



# FEBRUARY

## IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

Jan. 1 – Feb. 4: Feed the Bay Collection  
Fruit Cups or Fruit Pouches  
Feb. 7: Trinis Carryout Fundraiser  
11:00 – 2:00  
Feb. 11: Report Cards Go Home  
Feb. 18 – 21: Mid-Winter Break  
Feb. 22: PD Day NO Students  
Feb 23: **Virtual** Ned's Mindset Mission  
Assembly  
Feb. 28: Buffalo Wild Wings

## Ashley Elementary

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## NOTES FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Ashley Families,

It is hard to believe that February is upon us! The students are looking forward to their Classroom Valentine Celebrations coming soon. Information will be coming home from your classroom teacher. In alignment with the Positivity Project students will be sending Valentine Messages filled with Optimism and Kindness to our neighboring buildings!

Our students are receiving the opportunity to attend a school wide program "The NED Show". The Ned show focuses on character education, reminding our students to Never Give Up and Do Your Best! We are excited to keep this Positive Momentum brewing in our building. THE P2 Snack Shop Board is up, allowing students to reflect on Perseverance Pretzels, Fairness Fries and Bravery Burgers just to name a few. Students who showcase these traits will be recognized with their picture displayed on the Snack Shop wall, as you travel to the cafeteria. Academically our students continue to strive for excellence. We have seen great growth during our NWEA Winter Testing Session. Please look for your students individual NWEA report coming home soon in their report card envelope.

We are excited to celebrate the Winter Olympics this year at Ashley. Students will monitor their classrooms country and collect data, as we watch the progression of a world-wide event. Students will partake in Olympic games during their PE class and will gain a better understanding of physical fitness, dedication and perseverance!

We look forward to a Positive Month and Thank you for your partnership as we work together to provide our students with successful opportunities!

Respectfully,

Melissa VanHulle

**Our website has updated information with the school flyers, dates to remember and PTG information. PLEASE CHECK OUR ASHLEY WEBSITE AT:**  
<https://www.anchorbay.misd.net/schools/ashley/>

## MID WINTER BREAK

Please remember that students do not attend school on  
**FRIDAY Feb. 18<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup>**



We would like to thank the PTG for their book donation to our library.



### December Morning Announcers:

Mia DiStefano, Jerzey Golick, Sophia Helle, Kayla King, Anthony Maul, Madelyn Rieden, Avalyn Rivard, Juliana Salter & Andrew Speshock.

### January Morning Announcers:

Luke Bogdan, Cassandra Burger, Joshua Cole, Jacob Dervishi, Cameron Foley, Liam Geschwind, Selena Lowery, Caleb Reynolds, Emery Richards, Madelyn Rieden, Benjamin Schoening, Aubrey Schrade & Ellasyn Teatsorth.



Anchor Bay Families,

We are participating in the Feed the Bay Food Drive starting Monday, January 31<sup>st</sup> – February 4<sup>th</sup>. Donations collected will be used for Feed the Bay Backpack Program to eliminate childhood hunger during the weekends right here in Anchor Bay. The need is even greater due to COVID 19, and the mission remains to eliminate childhood hunger.

This year Ashley Elementary will be collecting fruit cups and fruit pouches. The students will bring donated food items to school and drop them in their classrooms. The items will be counted and the winning classroom will receive a pizza party. ***Feed the Bay works hard to collect items that are child-friendly, so please check out the flyer for the specific needed food items.***

Let's keep this important program going - please donate next week!