

Volunteer Spotlight

These wonderful scarves were made by Gina A, a parent in our classroom. Gina made these as a volunteer project for our students...so great! If it ever gets warm enough, we will be ready for recess.
- Karen LaMere, High-5 Ojibwe Class (in picture to right)



AnishinabeNoongoom

"Anishinabe Today"

Anishinabe Academy has existed since 2004 to serve urban Native American students in the city of Minneapolis. Anishinabe Academy offers a high quality education by providing rigorous academics while weaving native culture and language into the educational experience.

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LOOK WHO'S TALKING

Attendance and Social Work update

This year Anishinabe is beginning a new attendance incentive called "The Traveling Trophy." Each week, the classroom with the highest percentage of perfect attendance will get the trophy in that room for the week. Along with the trophy, classes will receive a letter to spell PIZZA. When a class gets five letters (P-I-Z-Z-A) the class will celebrate its attendance achievement with a pizza party.

-Lisa Gerring, School Social Worker

Classrooms that have won letters so far are:

Mr. Scott	P-I-Z-_-_-
Ms. Moore	P-I-Z-_-_-
Ms. Jacobson	P-I-_-_-_-
Ms. Johnson	P-I-_-_-_-
Mr. Miller	P-I-_-_-_-
Ms. LaMere	P-I-_-_-_-
Ms. Dahl	P-_-_-_-_-

Students with 100% attendance for the school year are:

- Suvi A, Hi-5
- Elijah P, 1st grade
- Jordan B, 2nd grade
- Deja G, 3rd grade
- Matthew K, 4th grade
- Mckynzie H, 6th grade
- Minda A, 7th grade
- Aracely G, 8th grade
- Giovanni P-L, 8th grade
- Aryana W-M, 8th grade

March 2015 Calendar

- **Sunday, March 8th:** Daylight savings time begins. Tip: Spring forward one hour.
- **Thursday, March 26th:** 3rd Quarter ends.
- **Friday, March 27th:** No School. Record keeping day.
- **Monday thru Friday, March 30th thru April 3rd:** No School, Spring Break.

SPRING BREAK Academy 2015

There is still time to sign up for Spring Break Academy! Deadline is March 9th to include busing for students. The academy is from March 30th-April 3rd from 8:00am-2:00pm.

Highlights:

- Small class sizes
- Individualized learning
- Enrichment activities
- Positive behavior focus
- Field trips (k-4: Pump it UP! And 5-8: Roller Gardens)
- Offered partnership with the YMCA Beacons
- Free transportation, breakfast & lunch
- Lego/robotics offered

Contact: Pamela Holland-Mills at (952) 649-0726

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High-5 and Kindergarten Parents: there is still time to turn in your School Choice Cards. Call our main office at (612) 668-0880 if you have questions on how to get your choice card submitted.