



MAPLE CREEK HUSKIES Chronicle

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For the Week of January 08, 2024

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Monday 01/08	Tuesday 01/09	Wednesday 01/10	Thursday 01/11	Friday 01/12
NO SCHOOL TODAY	Lost and Found Pickup 4th Grade Learning Club 7:15-7:55 (RM 13) Kindergarten Learning Club 11:30-12:00 (RM K2) Dog House Bark Store 11:30-1:20 Learning Club Grade 1-3 2:50-3:50 (RM 1, 4, 10) Supervised Study Grades 3-6 3:00-4:00 (Rm 8) Athletic Practice 3:00-4:00 PTC Meeting 7:00-8:00 pm	Early Release Day Kinder AM 7:55-10:40 Kinder PM 10:40-1:25 Early Dismissal Grades 1-6 8:00-1:15 CSI 5th/6th Grade 12:30-1:30 (RM 19) Game Cheer Practice 3:00-4:00 *Optional 30 min extra practice (4:30 ending time) Comp Cheer Practice 3:00-5:00 MPR	History Day 7:20-7:55 (RM 15) 4th Grade Learning Club 7:15-7:55 (RM13) Group Oral Interp 7:25-7:55 (RM K1) Mandatory Leadership Meeting for Students 10:15 (RM 17) CSI 1st and 2nd 11:30-12:20 (RM 2) Kindergarten Learning Club 11:30-12:00 (RM K2) Learning Club Grade 1-3 2:50-3:50 (RM 1, 4, 10) Supervised Study Grades 3-6 3:00-4:00 (Rm 8) Athletic Practice 3:00-4:00	HOC FAIRNESS HOC Donut Party 8:15-9:15 (MPR) CSI 3rd & 4th Grade 12:00-12:50 (RM 8) Game Day @ Liberty 2:15-4:15
				Saturday 01/13 Varsity Wrestling- Wolfpack Invitational @ Clovis East Competition Cheer Practice 8:00-10:00 in MPR

LUNCH

NO SCHOOL TODAY	Pepperoni Pizza Pocket Deep Dish Pizza	Chicken Patty Sandwich Pretzel w/Cheese Sauce	Orange Chicken Rice Bowl Bean & Cheese Burrito	Chicken Drumstick Cheesy Pull Apart Bread
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It's time to unfold new pages and
start a new chapter in your life because it's a *New Year*.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

Upcoming Events

01/15/2024 MLK - NO SCHOOL
 01/17/2024 CUSD BOARD MEETING
 01/18/2024 CW SPIRIT NIGHT
 01/18/2024 WINTER CHAMPIONSHIP CW AREA WRESTLING MEET
 01/19/2024 CW GIRLS AND BOYS BASKETBALL FEEDER NIGHT

PTC CORNER

PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR FIRST
MEETING OF 2024 ON TUESDAY,
JANUARY 9TH AT 7 PM IN THE
LIBRARY.



Cultural Corner

New Year's Day

New Year's Day is celebrated on January 1 in many countries. This celebration is one of the oldest holidays. In the first century BCE, the Romans created a new calendar in which the New Year began in January. The month was named for Janus, the Roman god of all beginnings. The Romans had huge celebrations to welcome the New Year. Today New Year's Day is still a festive holiday. A countdown to the New Year begins on New Year's Eve. At midnight people cheer and make a lot of noise. A long time ago people thought that loud noises would scare away evil spirits. All over the world there are many different traditions to celebrate the New Year. Koreans celebrate the New Year two times, once on January 1 with the solar calendar, and again on the first day of the first moon in the new lunar year. In Denmark the New Year begins with loud explosions. People in Iceland clean up trash and perform elf dances. Families build scarecrows in Ecuador and write lists of everyone's faults. At midnight they dance around the scarecrow and read the lists. They then set fire to the scarecrow and lists so that everyone starts the New Year fresh. The Chinese and Japanese pay all their debts. In Madagascar, people pour water on their heads to wash away their sins. Many people make New Year's resolutions. In Belgium children make lists of good deeds they will do and give them to their parents. Sharing a meal and visiting with friends and family is another tradition on New Year's Day. Some countries believe that the first person who visits will set the tone for the rest of the year. In Scotland and England, this custom is called first-footing. Special food to bring luck is also eaten in many different countries.



Positivity Project

This week we are learning and celebrating

Perseverance

You complete what you start despite obstacles. You never give up.

"Courage doesn't always roar.
Sometimes courage is the quiet
voice at the end of the day
saying, 'I will try again
tomorrow.'
~ Mary Anne Radmacher



THE
POSITIVITY
PROJECT

**SCHOOL WILL RESUME
ON MONDAY, JANUARY
9TH. WE HOPE YOU
AND YOUR FAMILY HAVE
A WONDERFUL HOLIDAY
SEASON!!**