



Rolling Prairie Elementary School  
March 2023

# BULLDOG NEWS

## WOOF-WOOF



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### A MESSAGE FROM DR. MOORE

Snow is still here but Spring is near!

We have a lot to look forward to – field trips, spring music program, Lucky Charms Dance, VIP Day, Fun Fair...and so much more! We have been working hard to provide opportunities for all.

We strive for academic excellence and are excited for students to show us what they have learned this year. State assessments will begin next week – IREAD-3 (Grades 2 & 3). ILEARN (Grades 3-5) will begin in April.

We believe in our Bulldogs and will continue cheering them on through the end of the school year. We will continue to ensure high levels of learning for ALL students while also addressing the whole child.

Thank you for partnering with us in your child's education.

Dr. Moore, Principal

### CHECK IT OUT!



[Click here](#) to view our district's website



Come work with us! [Click here](#) to view employment opportunities at NPUSC.

### IMPORTANT DATES TO KNOW

3/6 - IREAD-3 Begins (Grades 2 & 3)

3/13 - Last Day of Q. 3

3/16 - Report Cards Sent Home & Kindergarten Round-up @6:00 p.m.

3/17 - Flex Day: Staff Professional Development & Students eLearning  
Lucky Charms Dance 6:00-8:00 p.m.

3/20 - School is in Session

3/23 Spring Music Program @NPHS

3/29 - Junior Achievement in a Day

4/3 - 4/7 - Spring Break

4/17 - ILEARN Begins (Grades 3-5)

## WHAT IS HAPPENING AROUND ROLLING PRAIRIE? SUPERHEROES FOR MATH NIGHT





# Rolling Prairie Elementary Kindergarten Round-up



Your child must be 5  
years old on or before  
August 1st, 2023

**March 16th 6:00-7:00 p.m.**

**\*Online Registration March 13th-17th**

Meet teachers, tour the  
classrooms, and learn how to  
get ready for Kindergarten

Parents/Guardians, please bring with you your  
child's certified birth certificate, immunization  
records, and proof of residency

Kindergarten Team,  
Mrs. Pavey, Mrs. Smiley, & Mrs. Surma

## **WHAT IS HAPPENING AROUND ROLLING PRAIRIE?**

Each Year, 5th grade students and their teachers from Rolling Prairie Elementary and Prairie View Elementary meet for the 5th Grade Dining Etiquette Field Experience. This "real-world application" lesson takes place at Heston Event Center and is targeted to meet the Indiana Department of Education's School Counseling competencies of Academic, Career and Social/Emotional Development. It is an enjoyable opportunity of learning where students are practicing the art of conversation when meeting new people, dressing and behaving in formal atmospheres and regulating themselves socially and emotionally in unfamiliar situations. Students learn and practice the etiquettes of dining, which are visible signals of conduct, and therefore, are essential to their future social and professional success.







*SAVE THE DATE*

# LUCKY CHARMS DANCE

*Friday, March 17 | 6p-8p*

*Open to Students of Rolling Prairie Elementary  
and a VIP of Their Choice*

*More Information To Come Home Next Week!*

**WHAT IS HAPPENING AROUND ROLLING PRAIRIE?**  
**READ ACROSS AMERICA**  
**SOUTH BEND CUBS READING CLUB**





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### GET TO KNOW US



**New Health Aide**  
**Mrs. Kubit**



**New Library Aide**  
**Miss Spence**



**5th Grade**  
**Instructional Assistant**  
**Mrs. Shankland**

**4th Grade**  
**Instructional Assistant**  
**Mrs. Bond**



**EL Assistant**  
**Mrs. Guzman**

**2nd Grade**  
**Instructional Assistant**  
**Miss Livinghouse**

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## IREAD-3

All RP students in grades 2 & 3 will be administered the IREAD-3 test this year. IREAD-3 is an online, timed, multiple-choice only assessment consisting of three separate test segments. The first segment measures foundational reading skills, including phonics and vocabulary. The remaining two segments assess students' ability to silently read and comprehend nonfiction and literary texts.

IREAD-3 Parent Guidance [Click here](#)

IREAD-3 Frequently Asked Questions [Click Here](#)

Testing Schedule:

Monday, March 6th

Practice test

Wednesday, March 8th

Parts 1 and 2

Thursday, March 9th

Part 3

## HEART SAFE SCHOOL



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## PARENT TEACHER ORGANIZATION [PTO] NEWS

February PTO Meeting- Tuesday, March 28th @3:30 in the Rolling Prairie Library

If you would like to contact our PTO, please email them at

[rollingprairiepto@gmail.com](mailto:rollingprairiepto@gmail.com)

[Click Here](#) to like our Facebook page

Rolling Prairie PTO-Home Of The Bulldogs

## FUN FAIR

WHO: NP FAMILIES

WHEN: WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26TH  
5:30-7:30

WHERE: RP ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

INFLATABLES

GAMES

AUCTION ITEMS

FOOD WILL BE AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE

\*MORE INFORMATION COMING SOON\*