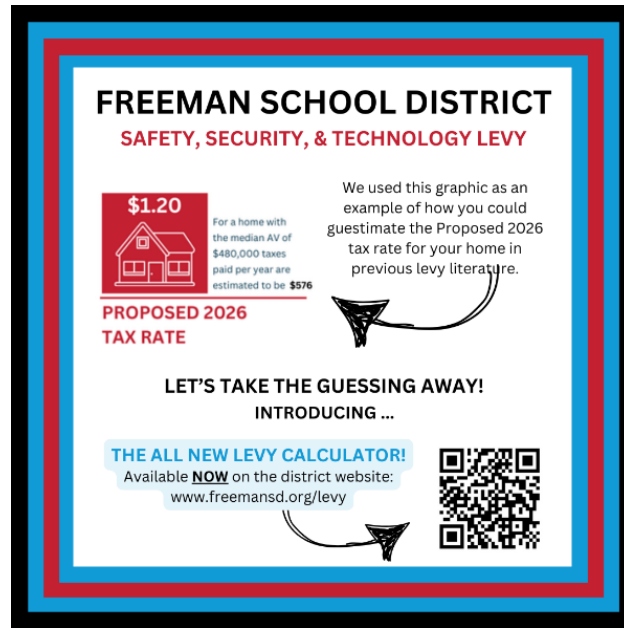


FREEMAN MIDDLE SCOOP – 2-7-25

FMS Office Hours are 7:45 am to 3:45 pm. Doors are open to students at 7:50 am.

Office phone (509)291-7301. Attendance line (509)291-7425



REMINDER - Student Absences:

Attendance Line: If a student is absent, you should call the attendance line at **509-291-7425**.

Google Classroom: The student should check their Google Classroom for assignments and any updates from teachers.

Email Teachers: It's important for the student to email their teachers for any questions or clarification regarding lessons and assignments.

Homework/Books Pickup: If you need to pick up homework, books, or materials, make sure to give at least one days' notice for the school to prepare those items for pickup.

7th Grade Students Guest Speaker- Robert Henry

Rob talked about his troubled past and how he turned it around for good by being honest with himself. He talked about how important honesty is in all areas of your life. Especially, the importance of taking responsibility for your life and not having a victim mentality. Rob discussed how being grateful makes him feel successful. His stories and examples helped to illustrate these points and he engaged with the students with lots of questions.



Encouraging Responsibility

Pre-teens need to learn how to take care of their things and follow through on tasks. Giving them chores and expecting them to complete homework on time helps build responsibility. The more they practice, the more independent they will become.

👉 **Try This:** Let your child be in charge of one household task, like doing laundry or packing their lunch. Praise them when they do it well!



Girls Basketball Parent Meeting will be Monday, February 10 @ 5:15 pm in the K-8MPR and the first day of practice will be Tuesday, February 18. Practice is held right after school, from 2:50-5:15 pm.

Boys Basketball

2-12-25 Red Team vs Centennial – 3:45pm
Blue Team @ Centennial – 3:45pm

2-13-25 Red Team @ Cheney – 3:45pm
Blue Team vs Cheney – 3:45pm

We have an Activity Bus that runs after sports M-F for the first two weeks of Middle School Sports Seasons and then M-Th the rest of the year. Bus departs at 5:25pm. Questions or more details, call the Transportation Department at 291-5555.

REMINDER: If your student is planning to stay and watch any of the MS home games/meets, they will be meeting in the MS Commons at 2:55 for a study hall. They will be released at 3:35 pm to go directly to the game. *If they stay for after school activities, the closed campus policy is still in effect. They will have school discipline if they go to the Freeman Store. Students are expected to ride the activity bus home or notify parents to be picked up once the game/competition is over.*



Heart grams will be sold February 10th thru 13th during TK – 8th grade lunch.

They will be sold during lunch! .25 cents each.

If you are purchasing one for a friend, they will be delivered to your 1st period teacher. Find out who their 1st period teacher is! This year's charity organization chosen by the FMS Leadership class, and approved by our ASB, is the Morningstar Boys Ranch. Please see the flyer below for information about the organization.



History of Morning Star

In 1957, Mrs. Antonia Hecket of Davenport, Washington, generously gifted her estate through the Spokane Diocese to establish a home for at-risk boys under eighteen. At the time, it was uncommon for a woman to make and execute estate plans, but Mrs. Hecket was an uncommon woman. Her vision led to the creation of Morning Star, which still thrives today, providing care, programs, and support for boys and girls, fulfilling Mrs. Hecket's goal of building strong futures for children in need.

Behavioral Residential Services

Morning Star's Behavioral Residential Services implements best practices in therapeutic treatment services, setting behavioral improvement goals for each youth in four areas: social skills, emotional regulation, learning, and permanency. Our youth range in age from 6 to 15 years, and services are specialized for boys and girls in the foster care system. Residential programming includes individualized safety plans, therapy sessions, medication management, access to nature and animals, and education enrichment.

		
MISSION	VISION	VALUES
<i>Through its programs and services, Morning Star provides love, professional care, guidance and hope to children, youth and families, and nurtures their social, moral, educational and emotional growth.</i>	<i>Morning Star, answering God's call to love and serve those in need, are dedicated to building responsible adults by believing in youth, and providing programs to strengthen families and the community.</i>	<i>The governing board, staff and volunteers of Morning Star embrace the values of integrity, respect and dignity, and are committed to integrating these values throughout the organization and the programs and services in which it operates</i>

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UPCOMING EVENTS:

Every Friday – Scottie Success Café @ 7:50 am to 8:12 am. (Student organization of binders, lockers etc.,)

Feb 10 – 13 – Heart grams sold during lunch – 25 cents each

Feb 12 – FMS PTSG Meeting @ 4:30 pm – FES Community Classroom

Feb 17 – NO SCHOOL – Presidents Day

Feb 26 – WSU 8th Grade Mentorship Session #4 (Specific Students) – 9:00-11:00 am

Feb 27 – FSD Board Meeting @ 6 pm – PRTC



ATHLETICS AUCTION & Dinner Fundraiser

March 15th | 5:30pm
Coeur d'Alene Casino & Resort

Join us for a fun evening featuring a social hour, silent & live auction and dinner to raise funds for officials fees, sports travel, equipment & more.

BUY TICKETS HERE
\$40/PERSON
\$450/TABLE OF 8

Purchase a table & sit with friends for RESERVED SEATING. Individual seats must be OPEN SEATING.

How to get involved...

- ✓ Purchase tickets and attend - must be purchased ahead of time
- ✓ Donate & help procure items by February 15th
- ✓ Extend the fun and stay the night with our discounted room block - use booking id# 12691 CALL 1-800-923-2454 (sold out last year)

If you have questions, email: Donna@freemansd.org or call Donna at 509-437-4877



AUCTION WISH LIST

TICKETS & PASSES
Sports & Concert Tickets, Box Seats, VIP Treatments, Theater Tickets

VACATIONS & EXCURSIONS
Condos, Timeshare, VRBO, Golf weekends, wine tastings, active adventures, airline tickets, etc.

HOSTED PARTIES
Theme parties thrown by one or more families such as progressive dinners, holiday parties, children's parties, etc.

CRAFTED ITEMS
Handmade items, woodworking, metal works, custom gifts

GIFT CARDS
Gift cards to just about anywhere - restaurants, stores, salons, spas, movie theaters, etc.

UNIQUE & RARE ITEMS
Collectibles, sports memorabilia, sports equipment, collectibles

Questions? Please email khayek@freemansd.org



SPOKANE CHIEFS SCHOOL NIGHT

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28 | 7:05 PM PUCK DROP

PRESENTED BY **Shriners Children's** Spokane

VS.

ZIPPER PULL GIVEAWAY
FIRST 2,000 KIDS 12 & UNDER

\$11 TICKETS

OFFER VALID FOR STUDENTS, FAMILIES, FRIENDS, AND FACULTY

CLICK HERE [TEXT/CALL 509-437-4877](#)

TICKET DEADLINE FEBRUARY 24. TICKETS WILL BE DELIVERED DIGITALLY.

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