



Welcoming in February

January 26, 2024

Good Afternoon, South Poplar Families!

I hope that everyone has had a great re-return to school this week.

We were thrilled to FINALLY have our January Wildcat Assembly on Wednesday. It was so fun to meet together in the gym to learn from our youngest students (Division 11 & 12) about being inclusive. Reminder, South Poplar parents are always invited to pop by and join in on these short and fabulous times together. Our next assembly will be Friday, Feb. 7th @ 11am.









If you haven't jumped into Charlotte's Web with us yet, **IT IS NOT TOO LATE**. You are welcome to read the book that was sent home, or to listen along with us, [here](#). We would love to have you and your kiddos on board with this awesome **1 BOOK 1 SCHOOL** initiative.

Have a fabulous weekend, everyone!

Mrs. Shannon Manky



Jan. 29	Jan. 30	Jan. 31	FEB. 1	FEB. 2
		CHARLOTTE'S WEB: CHAPTERS 7-9 Be sure to read and/or listen here		
BC FRUIT & veggie DELIVERY				CHARLOTTE'S WEB Draw Day

FEB. 5	FEB. 6	FEB. 7	FEB. 8	FEB. 9
		CHARLOTTE'S WEB: CHAPTERS 10-12 Be sure to read and/or listen here		
		WILDCAT ASSEMBLY @ 11:00 EARLY DISMISSAL @ 11:56 PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES	EARLY DISMISSAL @ 11:56 PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES	CHINESE (LUNAR) NEW YEAR CHARLOTTE'S WEB Draw Day

REMINDER: OUR SCHOOL CALENDAR IS ALWAYS AVAILABLE ONLINE. CHECK IT OUT FOR INFO ABOUT UPCOMING EVENTS



WILDCAT T-SHIRTS AS OF LAST WEDNESDAY, WILDCAT T-SHIRTS CAN BE WORN ON ANY/ALL WEDNESDAYS.

At this time, we do not have a second order date planned; however, when we have enough interest, we will place another order.

>> To express your interest in getting in on a 2nd Wildcat T-shirt order, please take a few minutes to fill out this form:

<https://forms.office.com/r/3E6ukb49Fn> <<



PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES & EARLY DISMISSAL DAYS: FEBRUARY 7TH & 8TH

As outlined in our district's 2023-24 school calendar, students will be dismissed early on Feb. 7th & 8th to assist us in hosting parent-teacher conferences. The pick-up times are:

Wednesday, February 7th & Thursday, February 8th @ 11:56pm

Your child's teacher is looking forward to meeting with you. Parent-Teacher conferences are an important opportunity for parents and teachers to have a short (12 minute) meeting to chat about their child's life at school. The teacher will share areas of strength, as well as any areas of concern. Parents may also come with questions that they are looking to clarify.

Appointments are available:

- ★ Wednesday, February 7th, 12:45 – 2:30 (*last appointment 2:15-2:45)
- ★ Wednesday, February 7th, 5:00 – 8:00 (*last appointment 7:45-8:00)
- ★ Thursday, February 8th, 12:45 – 2:30 (*last appointment 2:15-2:45)

Limited appointments available outside of these scheduled times. (Refer to the booking website.)

NOTE: WE WILL HAVE A PUNJABI INTERPRETER AVAILABLE FOR THE APPOINTMENT TIMES LISTED ABOVE. PLEASE BE SURE TO BOOK THE INTERPRETER ALONG WITH BOOKING YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER. (SEE THE INFO BELOW ON SELECTING MULTIPLE STAFF CALENDARS.) *DO NOT HESITATE TO CALL MRS. SMITH FOR HELP.*

Please check out our online booking system to book your time with your child's teacher. We appreciate you making this important opportunity a priority and look forward to this valuable time together.

YOU WILL RECEIVE AN EMAIL NOTIFICATION NEXT WEEK WHEN THE BOOKING WEBSITE IS LIVE.

(We anticipate it being Monday evening, or Tuesday by lunch.)

HOW TO BOOK YOUR APPOINTMENT

1. Click [here](#) to be taken to the online booking site.
2. Click the "REGISTER" menu tab and fill in the online form. Choose a user ID and PASSWORD then click the "REGISTER NOW" button.
3. Add your children into the system by clicking the "MANAGE STUDENTS" button. Click the "INSERT NEW" button to add more children.
4. Click the "DATE" icon beside each child's name to schedule an appointment. Select the staff you wish to book appointments with and the "VIEW CALENDARS" button. Hold down the "Ctrl" or "Command" key to select multiple staff to view their calendars at the same time.
5. Click on available time slots to book your appointment and then click the "BOOK APPOINTMENTS" button to save your bookings.

IMPORTANT NOTE FOR PARENTS WITH MORE THAN 1 CHILD @ SOUTH POPLAR:

If you have 2 or more children attending South Poplar please leave 15 minutes between appointments.)

**BOOKING DEADLINES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

- Feb. 7th appointments must be booked by 9:00 a.m. on the 7th.
- Feb. 8th appointments must be booked by 9:00 a.m. on the 8th.

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at our new location!



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**Valentine's Day
Sugar Cookies**

1 Cookie - \$4
6 Assorted Cookies - \$23
1 Gluten Free Cookie - \$4.50

Sugar Cookies will be
Delivered
to Students in Class on
February 14th

Order through South Pop
MunchaLunch
by February 5th at 9am

AN IMPORTANT MESSAGE FROM THE PAC: HOT LUNCHES 2024

A NEW ORDERING PROGRAM

We are now using MunchaLunch.com
for placing our hot lunch orders.



You can pay for your orders by credit card OR debit-credit card OR pre-paid credit card.

***Please [click here](#) for all of the info about how to register for your munchalunch account.**

- ★ You can now REGISTER for your accounts!!
- ★ ORDERING is open NOW!!!
- ★ COOKIE orders are open NOW!!!
- ★ You can even pay for No Uni

A FEW IMPORTANT REMINDERS ABOUT HOT LUNCHES

- 🕒 Orders must be placed by 9:00 am, one week before the hot lunch/popcorn date.
- 🕒 If your child is ill on a lunch date, **you are welcome to come and pick up their lunch by 12 noon**; otherwise please consider it a donation for a child who does not have a lunch. Consistent with previous years, there are **NO REFUNDS** as this is a PAC fundraiser.

We appreciate your support for our hot lunch program as the funds go towards our children and general fundraising within the school.

VOLUNTEERING

We are always in need of Volunteers! **If you have done your Criminal Record Check and are available to help prep and handout hot lunches, please email southpoppac@gmail.com and let us know.**

Our thanks to the South Poplar Elementary PAC for supporting this important fundraiser and to our wonderful volunteers who help make this program a success!

REMINDER: Please do not send pop to school with your child (in lunch or if you are dropping off their lunch.)



Thank you!

GRADE 1-5 WAITLIST FOR 24/25

If you know a family that is interested in making South Poplar their school, please let them know that our waitlist will open (on our website) on February 1st.