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Greetings, Tonka Online K-8 Community-

The past several weeks have been filled with the start of a new semester and welcoming new faces, conferences, conversations about next year, and the start of warmer weather! I want you to know that we care about you and your students and are grateful for your support as we continue to build our program and head into the remaining few months of school.

Please take a moment to review the newsletter this week with a few quick updates.

Warmly,

Nicole Snedden, Ed.S. (NBCT)

Tonka Online K-8 Program Coordinator

Important Dates

- March 3 Conferences
- March 4 No School; Parent/Teacher Conferences
- March 9 Deadline to Submit a Student Yearbook Photo
- March 11 Materials Pick up Day (See below for details)
- March 25 Last Day to Purchase a Tonka Online K-8 Yearbook

- March 28-April 1 No School; Spring Break
 - April 4 No School; Grading and Planning
 - April 5 Classes Resume
 - April 15 No School; District Offices Closed
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Yearbook Information

We are in the final stages of putting together our Tonka Online K-8 Yearbook!

- If you still need to **upload a student photo**, please [submit photo here](#), or reach out to michelle.ketchum@minnetonkaschools.org. The **deadline to submit a photo is Wednesday, March 9.**
 - [Order a Tonka Online K-8 Yearbook](#) here. The **deadline for ordering is March 25.**
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Material Pick Up

Please make plans for the March Material Pick Up, which will take place:

Date: Friday, March 11

Time: 12 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Place: Minnetonka District Service Center

5621 County Road 101, Minnetonka 55345

The following grade levels WILL HAVE MATERIALS for pick up.

- **Kindergarten** - Reading/Science Materials
- **1st Grade** - Reading Level Packets, Cut and paste activities
- **2nd Grade** - Writing Paper Packets, Guided Reading Materials (select students)
- **3rd Grade** - Science Materials
- **6th Grade Science** - Science Lab Materials

Jump Ropes for K-5

- Each family will receive a jump rope for Phy Ed class. Students who have materials to pick up (listed above) will have their family jump rope included in their pick up bag.
 - All other K-5 grades will be able to pick up their jump rope anytime at the Minnetonka District Service Center from 8:00am-4:30pm, Monday through Friday.
 - Jump Ropes will be labeled and in the front entrance of the District Service Center.
 - Please pick these up by Friday, March 18th.
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Tonka Online 2022-2023

Enrollment for Tonka Online 2022-2023 is now open! Families who wish to continue in the program for the fall of 2022-2023 will automatically be enrolled for the fall. If you are not planning to continue with Tonka Online for next fall and are either returning to in-person in Minnetonka School District or in another district, please contact our enrollment office to let them know of the change for the fall.

- Monika Salden (student last names A-L) monika.salden@minnetonkaschools.org, 952-401-5009
 - Lori Schwartz (student last names M-z) Lori.schwartz@minnetonkaschools.org, 952-401-5012
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Celebration of Excellence

The annual Celebration of Excellence Awards is a great chance to recognize those staff members who have made a difference for your student. This year, more than ever, staff could really use affirmation and the message that their hard work, patience, and talent truly makes a difference for students. The deadline to nominate a staff member has been extended to **March 7th**. To nominate a Tonka Online K-8 staff member, [click on this link](#).

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