



ALMOND-BANCROFT SCHOOL DISTRICT NEWSLETTER
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November 2018

Dates To Remember

- 11/9-Veterans Day Ceremony, 9:00 a.m., West Gym
- 11/13-Parent Teacher Conferences, 4:00-7:30 p.m.
- 11/14-Board Of Education Meeting, 6:30 p.m., Board Room
- 11/15-Parent Teacher Conferences, 4:00-7:30 p.m.
- 11/21-23-No School, Thanksgiving Break



**CAUGHT
IN THE ACT**
By Pat Cook

Saturday, Nov. 10th at 7:00 pm and
Sunday, Nov. 11th at 2:00 pm
 at the Almond-Bancroft Auditorium, 1336 Elm St.
Tickets Sold at the Door!
 Adults \$5 Students/Seniors \$3

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Reading Nook

How to Read Nonfiction Text

By: Reading Rockets



Kids love to read about real people, places, and events. Nonfiction books present real information in engaging and interesting ways. However, most kids read a lot more fiction than nonfiction, so spend some extra time helping your reader learn how to navigate a nonfiction book.

Talk about nonfiction: Begin by explaining that the book you're about to share is nonfiction. That means that the book will give us information that is true. The book will be organized around a specific topic or idea, and we may learn new facts through reading. Some kids even enjoy sorting their home libraries into fiction and nonfiction books. This simple categorization task helps your child understand the difference between fiction and nonfiction.

Look at the parts: Most good nonfiction books will have helpful features that are not a part of most fiction books. These parts include a table of contents, an index, a glossary, photographs and charts with captions, and a list of sources. Share the purpose of the features with your reader.

Be the reading boss: Nonfiction books do not have to be read from cover to cover. Readers can use the table of contents and index to jump right to the information they are most interested in. In that way, they are the "reading boss" of that book! However, if your reader wants to read from cover to cover, encourage him to use the table of contents to understand how the book is organized. "First we will learn about the different types of frogs. Then we'll learn where they can live, what they eat, and how they survive." Passages from the book can be reread as often as necessary until your child understands what is written. You can refer to pictures, charts and tables over and over again as well.

As natural learners, young readers are drawn to books that give information about something or explain something they've always wondered about. With a little help and guidance about reading nonfiction, you can feel good about introducing your child to a new world of information.

Happy Reading!
Mrs. Negro

From the School Nurse



Kid Friendly Health Tips While At School

Hand Washing. Frequent hand-washing is one of the simplest — and most effective — ways to stay healthy in school. Remind your child to wash his or her hands before eating and after using the toilet, blowing his or her nose, or playing outside. Suggest soaping up for as long as it takes to sing the "Happy Birthday" song twice.

Hand Sanitizer. Give your child alcohol-based hand sanitizer to keep in his or her desk. Remind your child to use the sanitizer before eating snacks or lunch and after using a shared computer mouse, pencil sharpener, water fountain or other community objects. You might also donate disinfecting wipes to the classroom for general use.

Cover your mouth and nose when you cough or sneeze. Give your child a package of tissues to keep in his or her desk. Encourage your child to cough or sneeze into a tissue — then put the tissue in the trash, and wash his or her hands or use hand sanitizer. If it isn't possible to reach a tissue in time, remind your child to cough or sneeze into the crook of his or her elbow.

Keep your hands away from your eyes and out of your mouth and nose. Remind your child that hands are often covered in germs.

Don't share water bottles, food or other personal items. Offer your child this simple rule — if you put the item in your mouth, keep it to yourself.

Keep sick children home from school. Children who have any of the following symptoms: a temperature 100 degrees or higher, continuous coughing, diarrhea and or vomiting; need to stay home for 24 hours after symptoms have subsided. If symptoms don't improve see your doctor.

Of course, it's also important for your child to eat a healthy diet, get plenty of sleep, and stay current on his or her vaccinations — including a yearly flu vaccine. To prevent spreading illness at home, use the same tips for the entire family.



If you have any questions or concerns regarding your students health please contact me, AJ Taylor, RN, BSN, at:

ataylor@abschools.k12.wi.us or 715-345-5767



S.O.S. Christmas Box Application**
For families living in Almond, Bancroft, Hancock and Plainfield
Aplicación para Caja de la Navidad**
Para las familias que viven Almond, Bancroft, Hancock y Plainfield

Names of Head of Family
Nombres de Jefes de la Familia _____

Mailing Address
de correo _____

Phone Number
Numero de Teléfono _____

Number of children (ages 0-14) _____ Number of adults (ages 15 and up) _____ living in your house.
Numero de niños (edad 0-14) _____ Numero de adultos (edad 15 y mas) _____ viviendo en su casa.

Names, Ages, Sex and Clothing Sizes of Children 0 through 14 years old
Nombres, Edades, Sexo y Tallas de Ropa de Sus Niños de 0-14 anos

<u>Children's Names</u> Nombres del niño	<u>Age</u> Edad	<u>Sex</u> Sexo	<u>Size</u> Talla	<u>Gift Ideas (please be specific)</u> Ideas para regalo (favor de ser especifico) (Children 0-14 years only! Niños 0-14 anos!)
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2. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
6. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
7. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
8. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
9. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
10. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____

lease fill out only *one* application per family! This application *must be completed and returned as soon as sible, but no later than **November 12, 2018.*** If you will not be living in this area on December 5, 2018, the ribution day, please *do not* fill out an application!! **Return to S.O.S. PO Box 161, Plainfield, WI 54966**

avor de llenar solamente *una* aplicación para cada familia! Esta aplicación *se tiene que llenar y devolver lo mas nto posible o no mas tardar del 12 de `noviembre de` 2018.* Si Ustedes no van a estar viviendo aquí para la fecha 5 de diciembre de `2018 cuando reparten las cajas, favor de no llenar una aplicación. **Volver al S.O.S. PO Box Plainfield, WI 54966**



- 11/1-MS Boys Basketball Home vs. Pittsville, 5:00 p.m.
- 11/5-MS Boys Basketball @ St. Peter 5:00 p.m.
- 11/6-MS Boys Basketball @ Port Edwards, 5:30 p.m.
- 11/10-HS Girls Basketball Scrimmage @ Iola -Scandinavia, 10:00 a.m.
- 11/12-MS Boys Basketball Home vs. Wild Rose, 5:00 p.m.
- 11/13-MS Boys Basketball Home vs. Port Edwards, 5:00 p.m.
- 11/15-MS Boys Basketball @ Rosholt, 5:00 p.m.
-HS Girls Basketball Home vs. Montello, 6:00 p.m.-JV, 7:30 p.m.-Varsity
- 11/19-MS Boys Basketball Home vs. Tri-County, 5:00 p.m.
- 11/20-HS Girls Basketball @ Marion, 6:00 p.m.-JV, 7:30 p.m.-Varsity
-Hockey Co-op @ Pacelli Ice Hawk Arena, 7:00 p.m.
- 11/26-MS Boys Basketball @ Pittsville, 5:00 p.m.
-HS Boys Basketball @ Manawa, 6:00 p.m.-JV, 7:30 p.m.-Varsity
- 11/27-HS Girls Basketball Home vs. WI Valley Lutheran 6:00 p.m.-JV, 7:30 p.m.-Varsity
-HS Wrestling Scrimmage @ Westfield, 4:30 p.m.
-Hockey Co-op @ Pacelli Ice Hawk Arena, 6:00 p.m.
- 11/29-MS Boys Basketball Home vs. Pacelli, 5:00 p.m.
- 11/30-HS Girls Basketball @ Tigerton, 6:00 p.m.-JV, 7:30 p.m.-Varsity

7th Grade Volleyball



L to R: Lillian Pratt, Messina Meddaugh, Lexie Dernbach, Cecelia Rykal

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Almond-Bancroft School District Vision Statement

We are a collaborative community focused on continued growth in opportunities, choices, and expectations for all students. We prepare self-motivated and responsible students to become well-rounded and successful citizens.

Almond-Bancroft School District Mission Statement

The Almond-Bancroft School District, with support of families and community members, will provide a safe and supportive learning environment, which challenges and prepares each student for success today and tomorrow.

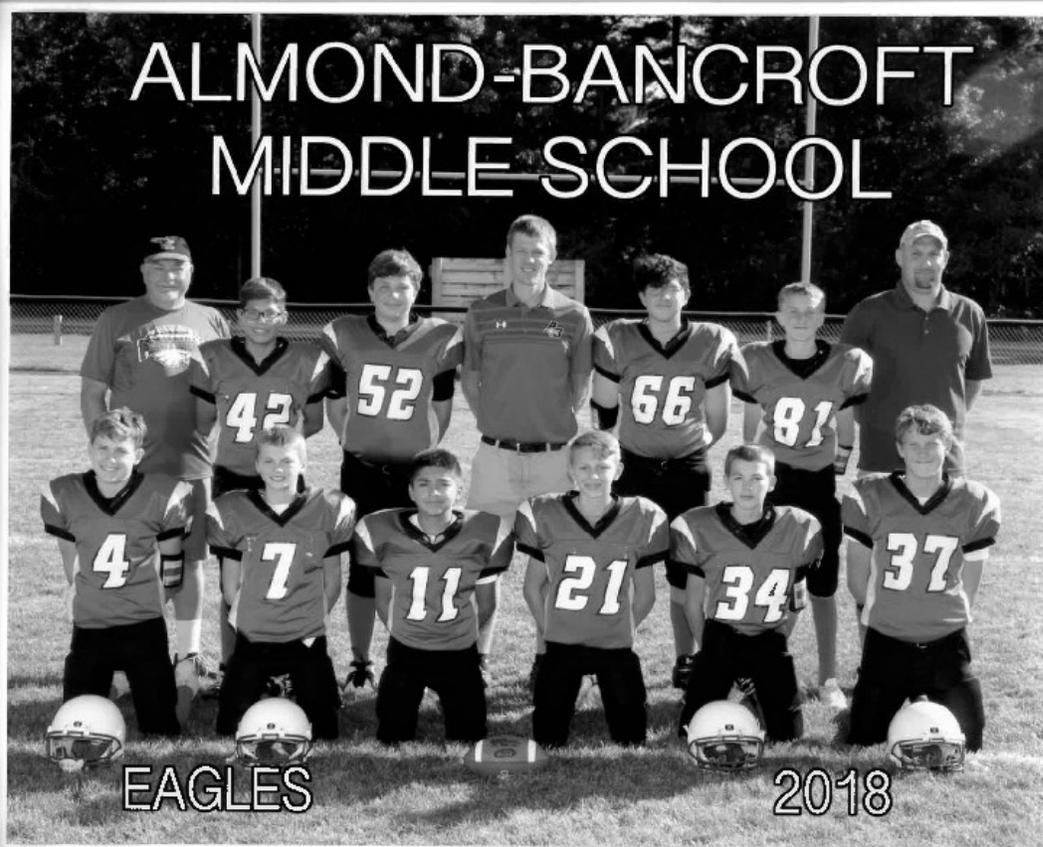
8th Grade Volleyball



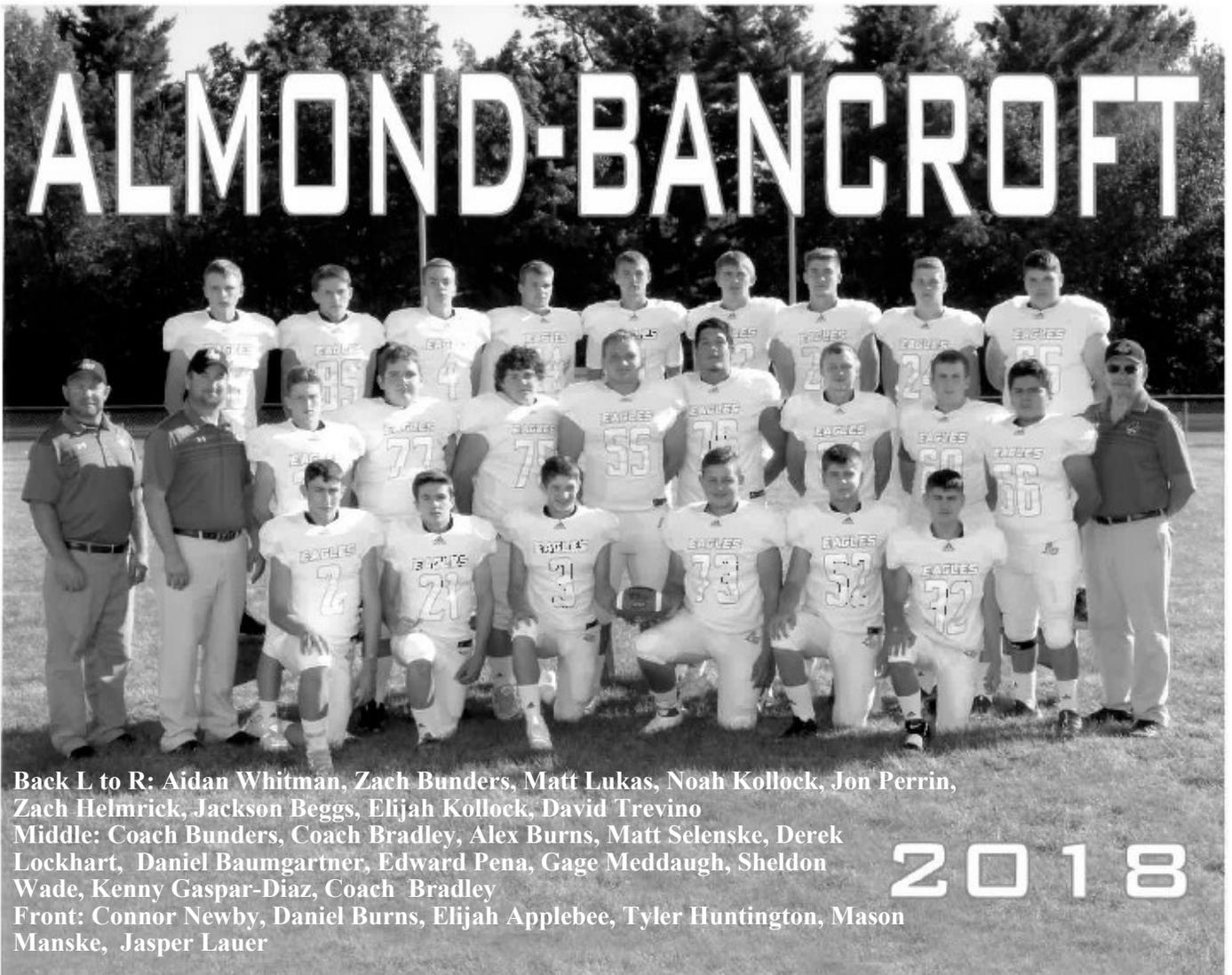
Back L to R:
Rayelynn Wojcik,
Emily Wysocki,
Raegen Omernik,
Hannah Baird, Felicity Budelier
Front: Roxana Castellanos, Jillian Newby, Gracelyn Breitenstein, Taylor Millard



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Back L to R: Coach Drmolka, Joshua Beltran, Wyatt Jones, Coach Steuerwald, Joseph Segura Martell, Seth Bunders, Coach Klismith
Front: Shane Klismith, Tanner Lamb, Dominick Lopez, Devyn Feltz, Andy Burns, Connor Brewer



Back L to R: Aidan Whitman, Zach Bunders, Matt Lukas, Noah Kollock, Jon Perrin, Zach Helmrick, Jackson Beggs, Elijah Kollock, David Trevino
Middle: Coach Bunders, Coach Bradley, Alex Burns, Matt Selenke, Derek Lockhart, Daniel Baumgartner, Edward Pena, Gage Meddaugh, Sheldon Wade, Kenny Gaspar-Diaz, Coach Bradley
Front: Connor Newby, Daniel Burns, Elijah Applebee, Tyler Huntington, Mason Manske, Jasper Lauer

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Almond Branch Library Events

122 Main St., Almond ☐ 715-366-2151 www.pocolibrary.org

Hours: Sat. - Mon.: Closed, Tues.: 10-1:30 and 2-6, Wed-Fri: 2-6.

Almond Library Explorers for babies, toddlers, and preschoolers will meet Thursdays, November 1, 15, and 29 at 10:00 AM at the library. Play, learn, and explore at the library!

Events for school-age children include Brick Builders (for all who love LEGO bricks!) on Tuesday, November 6 at 4:00 PM and Wednesday, November 21 from 2-6, and Read to the Library Dog on Wednesday, November 28.

Events for adults on Wednesdays include social hour (November 7 starting at 2:00), and Book Journeys book club (November 14 at 12:30 in the village hall). All month, stop by the library for ideas to spark creative gifts of appreciation for the special people in your world. For more information about any events, please call the library or visit www.pocolibrary.org.

Almond Branch Library - Survey

We would love to hear your thoughts or feedback on how we may better serve you. When you complete your survey please drop it off at the Main Office at Almond-Bancroft Schools or at the Almond Library (The drop box can be used if the library is closed). **Please return the survey no later than Friday, November 9th.**

1. Question 1: What prevents you from using the library?

Check all that apply.

- Library hours are not convenient
- Library does not offer programs that interest me
- I find the library space unappealing
- I use another library
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- Library does not offer materials I want
- I get all my information digitally
- There are language barriers for me
- Other: _____
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2. Question 2: If you believe the library hours are not convenient, which time of day works best for you?

Mark only one oval.

- 10 AM to 12 NOON
- 2 PM to 4 PM
- 6 PM to 8 PM
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- 12 NOON to 2 PM
- 4 PM to 6 PM
- Other: _____
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3. Question 3: What day of the week would be most convenient for you to use the library?

Mark only one oval.

- Monday
- Wednesday
- Friday
- Sunday
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- Tuesday
- Thursday
- Saturday
-
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4. Question 4: What type of materials would you like the library to offer?

5. Question 5: What type of adult program would you attend at the library?

6. Question 6: What type of children or teen program would you attend at the library?

7. Question 7: If you use another library, which one do you use?

Mark only one oval.

- Plainfield
- Stevens Point
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- Plover
- Other: _____

8. Question 8: If you use another library, what is your main reason for using it?

Mark only one oval.

- Hours
- Materials
- Other: _____

- Location _____
- Programs

9. Suggestions for improvement.

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Almond-Bancroft Menus, November 2018

Breakfast Menu

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			1 Oatmeal-32 g Whole Grain Toast-32 g	2 Bagel-29 g Yogurt-20 g
5 Breakfast Pizza-24 g	6 Frudel-37 g Yogurt-20 g	7 Cereal-25 g Muffin-22 g	8 Scrambled Eggs-2 g Whole Grain Toast-32 g	9 Cinnamon Roll-36 g Yogurt-20 g
12 Pancake Sausage on Stick-17 g	13 Oatmeal-32 g Whole Grain Toast-32 g	14 Cereal-25 g Muffin-22 g	15 Breakfast Bar-37 g	16 Bagel-29 g Yogurt-20 g
19 Breakfast Pizza-24 g	20 Cereal-25 g Muffin-22 g	21 No School	22 No School	23 No School
26 Cereal-25 g Muffin-22 g	27 French Toast Sticks-22 g	28 Frudel-37 g Yogurt-20 g	29 Breakfast Sandwich-42 g	30 Cinnamon Roll-36 g Yogurt-20 g

Morning Milk
 \$2.45-M-W PK
 \$2.80-T-Th PK
 \$6.65-K-5th
 (\$.35 a day)

Breakfast Prices:
 Reduced – No Charge
 4K (M-W) – 7 days @ 1.50=\$10.50
 4K (T-Th) – 8 days @ 1.50=\$12.00
 K-12th grade – 19 days @ 1.50 = \$28.50

Juice Carbs
 Apple Cherry-14 g
 Apple-14 g
 Grape-18 g
 Orange-13 g

Milk Carbs
 Skim-13 g
 1% White-13 g
 F/F Chocolate-20 g

Lunch Menu

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			1 Chicken Pattie-38 g on Bun-22 g French Fries-17 g Baked Beans-29 g Applesauce-22 g	2 Pizza-37 g Salad Bar-2 g Mandarin Oranges-20 g
5 Corn Dogs-20 g Ravioli-30 g Strawberries-22 g Peas-11g	6 Chicken Gravy-5 g Mashed Potatoes-15 g Corn-17 g Peaches-17 g Bread-12 g	7 Spaghetti & Meatballs-46 g Green Beans-4 g Garlic Bread- Pears-17-g	8 Hamburger on Bun-25 g Wedges-15 g Baked Beans-29 g Fruit Cocktail-15 g	9 Cheese Fries-35 g Salad Bar-2 g Pineapple-18 g
12 Taco Meat-5 g Soft Shell-28 g Hard Shell-10 g Corn-17 g Sliced Apples-4 g	13 Chicken Nuggets-12 g French Fries-17 g Carrots-6 g Blueberries-17-g	14 Country Pork Chop-15 g Mashed Potatoes-15 g Gravy-22 g Brussel Sprouts-8 g Peaches-17 g	15 Cheeseburger Hot Dish- 32g Peas-11g Applesauce-22 g	16 Pizza Dippers-38 g Salad Bar-2 g Pears-17-g
19 Chicken Fajita-14 g Broccoli-5 g Fruit Cocktail-15 g	20 Mostaccioli-12 g Salad Bar-2 g Pineapple-18 g	21 No School	22 No School	23 No School
26 Hot Dog on Bun-35 g Tater Barrels-16 g Baked Beans-29 g Peaches-17 g	27 Hamburger Gravy-5 g Mashed Potatoes-15 g Carrots-6 g Strawberries-22 g	28 Salisbury Steak-12 g Buttered Noodles-30 g Peas-11g Pears-17-g	29 Frito Chili-52 g Veggies & Dip-16 g Applesauce-22 g	30 Beefy Nachos-16 g Corn-17 g Fruit Cocktail-15 g

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

Disclaimer: Nutrient values have been determined utilizing approved software comprised of common foods found in the USDA database and standardized recipes. These results should be viewed and used only as a general nutrition guide– and not for medical nutrition therapy. This is a close approximation of the true nutrient content since various factors influence the amounts of nutrients in foods.

Lunch Prices:
 Reduced 4K (M-W) –7 days @ .40= \$2.80
 Reduced 4K (T-Th) – 8 days @ .40= \$3.20
 Reduced K-12 – 19 days @ .40 = \$7.60
 4K (M-W) –7 days @ 2.25= \$15.75
 4K (T-Th) -8 days @ 2.25= \$18.00
 K-5th grade -19 days @ 2.25 = \$42.75
 6th – 12th grade -19 days @ 2.50 = \$47.50



Almond-Bancroft Book Fair dates:

November 12th – 16th

Shopping hours:

before school (7:45-8:10 am) and
during parent-teacher conference nights (4:00-7:30 pm)

Help engage students and motivate them to read voluntarily, by visiting the Book Fair. Our annual Almond-Bancroft Book Fair is just around the corner. The Book Fair will be held during both Parent-Teacher Conference Nights, and will also be open before school.

Looking forward to seeing everyone as they browse the selection of books.



ALMOND-BANCROFT VETERANS DAY PROGRAM

November 9th - 9:00 AM
West Gymnasium

Color Guard - American Legion Mead-Rath-Gutke Post
Welcome - Almond-Bancroft NHS
Performances by the Almond-Bancroft Band and Choir
Quilt Presentation to Veterans - Golden Needle Quilters
Honoring of the branches
Recognition of those who have served
Recognition of military families
Special Guest Speaker - McKenzie Miner
Slideshow of area veterans

Please join us in honoring our veterans!



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