

# BLUEJAY BUZZ

ELEMENTARY EDITION

A couple of reminders for you: First, remember to send seasonally appropriate clothing to school! It's getting cold out. **Also, if you think you might qualify for free or reduced lunch, you can still apply!** Just stop in the office for more details. See below for more, and as always, [let us know](#) if you have any questions.

## Congrats, Ride-to-School Winners

This morning, several of our students got a ride to school via fire truck. They also had a pancake breakfast with Three Lakes firefighters as part of the TL Fire Dept. Ride-to-School Program. Congrats to: Graden Mandli (4K), Axel Smith (K), Malakai Volkmann (1st), Dylan Wallschlaeger (2nd), Emilee Bauknecht (3rd), Tray Demith (4th) and Hallie Peterson (5th). [Click here for more pics!](#)



## Maybe a Mermaid Author Visits

We were pleased to welcome home Ms. Josephine Cameron this week. Ms. Cameron is a Sugar Camp native, Three Lakes graduate AND the author of the children's book *Maybe a Mermaid*. She talked to students about story inspiration and the process of writing a book. She'll also be at the grand opening of Mind Chimes Bookshop this weekend in Three Lakes if you'd like to get an autographed copy!

## Do You Need Winter Clothing?

Do you need winter clothing for your student? You can receive free winter clothing through Warm the Children, which is coordinated by the [Vilas County News Review](#) each year. Simply fill out an application, which is available in the school office. The program provides \$150 for each child ages 2-17 and \$75 for those ages 0-2. Warm the Children is an income-based assistance program.





## Spotlight on Local Cranberries

Fourth grade is a really special year in social studies, because it's when students learn about Wisconsin history and culture. This week, fourth graders from Sugar Camp and Three Lakes took a tour of Tamarack Flowage Cranberry right here in Three Lakes to learn about cranberry farming. Did you know Wisconsin is the leading producer of cranberries? Ask your student about the field trip!

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## First Grade Studies 'Dem Bones

These colorful, eye-catching projects in Ms. Stephens' room are the result of a Halloweenish science unit on bones. Students applied baby oil to their hands, knuckles and bones, and then left an imprint on the paper, which they traced over. Their creations are now hanging in the window as sun-catchers in Ms. Stephens' room. Stop by and take a look!



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## Three Lakes Lunch Menu

**Oct. 21** - Mini corn dogs. Baked beans, celery sticks, warm apple slices.

**Oct. 22** - Sloppy joes or turkey sandwich. Golden corn, diced peaches.

**Oct. 23** - French bread pizza. Lettuce salad, pepper slices, orange wedges.

**Oct. 24** - Uncrustable or ham sandwich. String cheese, baby carrots, fruit choice.

**Oct. 25** - NO SCHOOL.

[Click here for full menu.](#)

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## Upcoming Events

**Oct. 24** - 4K & kindergarten field trip to Grandpa's Farm pumpkin patch.

**Oct. 25** - NO SCHOOL. Teacher in-service day.

**Oct. 25-27** - Three Lakes Drama Club presents, "Oz." 7 pm on 25-26th. 1 pm on 27th.

**Oct. 28-Nov. 1** - Red Ribbon Week. Dress-up days each day. More info next week!

**Oct. 31** - Lions Club Halloween party.

**Nov. 4** - End of first quarter.

**Nov. 7** - Citizen of the Month assembly.

**Nov. 8** - 8th Grade Cake Auction. 6 pm viewing, 7 pm auction.

**Nov. 11** - Veterans Day assembly.

**Nov. 11** PTO meeting. 5:30 pm. Elementary IMC.

**Nov. 14** - Parent/teacher conferences, 4-7 pm

**Nov. 14** - Butterbraid fundraiser pickup. 3-7 pm

**Nov. 15** - Butterbraid fundraiser pickup. 8:30-11:30 am.

**Nov. 15** - NO SCHOOL. Parent/teacher conferences, 8:30-11:30 am.

**Nov. 27-29** - Thanksgiving break. NO SCHOOL.

[Click here for full calendar.](#)



