



**Savage Public School**  
 Elementary District No. 7 & HS District No. 2  
 368 Mesa Street, Savage, MT 59262  
 (406) 776-2317 Fax: (406) 776-2260  
[www.savagepublicschool.com](http://www.savagepublicschool.com)



Martha R. Potter, Superintendent  
 Michelle Miller, Business Manager  
 Diana Miller, Payroll

Angie Nelson, Principal  
 Wade Hagler, Administrative Assistant



**Spring Sports:**

- Spring sports are here! Please see our webpage and Facebook page for the schedules of events.
  - Note: Due to the weather schedules may change.
  - Notifications of changes will be posted as soon as possible.
  - Track and Golf Schedules are on the calendar, weather pending.

**Reminders:**

- School Election:
  - Date: May 7, 2023
  - Location: Board Room at Savage Public School (Use Office Entry)
  - Time: 12:00-8:00 PM
  - Elections: Elementary Mill Levy and Trustees
    - Two (3) year positions for trustees: Vote for two persons.
      - Candidates: Shawn Conradsen and Chandi Tombre
  - Absentee Ballots have been sent and requests can be made until May 6, 2023 by 12:00 PM.
  - This election will have two options as usual, which are absentee ballots and in person voting.
  - Note: School Election 2025, we will be looking at the cost effectiveness of running an election through mail ballot only. Please, if you have an opinion for next year's election come in and visit with Michelle Miller, our clerk or come visit with Martha Potter, Superintendent. We would love to gather anecdotal input.

- March 28 Parent Teacher Conferences @ 4:00-7:00 PM (.5 PIR Day for Teachers)
- April 1 No School
- April 5 Grade 4-12 School
- April 10 Junior High Academic Olympics
- April 11 High School Festival Concert @ 7:00 PM
- April 12-13 District Music Festival
- May 3 Grades 4-12 School
- May 3-4 State Music Festival (Billings)
- May 6 High School Divisional Golf (Sidney)
- May 7 High School District Track (Lambert)
- May 9 Spring Extravaganza
- May 10 Junior High District Track (Fairview)
- May 13-15 State Golf @ Hamilton
- May 14 Seniors Last Day (ER for Seniors at 12:00 PM)
- May 16 High School Divisional Track Meet
- May 18 High School Graduation @ 1:00 PM
- May 23 Last Day of School for K-11 Students
  - Quarter 4 Ends
  - Early Release @ 12:00 PM
- May 24 PIR Day for Teachers (Records Day)
  - Teachers Grades Due to Office
- May 23-25 High School State Track Meet @ Great Falls

**Shout Outs:**

- Once again, we witnessed a fabulous musical performance at our school! The stars of this musical were every single student that performed, and are as follows: Emma McPherson, Kai Dabill, Matilda Verhasselt, Brandon Vonderheide, Blaiz Dishon, Zach Vojacek, Finley Verhasselt, Trael Smith, Sara Bergstedt, Summer Lange, Tayleigh Olmstead, Adrian Smelser, Zaelee Kortes, Eva Hindes, Kinlee Peters, Knox Bender, Addisyn Castro, Gunner Riding, Madycen Sanders, and Eeden Hindes. Kudos to our directors, Jill Verhasselt and Nate Louisignau. Madycen Sanders was the awesome assistant stage manager. A great big thank you to Belle Schow who was our set designer and makeup crew. It will be exciting to see what next year's performance will be!

**Informational Inserts:**

- Activities Calendar with the April/May Menus
- Classroom and Department News

Have a great spring and summer!  
 2024-2025 Supply List will be coming in your student's end of year report card.

Shawn Conradsen, Chair  
 Charles (Chuck) Thiel, Vice Chair  
 Linda Nelson, Trustee

Connie Smith, Trustee  
 Wayne Quinell, Trustee

Hello from Second Grade!

Second grade has been very busy this year. In math we are currently studying geometry including area and three-dimensional shapes. In April we will begin studying fractions and multi-digit computation. We just finished a writing unit on opinion writing where students practiced writing their opinions on a variety of topics. These students are great writers! In March during grammar we studied commas in letter writing. The students learned about writing letters and addressing envelopes. We took a field trip to the Savage Post Office where students were able to locate their post office boxes and learn how the mail gets from the post office to their mailbox. In our technology lessons students are working on Google Slide presentations. Students are learning how to create slide shows by adding layering, different texts and slide transitions. The students are always excited to use technology and learn new skills. In science we just finished a unit on animal biodiversity. Students did a STEM project where they had to create a bird feeder for a specific kind of bird and address the challenge of keeping birds safe from cats while eating at their feeder. The students did an excellent job and had a lot of fun being creative. In April we will begin learning about plants adaptations and how plants grow. We will be traveling to Sidney in April to participate in Ag in the Classroom where we will learn about livestock, growing crops and farm safety. The students have been busy reading and working towards making the AR Hall of Fame. In reading we will be starting a unit titled Pioneering New Ideas and New Worlds. We will be reading about how pioneers traveled west in search of new lands and opportunities. We will be taking a field trip to the Mondak Heritage Center in Sidney to learn about pioneers in our area. We are going to have a fantastic 4th quarter with all the exciting things happening in our classroom!

Mrs. Peters

**What is happening in social studies?**

**6 th Grade:** They have looked at pharaohs and pyramids. They will be making necklaces out of paper.

**7 th Grade:** They researched all the National Parks and planned trips to the National Parks.

**8 th Grade:** They are traveling from A to Z through the Montana towns. Yes, they are working with a fold-

up map and using string to calculate their mileage.

**9 th Grade:** They are studying Medieval Christian Europe (330-1450) They get to do a lot of reading and

note-taking (they are blessed).

**11 th Grade & 12 th Grade:** They have been working together researching and debating. They debated in

front of the student body 5-10. This was a great experience for them as well as their audience.

**Weights:**

This group keeps getting bigger and faster.

Did you know? Weights are offered in the morning for students 5-12 at 7 AM Monday-Thursday. There

is a great group of kids coming regularly.

Students have been pushing themselves to accomplish goals and earn a t-shirt.

## 2023-2024 Weight Lifting Headlines

### T-Shirt Accomplishments

#### Girls Parallel Squat 150-170 Lift 3 times Gray Shirt

1. Miley Pilgeram
2. Aspen Peterson
3. KD Lyons
4. Cambry Conradsen
5. Summer Lange
6. Mylee Reuter
7. Emma McPherson
8. Finley Verhasselt

#### Girls Parallel Squat 180-200 Lift 3 times Black Shirt

1. Miley Pilgeram
2. Aspen Peterson
3. Cambry Conradsen

#### Girls Parallel Squat 210-230 Lift 3 times White Shirt

1. Miley Pilgeram
2. Brooke Reuter

#### Boys Parallel Squat 200-250 x3

1. Hunter Sanders
2. Sayer Erickson
3. Connor Lyons
4. Braxton Shaw
5. Zane Pilgeram
6. Boden Jorgensen

#### Boys Parallel Squat 260-350 x3

1. Connor Lyons

#### Boys Bench 180-240

1. Connor Lyons

#### Boys Dead Lift 250-270 x3

1. Hunter Sanders
2. Sayer Erickson

## Office Happenings

Hello from the office. Just a few things that I would like to share with you. Our new pick up and drop off procedure is working very well. After the bugs were worked out, this process has been going smoothly. I would personally like to thank all of you for making this work as well as it does.

As always, please make sure all of your students' accounts are paid. Remember they will not be able to check out of school if these are not taken care of.

As the school year once again draws near we are excited about summer vacations and not having to go to school. For our Seniors, it will be bittersweet for them and for us here in the office. As with every year, we are excited for our Senior class and their new firsts they are going to be having. We will also miss them tremendously as they have been with us for so long. With that being said, we here in the office would like to wish the Senior class the best of luck in the future.

**Activities and Meal Menu: (Meals may change pending deliveries!)**

## April 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 NO SCHOOL	2	3	4 Pre-ACT	5 SCHOOL 4-12	6 JH Track @ Sidney (7-8)
		B:Cereal L:Pulled Pork	B:Pancakes L:Tator tot Hotdish	B:BF Sandwich L:Chicken Nuggets	B:Cinnamon Roll L:Goulash	
7	8 5-6 Track Starts	9 2C Pepsi Classic (Lambert) Golf @ Miles City	10 Jr. High Academic Olympics	11 HS Festival Concert 7pm	12 District Music Festival	13 District Music Festival JH Track @ Glasgow (7-8) Spelling Bee HS Track @ Baker Meet
	B:BF Pizza L:Corn Dogs	B:Cereal L:Chicken Alfredo	B:Scrambled eggs L:Wraps	B:Maple Bars L:Beefaroni		
14	15 School Board Meeting	16 Golf @ Forsyth	17	18 HS Track @ Savage Meet in Sidney	19 High School Prom	20 JR High Prom JH Track @ Wolf Point (7-8)
	B:Bagels L:Chicken LoMein	B:Cereal L:Pork Roast	B:Western Omelet L:Chicken Tacos	B:Coffee Cake L:Slushburgers		
21	22 Golf @ R&L Meet (Sidney)	23 Golf @ Fairview Meet (Sidney)	24	25 Track @ Lambert	26 JH Track @ Fairview (5-8) HS Track @ Glendive	27
	B:Pancake Muffins L:Turkey Hot Dish	B:Cereal L:Stroganoff	B:BF Casserole L:Indian Tacos	B:Carmel Rolls L:Club Sandwich		
28	29 JR. SR. Banquet	30 Top 10 Track Meet (Glasgow)				
	B:BF Sandwich L:Sweet & Sour Chicken	B:Cereal L:Turkey Gravy				

## May 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2 HS Track @ Fairview	3 SCHOOL 4-12 Golf @ Plentywood State Music Festival JH Track @ Lambert (5-8)	4 Golf @ F/L Meet (Plentywood) State Music Festival JH Track @ Glendive (7-8)
			B:BF Bars L:Pizza	B:French Toast L:Ch. Alfredo Lasagna	B:Maple Bars L:Hot Ham n Cheese	
5	6 Awards Night Divisional Golf (Sidney)	7 District Track (Lambert)	8	9 Spring Extravaganza	10 JH District Track (Fairview)	11
	B:Scrambled Eggs L:Spaghetti Weiner	B:Cereal L:Slushburgers	B:BF Sandwich L:Tuna or Egg salad	B:Coffee Cake L:Chicken Enchiladas		
12	13 State Golf (Hamilton)	14 State Golf (Hamilton) Last Day for Seniors	15 State Golf (Hamilton)	16 Divisional Track (Wolf Point)	17	18 GRADUATION 1:00 PM
	B:Cooks Choice L:Cooks Choice	B:Cooks Choice L:Cooks Choice	B:Cooks Choice L:Cooks Choice	B:Cooks Choice L:Cooks Choice		
19	20 School Board Meeting	21	22	23 Last Day of School 12:00 pm Release State Track (Great Falls)	24 PIR Day State Track (Great Falls)	25 State Track (Great Falls)
	B:Cooks Choice L:Cooks Choice	B:Cooks Choice L:Cooks Choice	B:Cooks Choice L:Cooks Choice	B:Cooks Choice L:Cooks Choice		
26	27	28	29	30	31	