Every week at Springwater, I get a better understanding of the history of the school and what makes this place special. This week, we had a flooring installer here this week and he echoed the perception of so many people coming to do work out here, "This is a really cool school, the kids get to spend so much time outside, I wish my kid could go to a school like this."

Springwater is a great place to be and, as with all schools, there is still work to be done. This week we are going to focus on Caring for Others. We watched this fun music <u>video</u> at Morning Meeting this week related to caring for others. We then talked about the fact that while it doesn't require much effort to care for friends, it can be much more challenging to show care for people we may not get along with. Being in a school with the same people for several years can lead to both friendships and frustrations. When we are frustrated with, or tired of another person how do we dig deep and still see them as a person and treat them with care? If would be great if you could spend time as a family sharing your values with your kids related to this important idea.

We had our first enrichment classes this week following Friday Field study. Check in with your child to learn more about what they did. Finally, if your child will not be able to participate in Friday Field Study, please keep them home for the morning, with everyone in the field, we do not have additional staff available to supervise students in the building.

# Do the math--I have a math puzzle for you this week:

Our school address is 16491 S. Springwater Road.

Use addition and the numbers of our address. (You can use as many or as few numbers as you like but you can only use the numbers once, you can use "1" twice because there are two of them.)

How many prime numbers can you make? How many non prime numbers can you make?

Last week's solution Flipped out

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# Eat yogurt at Menchies and support Springwater--Oct. 2rd 5-8 pm

Springwater gets 20% of the sales when we mention Springwater during purchase.

# INSPIRE! An Evening with Kevin Brooks--Oct. 2nd @ 6 pm

Kevin's powerful story has impacted, motivated and inspired countless people, ultimately changing attitudes and saving lives. He is a leading youth speaker on making wise decisions, managing peer pressure and overcoming obstacles. Learn more and register online for this impactful event. <a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/inspire-an-evening-with-kevin-">https://www.eventbrite.com/e/inspire-an-evening-with-kevin-</a>

# 3rd/4th Grade Field Trip to Indian Springs Trout Farm--Oct 2nd

The 3rd and 4th graders will travel to Indian Springs Trout Farm on Oct 2. The bus will leave at 10:00am and return at 12:30pm.

# Parenting classes this fall--begin in October

There are some great parenting classes being offered this fall to a range of age groups. I have attached fliers.

#### Fall Festival and BINGO

Save the Date for our Fall Festival and BINGO night- October 11th Time: 4:00-7:00 Join our Springwater community for an evening of BINGO and Carnival games. You can preorder tickets, pizza and more at our new online store.

 Bingo will be free, individual game tickets will be \$.25 or you can buy a bracelet for access to all activities.

If you prefer, you can print out the <u>paper form</u> and return it with your payment to the office by Tuesday October 8th, you will also be able to purchase tickets and food at the event.

### **Meal Support for Hohman family**

If you are able to provide a <u>meal</u> to support the Hohman family there are still some dates available. Thank you for your amazing support.

## **Upcoming Events**

Oct 2 - 3rd & 4th grade Field Trip (Jen & Hannah's classes)

Oct 2 - Dine out at Menchies 5-8pm

Oct 2 - INSPIRE! An Evening with Kevin Brooks at 6pm

Oct 4 - No School

Oct 7 - Teacher Workday (No School)

Oct 11 - Fall Festival and BINGO

Oct 16 - Board Meeting at 6pm

Oct 18 - No School

Oct 29 & 30 - Evening Conferences

Oct 31 - Day/Evening Conferences (No School)

#### **Lost and Found**

The lost and found is getting a little crazy. Check out the photos below and see if you recognize anything.



