



Walthill Public School

August/ September 2017 Back to School Newsletter



FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT:

I hope you have enjoyed your summer with family and friends. It has been busy but fun getting the school ready for the new school year, and finishing up with our construction project. We are really excited about the opening of our new gym. The gym may be completed by the middle of August. We plan on everyone driving east down Main Street and dropping off their kids in the front entrance of our new gym. These doors will be open till 9:00 and then everyone will need to come to the back doors to enter the school building.

The new school year starts **Tuesday, August 15**. We will be dismissing the students at 1:30 followed by an open house from 2:00-4:00. Come and meet your child's teacher and the rest of our staff.

On behalf of the Walthill Public Schools Board of Education, the administration, and the staff, I would like to welcome everyone back for another educational school year. Please contact me or one of the principals if you have any questions or concerns. Mark Evetovich is our elementary principal, Marty Slaughter is our assistant principal and SIG grant project manager, and Ed Ross is our secondary principal.

Our custodial staff has worked very hard working around construction and making our school a clean and safe place for our children. I can't thank them enough for creating a welcoming atmosphere for our children every year. Please take the time to personally thank our custodians for their hard work and dedication to our school.

I would like to welcome the staff members back to another school year at Walthill Public Schools and extend a welcome to the new staff members. I would like to introduce our new staff members: Jacob Schuller-SpED teacher, Brooke Kahl-English teacher, Rob Kivivanta-Science teacher, Adrian Compose- Music, Kerri Mohnsen- Speech, Jason Frahm and Greg Meyer- custodians.

The mission statement is "We the people of Walthill Public School District are committed to generating a caring, respectful, and safe learning environment, which promotes positive self-realization and high academic success." The school purpose and direction is "inspire lifelong learners, encourage pride in self and culture, promote responsible citizenship, and adapt to changing societal needs." We can provide each and every student the opportunity to become successful in life's endeavors by following the mission statement and our school purpose and direction statement. I live by the model that "All of our decisions need to be based on what is best for the children!!"

The staff at Walthill Public Schools is excited about our students and the opportunities that we can provide for them. Thanks to all the families who continue to support our school. We can make a difference if we work together! We hope that you will visit our school and support our students in their academics and activities throughout the school year. The school website is <http://walthweb.esu1.org/> Take time to visit our website to see more of the academic and activities achievements throughout the school year.

We will have pre-registration for students on August 9-11.

Sincerely,
Ed Stansberry
Superintendent



August 9th,
10th and 11th

All Students must be registered

New Students MUST bring: Birth Certificate, Social Security Card and Immunization Records.

Nebraska State Law mandates that children entering a school **MUST** have a Health Examination **BEFORE** they can be enrolled.

Children who MUST have a Health Examination are:

- All First Year Kindergarteners
- All 7th Graders
- Out of State students



Tuesday, August 15

7:30 Breakfast starts

8:00 School Starts

9:00 Cedar Ceremony

1:30 Student Dismissal

2:00-4:00 Open House





How can I help my
child **SUCCEED** in
school?

Stay involved and feel free to contact your child's teacher with any questions or concerns.

Ask your children about school and encourage them to talk about their day.

Do not talk negatively about your child's teacher or school.

Read with your child every night.

Make sure your child is getting plenty of sleep and is ready for school each day.

Help your child with his/her homework every night.

Teach your children to be responsible for their actions and their schoolwork.

**WALTHILL PUBLIC SCHOOL
2017-2018 CLASS ROOM SUPPLY LIST
NEED FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL**

KINDERGARTEN

1-BACK PACK (PLEASE LABEL INSIDE)
1-PAIR OF KID SCISSORS
2-BIG PINK PENCIL ERASERS
2-LARGE BX OF KLEENEX
24-ELEMER'S GLUE STICKS
1-BOX CRAYOLA MARKERS
2-(24 COUNT) CRAYOLA CRAYONS
2-BOX OF NUMBER 2 PENCILS
1-BOX OF CRAYOLA COLORED PENCILS
**PLEASE GET SUGGESTED BRANDS
STUDENTS **WILL NOT NEED CRAYON BOXES

SECOND GRADE

*NO TRAPPER KEEPERS
1-BX OF 24 CRAYONS
2-LARGE ERASERS
1-PENCIL BOX
12-#2 PENCILS
1-BOX COLORED PENCILS
1-PAIR POINTED SCISSORS
4-GLUE STICKS
1-BACK BACK
2- DRY ERASE MARKERS (NO BLACK OR RED)
1-BX OF KLEENEX
1-PAIR OF EAR BUDS

FOURTH GRADE

2-PACKS #2 PENCILS
LOOSE LEAF PAPER
(NEED PENCIL'S AND PAPER ALL YEAR)
4-SPIRAL NOTEBOOKS
RED PENCILS OR PENS FOR CORRECTING
ERASER'S
CRAYONS
MARKERS
COLORED PENCILS
LOW ODOR CHISEL POINT DRY ERASE
HIGHLIGHTERS (NO YELLOW)
4-BIG BOXES KLEENEX
PENCIL BOX
1-STANDARD/METRIC RULER
1-PR SCISSORS
3-POCKET FOLDERS
1-BACK PACK
GLUE STICKS

30-#2 PENCILS (NO MECHANICAL ONES)
BLACK OR BLUE INK PENS
BIG ERASERS AND PENCIL CAP ERASERS
6-2 POCKET FOLDERS
4-DRY ERASE MARKERS & ERASER
COLORED PENCILS AND CRAYONS WITH SHARPERERS

FIRST GRADE

1-BACK PACK (PLEASE LABEL INSIDE)
3-BOXES OF CRAYOLA CRAYONS
4-ERASERS (NO CAP ERASERS)
10- GLUE STICKS
2-BOTTLES OF LIQUID GLUE
4-DRY ERASE MARKERS
3-BOXES CRAYOLA WIDE TIP MARKERS
1-SCHOOL BOX
1-PAIR OF SCISSORS
2-LARGE BX OF KLEENEX
1-BOX OF COLORED PENCILS

THIRD GRADE

3- FOLDERS
2-BOXES OF 24 CRAYONS
1-BOX COLORED PENCILS
2-LARGE ERASERS
2-PACKS PENCIL ERASERS
2-PENCIL BOX
24-#2 LEAD PENCILS
1-PAIR OF EAR BUDS
2-SPIRAL NOTEBOOKS (WIDE RULE)
1-PACK THIN MARKERS
1-PACK THICK MARKERS
3-PACKS DRY ERASE MARKERS
1-PAIR SCISSORS
6-GLUE STICKS
3-BOXES KLEENEX

FIFTH GRADE

20-#2 PENCILS
3-INK PENS
COLORED PENCILS
2-3 MEDIUM PENCIL ERASERS
1-PACK OF MARKERS
4-DRY ERASE MARKERS (LOW ODOR)
ERASERS FOR DRY ERASE MARKERS
1-PK OF LOOSE LEAF PAPER
2-BIG BXES KLEENEX
1-PENCIL BOX
1-PAIR OF COMPUTER EARBUDS
1-3 RING BINDER (2 INCH)
2-2 POCKET FOLDERS
NEED PENCILS AND PAPER ALL YEAR

SIXTH GRADE

1-PENCIL BOX
1 PAIR EARBUDS
8-SPIRAL NOTEBOOKS
1-3 RING BINDERS (2 INCH)

Supplies will need to be replenished throughout the year as needed



Walthill Public School requests your help in locating children who may be in need of early intervention services or supports. Child Find is a component of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) that requires states to identify, locate, and evaluate all children with disabilities, aged birth to 21, who are in need of early intervention or special education services. Please use the following developmental milestones as a guideline for assessing your child's development. If you are concerned about your child's development, or that of another child in the community, please contact Shannon Burgett at Walthill School at 402-846-5432, Ext. 120.

DEVELOPMENTAL MILESTONES

BIRTH TO 4 MONTHS

- Vary cries to tell you what he/she needs
- Coo back and forth in conversation with you
- Roll from side to back
- Hold and swipe at objects
- Smile and laugh when you play
- Know and prefer your voice

4-8 MONTHS

- Touch you and her toys to signal for more
- Recognize names of familiar people, daily routines
- Roll over in both directions
- Pick up toys of all sizes
- Move objects from hand to hand
- Explore toys
- Turn and look toward sounds
- Sit without support

8-12 MONTHS

- Combine many different sounds
- Move forward to explore the environment
- Stand with support
- Place toys in containers and take them out again
- Cry and fuss when separating from you

12-18 MONTHS

- Use a few words to tell you what she wants
- Make simple choices
- Walk independently
- Learn how to make simple things work
- Place pegs or forms into boards or shape boxes
- Express many types of emotion with more intensity

18-24 MONTHS

- Say two-word phrases
- Climb on the furniture
- Throw a ball
- Pretend with dolls and household items
- Complete simple puzzles and fit toys together
- Play side by side with other children

2 YEARS

- Combine three to four words in phrases
- Ask questions
- Balance on one foot and learn to jump
- Climb up and down stairs
- Fit together objects of different sizes and shapes
- Learn about quantities
- Act out daily experiences
- Play with other children of the same age

3 YEARS

- Learn many ideas and use new words in short sentences
- Ask many questions and tell stories
- Become more coordinated for running, climbing and riding a tricycle
- Learn about gender and family differences
- Match colors and shapes
- Learn to play with other children
- Learn to solve problems

4 YEARS

- Use words to respond to others
- Use longer sentences in conversations
- Improve drawing, building and cutting skills
- Discover about sizes, volumes, shapes and colors
- Learn to count
- Participate in dramatic play
- Play cooperatively with other children
- Recognize some numbers and letters

5 YEARS

- Run, jump, hop, skip and climb with ease
- Follow three-step directions
- Recognize her printed name
- Ask and answer who, what, when, where questions
- Enjoy games and follow simple rules
- Understand right and wrong
- Draw with detail
- Show independence through strong emotion



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8 H.S Football Practice begins	9 Student Registration ALL Students must register	10 Student Registration ALL Students must register	11 Student Registration ALL Students must register	12
13	14 Staff In-Service H.S Volleyball Practice Begins	15 First Day of School 1:30 Dismissal 2pm-4pm Open House	16	17	18 NO SCHOOL Staff In-Service	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 VFB @ Red Cloud 3:00	2
3	4 NO SCHOOL Labor Day	5	6	7 VVB Home 6pm vs Winnebago	8 VFB Home 3pm vs Spalding Academy	9
10	11 JHVB @ Bancroft 4pm	12	13	14 VVB @ Santee Triangular 5pm JHVB @ Bancroft 4pm Tourney	15 VFB @ Santee 3pm VVB @ Santee 5pm	16 VVB Bago Tourney 10am
17	18 NO SCHOOL Staff In Service Homecoming Week	19 JHVB Home 3pm vs Santee	20	21 JHFB Home 3:30 vs Omaha Nation VVB @ Santee Triangular 5pm JHVB Home 2:30 vs Omaha Nation	22 VFB Home 3pm vs Hampton Homecoming	23
24	25 VVB Home 6pm vs. Whiting	26 VVB @ Bago Triangular 5pm JHVB @ Bago 3pm	27 JHFB @ Santee 4pm JHVB @ Santee 3pm	28 VVB Home 6pm vs Allen	29 VFB Home 2pm vs St. Edward	30



Fall Athletic Schedules 2017-2018



Football

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Time</u>
Sept. 1	Red Cloud	Away	3:00
Sept. 8	Spalding Academy	Home	3:00
Sept. 15	Santee	Away	3:00
Sept. 22	Hampton	Home	3:00
Sept. 29	St. Edward	Home	2:00
Oct. 6	Heartland Lutheran	Away	3:00
Oct. 13	Riverside	Away	2:30
Oct. 20	Elba	Home	3:00

Junior High Football

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Time</u>
Sept. 21	Omaha Nation	Home	3:30
Sept. 27	Santee	Away	4:00
Oct. 3	Winnebago	Home	4:00
Oct. 16	Winside	Away	4:00

Volleyball

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Time</u>
Sept. 7	Winnebago	Home	6:00
Sept. 14	O-N/Santee	Santee	5:00
Sept. 15	Santee	Santee	5:00
Sept. 16	Winnebago Tournament	Winnebago	10:00am
Sept. 21	Santee/Winside	Santee	5:00
Sept. 25	Whiting	Home	6:00
Sept. 26	Winnebago/O-N	Winnebago	5:00
Sept. 28	Allen	Home	6:00
Oct. 3	E-H/Wynot	Wynot	5:00
Oct. 12	Ponca/Hartington	Home	5:30
Oct. 19	Omaha Nation	Away	6:00
Oct. 21, 23-	Lewis & Clark Tournament	TBD	TBD
Oct. 30-Oct. 31	Sub-Districts	TBD	TBD
Nov. 2	District Final	TBD	TBD
Nov. 9-11	State Tournament	TBD	TBD

Junior High Volleyball

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Time</u>
Sept. 11	Bancroft-Rosalie	Away	4:00
Sept. 14	B-R Tourn.	Bancroft	4:00
Sept. 19	Santee	Home	3:00
Sept. 21	Omaha Nation	Home	2:30
Sept. 26	Winnebago	Away	3:00
Sept. 27	Santee	Away	3:00
Oct. 10	Pender	Home	4:00
Oct. 16	Winside	Away	3:00
Oct. 17	Emerson-Hubbard	Home	3:00

