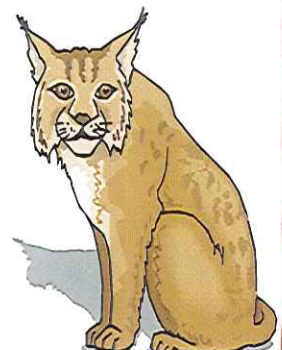
Mrs. Bealor
Secretary

Mrs. Owsianowski
Receptionist

Mission Statement

Prairie View
Elementary School will
provide a safe,
interesting, and
challenging
environment in which
students can learn in a
way that is best for
them.

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school
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Holiday Happenings.....

November 22 & 23 : No School - Thanksgiving Break. We Count YOU Among Our Many Blessings!

November 26 — 30 : Spirit Week for Students and Staff. Each day this week will be a special dress up day to promote school spirit and friendly competition for the final week of the Student Council Holiday Food Drive. A weekly schedule will go home with students so that they know how to celebrate the day. We will collect toiletries and cleaning items each day.

November 30: Grade 2 and Grade 4 Attend Christopher's Christmas in South Bend.

December 19: Prairie View Winter Program @ 6:30 pm Feature our 5th Grade Students.

December 13: 5th Grade Etiquette Luncheon @ 11:00 ~ Portofino's

December 14: New Prairie High School Holiday Performance for Prairie View Students @ 9:40am– 10:10am. Please Join Us.

December 21: Classroom Holiday Celebrations @ 1:30

December 21: Winter Break Begins @ 3:15.



Happy New Year

January 7, 2013: School Resumes.

Thank You....

Please join me in sharing our gratitude with the PTO of Prairie View. Each month they meet to plan and implement wonderful activities to support our students and families. Thank you—Shannon Kelly, Margaret Gulotta, and Jen Kuzdus (PTO Leadership). We also thank many other parents that make our school special through their volunteer efforts. Thank you for Fall Fest, Popcorn Thursdays, Book Fair, and many other services. You give so much... we hope you will accept our heartfelt gratitude.

A special Thank You to Mr. and Mrs. Dillon for their donation of awards from Sweet Frog Premium Frozen Yogurt. Students earning A Honor Roll and A/B Honor Roll status received a coupon for a sweet treat from Sweet Frog.

We are thankful for the wonderful donation of theater tickets and transportation from Linnea M. Robbins—Winter, O.D. and Eye Care Associates of Michiana. This generous gift will allow our entire 2nd and 4th Grade classes to attend a performance of Christopher's Christmas.

Many thanks to the ladies of Tri Kappa Sorority for their time and etiquette lessons for our 5th Grade students. They will be able to practice their skills at the annual Etiquette Luncheon.

We are grateful to the gentlemen from American Legion Post 83 in LaPorte for their Citizenship and Flag Etiquette lessons for our 4th Grade classes.

Our Boys enjoyed a fun Basketball Season because Mr. Crump and Mr. Dockery shared their time and talents with our boys.