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NEWSLETTER OF  
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# Twister Times



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## Dress for the weather:

If you have ever visited HBT on a cold windy day the first thing you might notice is...IT IS COLDER HERE THAN AT YOUR HOUSE!

### IT IS COLDER AND WINDIER HERE ON THE HILL!

Please dress your children with all the cold weather clothing that is appropriate during this season. A hat, gloves, scarf, a warm coat with a hood & appropriate shoes/boots. The children go outside for at least 30 minutes a day for a mask break during their Unstructured Play Time and more if they have PE outside.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Music Concert:

**Tuesday, December 14<sup>th</sup> (flyer attached)**

The 2nd grade music concert will be held from 6:00 - 6:30 PM

Second grade families and students should enter through door #11, the south doors at 5:45 PM. The students will go to the cafeteria and sit in their assigned seat (where they sit for lunch) before the concert begins. Families will pick up their children in the cafeteria after the concert and exit through door #11. Students and visitors must wear a mask at all times while inside the school building.

The 3rd grade music concert will be held from 7:00 - 7:30 PM

Third grade families and students should enter through the front door near the flag pole at 6:45 PM. The students will go to their classroom and sit in their assigned seat before the concert begins. Families will pick up their children by their coat hooks outside of their classroom when the concert is over. Students and visitors must wear a mask at all times while inside the school building.

## Masks:

The face masks students wear daily can break, tear, and get wet. Please pack a few extra masks for your child daily.

## Lost and Found:

There are many coats, sweatshirts, and water bottles in the lost in found. They have been set out on a table in the main hallway. Please encourage your child to shop the lost and found. Any items that remain in the lost and found after Dec 17<sup>th</sup> will be donated.

## LUNCH TIMES

- 11:05 – 11:35 ~ 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade
- 11:10 – 11:40 ~ 1<sup>st</sup> Grade
- 11:55 – 12:25 ~ 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade
- 12:00 – 12:30 ~ Kindergarten
- 12:35 – 1:05 ~ 4<sup>th</sup> Grade
- 12:35 – 1:05 ~ 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

## DIGITAL LINKS

- [LUNCH MENU](#)
- [BULLETIN BOARD](#)  
As a service to our families, we post flyers from community organizations.
- [ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STUDENT & PARENT HANDBOOK](#)
- [PARENT SQUARE](#)

## Important Dates to Remember

Date	Event	Time
November 18 <sup>th</sup>	PTO Meeting	6:30pm
November 24 – 26 <sup>th</sup>	Thanksgiving Break	NO School
December 8 <sup>th</sup>	PTO Dining for Dollars @ Chipotle	TBD
December 14 <sup>th</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade Concert	2 <sup>nd</sup> @ 6:00 – 6:30pm 3 <sup>rd</sup> @ 7:00 – 7:30pm
December 16 <sup>th</sup>	Student Picture Retakes	During School Hours
December 16 <sup>th</sup>	PTO Meeting	6:30 PM
December 17 <sup>th</sup>	End of 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter	
December 20 <sup>th</sup>	301 Board of Education @ The District Office	6:00pm
December 20 – 31 <sup>st</sup>	Winter Break	NO School
January 3, 2022	School Resumes	Regular School Hours
January 10 <sup>th</sup>	Report Cards Posted	4:00pm
January 17 <sup>th</sup>	Martin Luther King Jr Day	NO School
January 27 <sup>th</sup>	Half-Day for Students in K-5 <sup>th</sup> grades	9:00 – 12:10
January 28 <sup>th</sup>	Teacher Institute Day	No School for All Students



### Veteran's Day Tribute



Pack 38 Cub Scouts Brock A., Andrew B., Emily H., Easton B., Zander C., Dominic C., Zayden C., Elijah W., Liam H., Jackson H., and Leader Mr. Hurley did a stellar performance of presenting the colors, leading the school in the Pledge of Allegiance and HBT Care Code during our Veterans' Day tribute.

5<sup>th</sup> Grade had fun during our first snow fall of the season!



Twister-a-thon was a blast!



Top earners had a special lunch with Mrs. Lewis & Mrs. Moretti!



HBT's Second and Third Grade Students present:

## A Day in the Life of a Student



**Date:** December 14, 2021

**Location:** HBT Gym

### 2nd Grade: 6:00 - 6:30

Second grade families should enter the school through the **South doors**. School doors will be unlocked at 5:45 PM. Second grade students should sit in **their assigned cafeteria seat** (where they sit for lunch) before the concert begins. Families should pick up second grade students in the cafeteria after the concert and **exit through the cafeteria doors**.

### 3rd Grade: 7:00 - 7:30

Third grade families should enter the school through the **front doors, by the bus loop**. School doors will be unlocked at 6:45 PM. Third grade students should go to **their classrooms** before the concert begins. Families should pick up third grade students at their coat hooks outside their classrooms after the concert.

In order to align with the District 301 Back-to-School Guidance, students will be spaced three feet apart on the bleachers this year, which will limit the amount of seating for our audience. **In order to help ensure everyone has a place to sit, and to continue District 301's layered prevention strategies, please limit audience members to two per child whenever possible.** In accordance with the state mandate, masks are required for all indoor school events.

The performance of our concert will be professionally videotaped, and DVDs may be purchased for \$10 each. The order form is below. Orders, with payment, must be received by the day of the concert. Since DVDs will be produced right away, **late orders cannot be accepted.**

Students should plan on wearing their class t-shirts, or a similar color t-shirt, and dark bottoms (ex. dark leggings or jeans).

Thank you for your support of our HBT music program!

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Howard B. Thomas Grade School  
Second and Third Grade Concert DVD form

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student Class: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like \_\_\_\_\_ DVDs at \$10 each. I have included \$\_\_\_\_\_ cash/check.

Los estudiantes de segundo y tercer grado de HBT presentan:

## Un día en la vida de un estudiante



**Fecha:** 14 de diciembre, 2021

**Dónde:** Gimnasio de HBT

### **2º Grado: 6:00-6:30 PM**

Las familias de segundo grado deben entrar a la escuela por **la puerta del sur**. Las puertas de la escuela se abrirán a las 5:45 PM. Los estudiantes de segundo grado deberán sentarse en su asiento asignado en la cafetería (donde se sientan para el almuerzo) antes de que comience el concierto. Las familias deben recoger a los estudiantes de segundo grado en la cafetería después del concierto y **salir a través de la puerta de la cafetería**.

### **3º Grado: 7:00-7:30 PM**

Las familias de tercer grado deben entrar a la escuela por **la puerta principal**, que se encuentra ubicada en frente del circuito de autobuses. Las puertas de la escuela se abrirán a las 6:45 PM. Los estudiantes de tercer grado deben ir a **sus aulas** antes de que comience el concierto. Las familias deben recoger a los estudiantes de tercer grado fuera de sus salones después.

Siguiendo la Guía de Regreso a la Escuela de Distrito 301, los estudiantes serán ubicados tres pies de distancia en las gradas este año, lo que limitará la cantidad de asientos para nuestra audiencia. **Con el fin de ayudar a asegurar que todos tengan un lugar para sentarse, y como estrategia de prevención seguida por el Distrito 301, por favor limite a los miembros de la audiencia a dos por niño siempre que sea posible.**

De acuerdo con el mandato del estado, se requieren máscaras para todos los eventos de la escuela en interiores.

La presentación de nuestro concierto será filmada profesionalmente, y los DVDs pueden ser comprados por \$10 cada uno. El formulario de pedido se encuentra a continuación. Los pedidos, con pago, deben recibirse antes del día del concierto. Dado que los DVD se produzcan de inmediato, **no se puedan aceptar pedidos tardíos.**

Los estudiantes deben usar las camisetas de clase, o una camiseta de color similar, y pantalones oscuros (por ejemplo leggings oscuros o jeans).

¡Gracias por su apoyo a nuestro programa de música HBT!



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Howard B. Thomas Grade School  
Formulario DVD de Concierto de segundo y tercer grado

Nombre del estudiante: \_\_\_\_\_ Clase de estudiante: \_\_\_\_\_

Almacén de DVD de HBT: 11500 W. Alameda, Suite 100, Littleton, CO 80120