



Feb. 3rd - 12:15 Early Dismissal

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Washington Elementary

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Dates to Remember

Feb. 3	12:15 Early Dismissal
Feb. 15	School is in Session! <i>C Day</i>
March 2	Parent-Teacher Conferences 4:00-8:00
March 3	12:15 Early Dismissal
March 4	NO SCHOOL Parent-Teacher Conferences
March 5	NO SCHOOL – NO CONFERENCES



your community! Become informed and get out and vote on March 9!

From the Principal's desk.....

Congratulations to **Elvira Castellanos**

– She was our latest Parent to find her name in the Washington Newsletter. Keep reading and maybe your name will be next!!



In an effort to encourage all Families to read the bulletin each week, we have a contest each week.

Here is how it works: A PARENT NAME will be drawn each week and inserted in a random place in the bulletin. If the parent finds his/her name and calls the school office the following scheduled school day, they will win a combo meal at Nifty 50's. We would like to thank Craig & Jill Corn, owners of Nifty 50's, for making this possible.

Please remember when you are picking up or dropping off students in the Washington Parking Lot to always drive slowly and watch carefully for all Pedestrians – we have had several close calls. Please Drive Carefully!!



WE ARE STARTING TO LOOK FOR NEXT YEAR'S KINDERGARTENERS

If you have a child that will be five years of age by October 15, 2010 and will be coming to school next year, or know of someone that will have a kindergartner next year, please contact the Washington Office at 727-3164. We will add them to our list for kindergarten registration day, which is **April 30th, 2010**. We need name, birth date, address and phone number to start the registration process.

Are you a registered voter?

The Citizens of Fremont will be voting on a general bond election on March 9th to make much needed improvements to Linden, Clarmar and Fremont High School. If you are not a registered voter, you must register by February 26th to vote in this bond election. Improvements will also be made to Grant, Washington and Howard schools to improve security and student safety in their buildings. Take an active part in determining the future of your schools and the future of

Creighton University School of Dentistry, [2500 California Plaza](#) will once again host a Give Kids a Smile event on **Saturday, February 6th from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** Attached are two flyers about the event (English and Spanish). Please feel free to distribute these widely among your colleagues and the families you serve. If you would like paper flyers or posters, please let me know and I'd be glad to send them to you.

Appointments may be made by calling 402-280-2863. We are able to accommodate Spanish-speakers by phone and at the event. Give Kids a Smile is for uninsured children with limited access to dental care. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 402-280-5008.

Thank you,

[Kelly A. Gould, RDH, MA, CHES](#)

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Emergency School Closing Information

The decision to close school due to severe weather is made prior to 6:15 a.m. if at all possible. Unless you hear an announcement over the following radio and / or television stations that schools are closed, you know school will be open. If you, as a parent, feel that severe weather conditions threaten your child's safety and schools remain open, you may wish to keep your child home. The absence of children in inclement weather will be considered the same as any absence for legitimate causes, providing proper parental notice is given to the school.

Radio:

KHUB 1340 AM
KFAB 1110 AM
KOMJ 590 AM

Television Stations:

KMTV Channel 3
WOWT Channel 6
KETV Channel 7
Time Warner Cable Channel 8
KPTM Channel 9

In addition, you may also call 727-3188, voice mailbox number 5657 to listen for current school closing information.

Valentines Day parties

Valentines Day parties will be held on **Friday, February 12**. Please remember that all treats provided for this party must be purchased, not homemade. All treats

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must come to school in sealed packaging, from a grocery store, bakery or specialty store.

Iris Estrada



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