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The Newsletter of Goshen Elementary School

Students are our focus and success is our goal



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Great Start

The 2015-2016 school year is off to a fantastic start. Our students have been excited and motivated to begin another year of school. The teachers have worked very hard to make the beginning of school a success. With such great staff members and students, we can't help but have a successful school year.

Check the Goshen Website (goshen.nebo.edu) often. We will be posting pictures of the great things that are happening at Goshen. When we send home information from the front office, it will be sent with your youngest student. Please check backpacks regularly.

LUNCH NEWS

There has been a price change in our breakfast and lunches:

Meal Prices

Breakfast prices: **Student** - \$1.50; **Adult** - \$2.00; **Reduced** - \$.30

Lunch prices: **Student** - \$2.00; **Adult** - \$4.00; **Reduced** - \$.40

Milk: **\$.50 CASH only, (IF a student is eating school lunch it is included in the price. Home Lunch students: \$.50 cash or can be taken out of their lunch account.)**

Apple and Orange Juice: \$.50 If a student is lactose intolerant and need a juice instead of Milk, **PLEASE** let Debbie Hudson know **ASAP. ANY OTHER STUDENT WANTING JUICE INSTEAD OF MILK IT IS \$.50 – CASH ONLY.**

Check Out Procedures

Goshen School Policy for checking out students is as follows:

- *Check in at office and they will call student/students down
- *Sign student out on the clipboard provided in office
- *If you need to go into the hallways or classrooms you must sign in at the office and wear an ID badge that will be provided at the office.
- *If you are having someone else come to check your child out of school, You **MUST** call the office and inform us who they will be leaving with.

Early Out Day

Just a reminder that Wednesday has been designated as a District Wide Early-Out Day. Students at Goshen Elementary School are dismissed at **2:30 each Wednesday.**

Dates to Remember

Summer Packets Due by 9:00 am	August 21	
Kindergarten Starts	August 26	
Back to School	August 27	6:00pm (Free Hot Dogs and Drinks)
Hearing Screening (1 st , 3 rd and 6 th)	August 31	
Book Mobile	September 1	(12:00 – 2:30 pm)
School Community Council (3:30 pm)	September 2	

Student Illness

We want students to come to school every day as long as they are healthy. We are encouraging students, faculty and staff wash their hands frequently. This will help limit the spreading of germs. **We have several students with asthma and upper respiratory concerns. It is important that we work together to help ALL students remain healthy. If your child is ill, you please keep them home until they are no longer contagious.**

Thank you for your help in this matter.

Ways To Keep Informed of Events at Goshen School

School Web Calendar

Goshen School has an online calendar of events that can be viewed. Go to www.goshen.nebo.edu

Magnetic Calendar

This calendar is the one that you received at registration. It is a good reminder of the events that are coming each month. Take a look at the beginning of each month to review what will be happening at Goshen School each month.

School Marquee

If you are driving past the school, or coming to pick up your child, take a glance at the marquee to see what events are happening.

Parent Link

We will continue to send email as well as voice messages through Parent Link. This is only as effective as the information on SIS. **PLEASE make sure that we have a current parent email address and telephone numbers on the Student Information System (SIS).** At the present time, we showed that only 40% of our parents received the messages that we have sent out, due to incorrect email addresses and telephone numbers.

Student Handbook

On the last page of the Student Handbook that you received at registration, there is a calendar of events for the 2014-2015 school year. This may also be helpful to get an overview of the entire school year.

Newsletters

Many of our teachers send out a weekly newsletter with their students. This will give additional information about what is happening in the individual classrooms

*If you have not yet gone online to the Nebo School District web page to **create your user account**, please do this as soon as possible. This will be the way you are able to **check on your student grades**, as well as **update any information changes** throughout the school year. If you need help with this process or have any questions please contact the school. **(801-667-3361)**.

