



Spencer Borden Elementary School

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THANK YOU to all families that attended Open House this year. We had a great turnout!!

International Walk to School Day will take place on Wednesday, October 4th. We will be meeting at the old Highland School on Stanley Street (near the fire station) at 8:00 a.m. Parents can either drop their child off or they are welcome to walk with us.

PTO Meeting – Our first PTO meeting will take place on Wednesday, October 11th at 5:30 in the community room. During PTO meetings we plan school wide events and fundraisers. Please consider attending as we are starting to plan a Halloween event, Fall Book Fair / Reading & Math Night, and the December Holiday parade. We need volunteers in order to continue to run school wide events!

Updated FRPS 2017-2018 Calendar – The FRPS calendar has been updated with all half days throughout the year. The calendar is coming home today on gold paper and is also listed on the school website www.fallriverschools.org. **The first early dismissal day is Thursday, October 5th at 12:30. Lunch will be served on this day and it is a FREE DRESS DOWN DAY.** Please start planning ahead for that day.

ATTENDANCE POLICY- Being in school is a top priority for the FRPS and Spencer Borden School. Yesterday we had 97% attendance.....let's keep up the good work! As part of the new attendance policy families may receive letters from the school updating them on their child's attendance, and once a child is absent five times unexcused we will be reaching out to families to set up meetings to discuss ways to support you and your child to be present in school. For more information on the attendance policy please visit:
http://www.fallriverschools.org/2017_Attendance_Policy%20Final.pdf

Information Updates - Make sure to look for the Tuesday notice every week with important information. You can also look at the FRPS Spencer Borden web page at www.fallriverschools.org/spencer.cfm for important information. New this year.....Spencer Borden is on Twitter! Follow us @frps._sb for updates with important information.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact us.

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