TO:TAVELLI PARENTSFROM:MS. CHRISTINE HENDRICKS, PRINCIPAL/LINDA FOREMAN, OFFICE 488-6725DATE:THURSDAY, JANUARY 27, 2022SUBJECT:IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS and DATES

Tavelli Important Dates to Remember:

Feb. 1-28	Healthy Kids 5210+ Challenge
Feb. 21	No School for K-12 Students, staff work day

Denotes a PTO sponsored event/funds

★ Denotes a Wellness event



1. Take the Healthy Kids 5210+ Challengel – Every year, Tavelli students participate in this challenge, along with nearly 100 other northern Colorado schools. What is it? The 5210+ challenge teaches healthy daily habits, which are: 5 fruits and vegetables, 2 hours or less of screen time, 1 hour or more of physical activity, 0 sugary drinks, and + nine or more hours of sleep. Calendars are coming home with each student today; blue family logs will be sent with the oldest and only students. For more information, please go to <a href="https://www.uchealth.org/services/community-health/healthy-kids/5210-school-challenge/">https://www.uchealth.org/services/community-health/healthy-kids/5210-school-challenge/</a> and

watch a video done by some former Tavelli students. 🟃

**2.** Library News -- Parents, would you like to see an online list of the books that your student has checked out? Here's a short video to see how it's done.

<u>https://watch.screencastify.com/v/zlLgYcFmm68VfGauabkE</u> If you have any questions, please email Mr. Deakin: <u>rdeakin@psdschools.org</u> Thanks!

## 3. PSD Is Now Accepting Home COVID Tests -- However, there are a few important requirements for using at-home test results:

- Families/Staff must submit a photo of the positive or negative test result with the name, date, and time test was taken written directly on the test card to the health office. *Picture should be taken at the time of the reading of results. It is important to follow all package directions that accompany the test.*
- Students/Staff must still follow the next step of Return to Learn, which is that symptoms must be resolved OR improved AND have not had any fever, vomiting, or diarrhea in the last 24 hours without use of medication. Student must be able to wear a mask reliably for days 6 – 10 to return.

If your student wouldn't have been considered well enough to be at school in pre-COVID days, they aren't well enough to be at school now, even with a negative test result. Please see the attached information—how sick is too sick?

**4.** Kid Pan Alley and Tavelli Elementary have Co-Created 8 song*s* -- Join us Thursday, February 4, 2022 from 2:15-3:00 for a live online concert The Zoom link can be found on <u>Tavelli's Music</u> Learning Page

5. Late Start and Dream Team – If we have a late start here at Tavelli, Dream Team will be cancelled for that day.

6. Lost and Found – Our lost and found bins are overflowing! If your child has misplaced a coat, hat, gloves, boots, water bottle or anything else that may be taking up space in our bins, please have your child check for the missing items. If your child isn't great at finding lost things, give us a call and we can arrange for you to come look for the items when our school day ends. All unclaimed items will be donated.

7. PSD expectations for remote learning in all schools -- The district's focus is to have all students participate in in-person learning at schools as much as possible. However, some students may miss being in school because of illness, quarantine, an emergency or other circumstances. PSD wants to ensure students can continue learning remotely when they can't be at school regardless of the reason for the absence. Teachers and staff will do their best to support students who are learning online.

More information is available on the <u>PSD Remote Learning web page</u>. There you will find expectations, information about Teacher Learning pages, and additional technology resources. Please let us know if you have specific questions about how this looks at our school.

8. Extended Absences Due to Illness or Quarantine – If your student should have to quarantine, there are some things we want you to be aware of to access learning resources while they are at home. Your child's teacher will provide materials to work on during their absence; please contact them if your child needs a laptop or a mi-fi to access the internet. We can also provide breakfast and lunch for pick-up at the school, contact the office at 488-6725 to order a lunch or breakfast.

**9.** A Few Reminders for Parents – If your child is absent from school, please call our attendance line at 488-6726 to let us know your child will be out of school for the day. The office needs daily notification of any absence. In case of extended absences, please let us know when your child will return. If your child will be changing after school dismissal plans, please be sure to give the office a call to explain the change. Breakfast will be served every morning beginning at 8:20, students may arrive on the playground at 8:35, please do not drop your student off to the playground any earlier than that, as there is no supervision before that time. Classes begin at 8:50.

**10.** Cash for Caps – If you have milk delivered from Morning Fresh Dairy, we can use your clean caps! Morning Fresh will give us 5 cents per cap turned in. There is a collection box for your clean caps available in the Tavelli Office.

**11.** Link Your King Soopers Card to Tavelli! – By linking your King Soopers card, Tavelli PTO will collect 5% of your grocery bill. Check out the Tavelli PTO website for instructions.



Please visit the Tavelli Website https://tav.psdschools.org/