

September



2019

COMMUNITY NEWS

*Serving Northern Minnesota Communities
Hill City, Jacobson, and Swatara*

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Welcome Back!
Students
Staff &
Community Members

'19-20
is going to be a **gReAt yEaR!!!!**

To the New Students and
New Staff:

Thanks for joining us!!!

KID'S CLUB



Start up Date: Monday, Sept. 16th

Held every Monday after school
3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.



Children will be bused from the school to the Hill City Assembly of God children/youth room.

All kids - preschool through 6th grade are welcome. Come join the fun! Snacks, Crafts, Games and Bible stories.

For more information contact Jess Brenholt (soon to be Johnson) 218-259-0031 or Dawn Molaison 218-301-4613.



Stop in and visit with us during National Night Out for fun, games and more information.

NATIONAL NIGHT

OUT in...

Hill City



TEEN PHOTO SCAVENGER HUNT

1st Place: \$100

2nd Place: \$50 3rd Place: \$25

CASH PRIZES

WHO: 7th-12th Graders (Team of 2-4 players)

WHEN: Sunday Night September 8th

WHERE: City Hall Flag Pole

TIME: 5:30 p.m. SHARP!

Each team MUST bring one smartphone to take photos with!

For More Info Contact Brenda Daudt at 218-256-6350

SPONSORED BY: WOODLAND BANK & HILL CITY ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

YOUTH GROUP



WHERE : Hill City Assembly of God Church

WHO : Hill City & Surrounding Area Teens
Grades 7th-12th

WHEN : Sunday Evenings

- Sept 15th & 29th
- Oct 13th & 27th
- Nov 10th & 24th
- December 8th

TIME : 6:00-7:30 p.m.

For more info contact Gary or Brenda Daudt at 218-256-6350

Vendor Event!

Treasures at Trinity

Nancy Fixmer 218 697-2648

67119 348th Place Hill City MN 55748

Trinity Lutheran Church will host a vendor's marketplace event on

Saturday, December 7th

from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m.

The church will be open for set-up on Friday evening from 5 until 7 p.m. and Saturday at 7 a.m.

Cost for each vendor is \$20.00 Vendors do not need to be present on Saturday.

Tags at least 1 inch long must be attached to each item offered for sale (no stickers)

Information on the front of each tag must include

Your Crafter Sale number, circled

Price of the item

Tags from sold items will be returned to you one hour after the close of the event, along with your proceeds-

please don't expect to converse with Nancy during that hour!

Pricing must be set in \$0.25 increments, any price not conforming to that schedule will be rounded to the next dollar.

mail registration form to Nancy Fixmer 67119 348th Place Hill City MN 55748 or phone 218 697-2648

Registration

Treasures at Trinity

Trinity Lutheran Church

113 lone Avenue Hill City MN 55748

Saturday, December 7, 2019 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone number _____

Alternate telephone number _____

Charge per vendor \$20.00

Minnesota sales tax payment is your responsibility

Vendor number _____

ATTENTION

- Fitness Passes -

Passes will be For Sale again this year!

Enclosed is a form that may be printed off and brought into the office along with your payment. Otherwise Forms are also available in the Office.

If you already have a Key Fob and just need to renew - you do not have to fill out another form but you will need to come to the Office to pay for your new year. At that time your Key will be activated for another year of Fitness Lab Fun!

If you have any questions you may contact Tami Meyer at:
tmeyer@isd002.org or 218-697-2394 Ext. 172

2019 - 2020

Hill City Fitness Center

Serving Hill City, Jacobson and Swatara
500 Lone Ave, Hill City, MN 55748
218-697-2394

Hours:

Monday – Sunday: 24 hours

In-Person Registration-Please stop by the High School Office during normal business hours and we will assist you with registration. Once all items are completed and fob is programmed, we will contact you. The time frame to pick-up your fob will be: 9:00 am-3:00 pm, Monday - Friday in the main office.

MEMBERS AGREE: To abide by all the membership rules of the facility. Because physical exercise can be strenuous and subject to risk of serious injury, the school district urges you to obtain a physical examination from a doctor before using any exercise equipment or participation in any exercise activity. You (each member or participant) agree that if you engage in any physical exercise or activity, or use any fitness center amenity on the premises or off premises at a school district sponsored event, you do so entirely at your own risk. This includes, without limitation, your use of the locker room, parking area, sidewalk area, or any equipment in the fitness facility and your participation in any activity, class, program, or instruction. You agree that you are voluntarily participating in these activities and use of these facilities and premises and assume all risks of injury, illness, damage or loss of by theft of any personal property. You expressly agree to release and discharge the school district, and all affiliates, employees, agents, representatives, successors, or assigns, from any and all claims or causes of action. This waiver and release of liability includes, without limitation, all injuries to you which may occur, regardless of negligence, as a result of (a.) your use of any exercise equipment (b.) the sudden and unforeseen malfunctioning of any equipment (c.) our instruction or supervision and (d.) your slipping and/or falling while in the fitness center, or on the school district premises, including adjacent sidewalks and parking areas. You acknowledge that you have carefully read this waiver and release and fully understand that it is a release of liability. You agree to voluntarily give up any right that you may otherwise have to bring a legal action against the school district for negligence, or any other personal injury or property damage of loss action. Disclaimer - Agreement is subject to change

Hill City FITNESS CENTER RULES & ETIQUETTE: Members are required to have a Fob access-application completed. Please see Membership Parameters.

**Cameras will monitor the center- we will notify the fob user and let them know if they have breached the contract - Fob will be deactivated.

** Physical Education and Community Education classes take precedence to community member use. Times for PE class sessions will be posted.

****Please carry in your shoes. Street shoes are NOT recommended in the fitness center.**

**Proper attire is highly recommended. This includes closed toe shoes, t-shirts, exercise shorts/pants.

**Proper attire for a school setting is required. Shirts must be worn at all times

**Gym bags and jackets belong in the cubbies along entrance doors.

**Please do not store valuables on the floor or near equipment.

**No vulgar or obscene language will be tolerated.

**Water and sports drinks must be consumed from containers with a lid. No glass containers are allowed.

**TV s must remain at a reasonable sound level.

**Please wipe down your machine after use. Cleaning agents will be provided.

**Members are required to pick-up after themselves and discard trash and remove personal items from fitness center when they are finished working out.

**There is a 30-minute time limit on all cardiovascular equipment if other members are waiting to use them.

**Please remove the weights from the machine after you are done.

**Return all equipment to its place. All barbells and dumbbells must be returned to the racks.

**Allow others to work-in or take turns on the equipment in the fitness room.

**Do not drop weights

**Ease the weights into position on the machines; do not allow them to slam down.

**No gum or tobacco allowed in the facility.

Membership Fees

Adult Single Membership - \$60.00/per year

ISD002 Student Membership (9th – 12th) - \$20.00/per year

ISD002 Student (7th – 8th) – Free with a paid Adult

Community Member Name

Address

Phone

Signature

Date



Basketball Open Gym

**Join us every
Sunday evening from
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm in
the
Hill City School Gym**

**\$1 per night or \$25 for
the year.**

September 15, 2019 – April 26, 2020

For more information please contact Tami at :
218-697-2394 ext. 172 or tmeyer@isd002.org

IMPORTANT SAFETY POLICIES AND NOTICES

The following important safety policies and notices can be viewed on the school's website at isd002.org under **Parents**. If you do not have access to the internet, please feel free to stop in to the school office to get a printed copy.

Student's Record Policy
Policy Prohibiting Harassment and Violence
Student Transportation Safety Policy
Indoor Air Quality Notice
School Year Notification for Asbestos Hazards
General Pesticide Notice



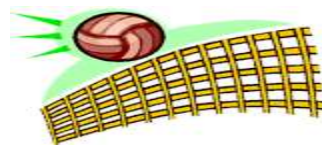
Elementary Volleyball Coach needed



I am looking for
someone to coach Elementary
Volleyball for 3rd - 5th grades.

If you are interested please
contact Tami at

tmeyer@isd002.org or 218-697-2394 ext 172



Adult Volleyball Open Gym

*Join us every
Wednesday evenings from
7:00 pm 9:00pm in the
Hill City School Gym*

\$1 per night or \$25 for the year.

September 18, 2019 - April 29, 2020

For more information please contact Tami at:
218-697-2394 ext. 172 or tmeyer@isd002.org

The Buses are ready to roll.....

On Tuesday, September 3rd, the school buses will be on the road again. As the school year approaches, let's keep SAFETY first and foremost on our minds.

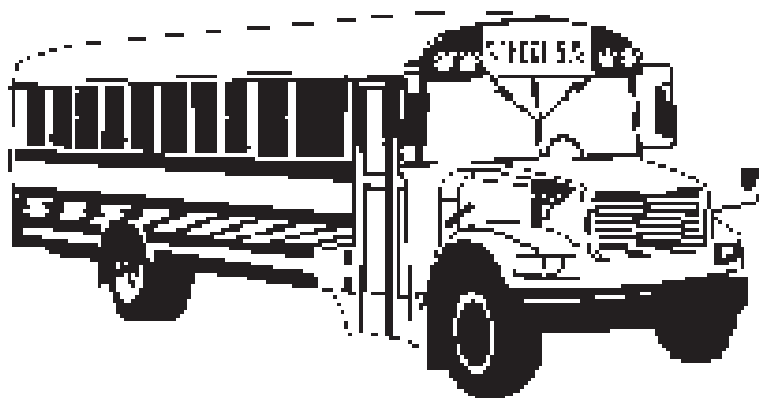
Nor-Tran, Inc. will be calling each family with bus pick up times. If you do not receive a phone call by September 4th, letting you know the pick up time for your child(ren), please call Nor-Tran, Inc. at (218) 246-3434.

It will take a few days to establish the routes again this year. We have new families in our district and also some families who have moved away. It will help if each student can be at his/her bus stop at least 10 minutes early. If any changes need to be made in your route, you will be notified. **Parents of kindergarten and PreSchool students must be present at the bus stop for their child to be picked up and dropped off.**

1. Are you new to the district and have not registered?
2. Have you moved since last spring?
3. If you are not called by Nor-Tran, Inc.?

If any of the above apply, please contact the school at 697-2394 TO MAKE SURE YOUR CHILD IS PICKED UP ON TUESDAY! If your child needs to be picked up or dropped off at a location other than your home address, please have your child bring a note to the school office and a pass will be given. For safety reasons, if your child does not have a bus pass, they will only be dropped off at their scheduled stop.

**BE AT THE BUS STOP
AT LEAST 10 MINUTES
EARLY!!!**



Community Newsletter Deadline

Just a reminder, if you would like an article put in the Community Newsletter, it must be turned in to the school office or emailed to Jessica at :

jboatman@isd002.org

by the 15th of the month to be put in the following months' newsletter.
If you have any questions please feel free to contact :

Jessica at (218) 697-2394 Ext. 101.

Reminder from the Office:

Please remember to return the following forms as soon as possible:

2019-2020 Ethnic and Racial Demographic Designation Form (NEW this year)

-Enclosed in this Newsletter-

Free/Reduced Meals Application or the on-line application on Parent Portal

These forms were included in the August Newsletter. If you need additional forms, please call the School Office at 697-2394 ext. 100.



Smile for the Camera

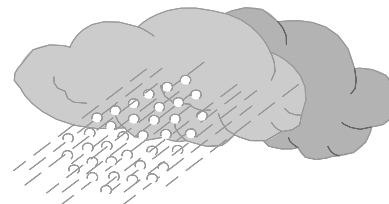
Life Touch will be at the school on Wednesday, September 25, 2019 to take individual, all school and preschool pictures.

2019-2020

Breakfast Prices

Lunch Prices

Reduced	\$0.00	Reduced	\$0.00
K	\$0.00	K	\$2.40
1-5	\$1.85	1-5	\$2.40
6-12	\$1.95	6-12	\$2.60
Adults	\$2.35	Adults	\$3.95
Extra Serving	\$1.95	Extra Serving	\$2.60
Extra Milk	\$0.55	Extra Milk	\$0.55



School Closing and Emergency Information

**Alert Phone System

KOZY	Grand Rapids	1320 AM
KMFY	Grand Rapids	96.9 FM
WTBX	Grand Rapids	93.9 FM
KAXE	Grand Rapids	91.7 FM
Radio USA	Grand Rapids	99.9 FM

SCHOOL WEBSITE

If you haven't already done so, check out the school's website at isd002.org It is full of important information about our school, such as: announcements, school board members and minutes, staff list and phone extensions, class schedules, parent portal, the community newsletter, MCA test scores, and much more!!

Sporting and extra events are located on the Activities Calendar Tab **rSchools**. This is where you will access this information. If you get it all set up, it is designed to notify you with any additions or changes on any event that you sign up to be notified of. If you have any questions on how to do this, Please feel free to call Jessica at 697-2394 ext. 101, she will be happy to help.

Log on!! **With the possibility of the many changes that can happen, it is kept as up to date as possible. Thank you for your patience.**

Sports Ticket Prices

Yearly passes for athletic events may be purchased from Jessica in the school office.



Prices for the 2018-2019 school year are as follows:

Family Pass	\$60.00
College Student Pass	\$25.00
Adult Pass (up to age 62)	\$35.00
Senior Citizen (age 62+)	\$15.00
Senior Citizen Couple	\$25.00
Veteran	\$15.00

Single Ticket Prices

Adult (up to age 62)	\$ 5.00
Senior Citizen (age 62+)	\$ 3.00
College Student	\$ 3.00
Veteran	\$ 3.00
Student	FREE

2019-20 Ethnic and Racial Demographic Designation Form

Student's First Name: _____ Middle Name/Initial: _____ Last Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ District: _____ School: _____

Schools are required to report ethnicity and race to the state and to the U.S. Department of Education. Because of recent changes to Minnesota state law, Minnesota disaggregates each category into detailed groups to further represent our student populations. Parents or guardians are not required to answer the federal questions (**in bold**) for their children. If you choose not to answer the federal questions (**in bold**), federal law requires schools to choose for you. This is a last resort—we prefer if parents or guardians complete the form. State questions are labeled as "Optional" and schools will not fill in this information for you.

This information helps improve teaching and learning for everyone and helps us accurately identify and advocate for students currently underserved. The information this form collects is considered private information. You can review the privacy notice to learn more about the purpose of collecting this information, how it will be used and not used, and how the detailed groups were identified. The privacy notice can be found in our *Frequently Asked Questions: Ethnic and Racial Designation Form*.

Is the student Hispanic/Latino as defined by the federal government? The federal definition includes persons of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.¹

[You must select "yes" or "no" to this question.]

Yes *[If yes, go to Question A.]*

No *[If no, go to Question 1.]*

Optional Question A: If yes was chosen above, select all that apply from the list below (*this question will not be answered by school staff*):

- | | | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Decline to indicate | <input type="checkbox"/> Guatemalan | <input type="checkbox"/> Salvadoran | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Hispanic/Latino |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Colombian | <input type="checkbox"/> Mexican | <input type="checkbox"/> Spaniard/Spanish/
Spanish-American | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ecuadorian | <input type="checkbox"/> Puerto Rican | | |

Go to Question 1.

[Select "yes" to at least one of the Questions (1-6) below.]

Question 1: Does the student identify as American Indian or Alaska Native as defined by the state of Minnesota? The state of Minnesota definition includes persons having origins in any of the original peoples of North America who maintain cultural identification through tribal affiliation or community recognition. [This question is needed to calculate state aid/funding.]

Yes *[If yes, go to Question 1a.]*

No *[If no, go to Question 2.]*

Optional Question 1a: If yes was chosen above, select all that apply from the list below (*this question will not be answered by school staff*):

- | | | |
|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Decline to indicate | <input type="checkbox"/> Cherokee | <input type="checkbox"/> Other North American Indian Tribal Affiliation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anishinaabe/Ojibwe | <input type="checkbox"/> Dakota/Lakota | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown |

Go to Question 2.

¹Federal Register, Vol. 72, No. 202/Friday, October 19, 2007/Notices/59274

Question 2. Is the student American Indian from South or Central America?

Yes [Go to Question 3.]

No [Go to Question 3.]

Question 3. Is the student Asian as defined by the federal government? The federal definition includes persons having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.¹

Yes [If yes, go to Question 3a.]

No [If no, go to Question 4.]

Optional Question 3a. If yes was chosen above, select all that apply from the list below (*this question will not be answered by school staff*):

Decline to indicate

Chinese

Karen

Other Asian

Asian Indian

Filipino

Korean

Unknown

Burmese

Hmong

Vietnamese

Go to Question 4.

Question 4. Is the student black or African American as defined by the federal government? The federal definition includes persons having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.¹

Yes [If yes, go to Question 4a.]

No [If no, go to Question 5.]

Optional Question 4a. If yes was chosen above, select all that apply from the list below (*this question will not be answered by school staff*):

Decline to indicate

Ethiopian-Other

Somali

African-American

Liberian

Other black

Ethiopian-Oromo

Nigerian

Unknown

Go to Question 5.

Question 5. Is the student Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander as defined by the federal government? The federal definition includes persons having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.¹

Yes [Go to Question 6.]

No [Go to Question 6.]

Question 6. Is the student white as defined by the federal government? The federal definition includes persons having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa.¹

Yes

No

Parent(s)/Guardian Name _____ Date _____

Parent(s)/Guardian Signature _____

Please Return this completed form to the office as soon as possible.

Thank you. This form will also be given out in the First Day Folders as well.

The September Menu

was unavailable at the time for the Publishing of the Newsletter.

Please watch for the Menu
to be published on our School's
Website and also
on our Facebook Page! We can also print
one off for you in the School Office.

Please remember to fill out the Lunch Application that
was sent out in the August Newsletter and will also be available in
your student's First Day Folder.

This form can also be found on our Website.

Please remember that at public schools, your application also helps
the school qualify for education funds and discounts.

**There is No Charging of meals, so please have your child bring their
money for their first day of school,**

Kindergartners have a special milk price of \$19.00 for the
entire school year. You may bring that to your
Parent Conference on September 3rd.

If you have any Questions please feel free to Call:

Shawn @ 697-2394 Ext. 112 or


Jessica @ 697-2394 Ext. 101

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ISD #2 ACTIVITIES SEPTEMBER 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
This information and more is also available on our Website : isd002.org	2	3 VB vs Ev.-Gil. HOME 7:00 pm JVFB vs ISLE AWAY 4:30 pm	4	5 VB vs C-I HOME 7:00 pm	6 FB vs OGILVIE HOME (HC) 7:00 pm	7 VB TOURNEY AWAY GREENWAY 9:30 am
8	9 JVFB vs CHERRY HOME (Remer) 4:30 pm	10 VB vs W - H - A AWAY 7:00 pm	11	12 VB vs CHISHOLM AWAY 7:00 pm JHFB vs SOUTHRIDGE HOME (Remer) 5:00 pm	13 FB vs FLOODWOOD AWAY 7:00 pm	14 VB TOURNEY HOME 9:00 am
	16 VB vs MCGREGOR AWAY 7:00 pm JVFB vs MCGREGOR HOME (HC) 5:00	17 VB vs LFBF AWAY 7:00 pm	18	19 VB vs DEER RIVER HOME 7:00 pm JHFB vs McGREGOR HOME (HC) 5:00	20 FB vs BIGFORK HOME (Remer) 7:00 pm	21
22	23	24 VB vs AITKIN AWAY 7:00 pm JHFB vs CHERRY HOME (HC) 5:00 pm	25	26	27 FB vs LAKE of the WOODS AWAY 7:00 pm VB vs NASHWAUK HOME 7:00 pm	28
29	30 VB vs NORTHLAND HOME 7:00 pm					