

SCHLESWIG SCHOOL

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER 2018 HAPPENINGS

SCHOOL REGISTRATION

New this year is online registration. To register your students, please visit online at <https://schleswig.powerschool.com/public>. If you are a new student, you will need to contact the school first to obtain your access IDs and access codes. If you are having difficulties or need to use a computer or internet access, please call the school at 676-3314. Assistance will also be provided at Open House on August 20th from 5:30 – 7:00 PM.

If you know of any new families in the district, please call the school at 676-3313.

OPEN HOUSE

Please mark your calendars for the school Open House. Food and beverage will be provided for this event.

**MONDAY, AUGUST 20, 2018
5:30-7:00 PM**

Students are encouraged to bring their supplies, find their rooms and desks, meet the teachers, and be ready for the **opening day of school on Thursday, August 23.**

Preschool News

Summer is quickly disappearing and we'll soon be hearing the sounds of children in the hall again at preschool. We are excited about the upcoming year and are looking forward to all the new and fun things we will be learning!

All registered families should have received a letter in the

mail with details regarding our Supply Drop-Off Night and the first day of school. I hope you found a calendar and Supply List included in your mailing as well. I'd like to encourage everyone to be certain your paperwork is filled out and ready to bring the evening of August 23rd. If you are planning on your child riding the bus, please remember to call the Schleswig Community School office and make the necessary arrangements. Also, if your child will be attending in the afternoon, you can be expecting a call from me regarding home visits. I will begin making arrangements for these the first part of August.

And, please, let your child(ren) know their teachers are enthusiastically anticipating their arrival! I know it's going to be a fantastic year!

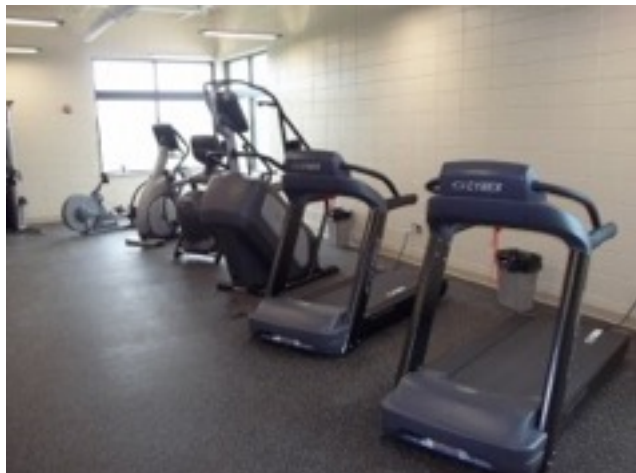
Mrs. Gustafson



Fitness Center

The Schleswig Fitness Center continues to be a big success. The hours are 5am to 10pm, seven days a week. Key applications can be found on the school webpage, at school, and at businesses around town. Training regarding facility use is required to obtain a key, and upcoming training session information can also be found on the school webpage.

The fitness room contains two Expresso exercise bikes, two NuStep bikes, two treadmills, Arc trainer, elliptical machine, a row machine, a Bravo Pro Strength machine, a Smith Press and various other equipment.



The two treadmills, Arc trainer, elliptical machine, and row machine



Bravo Pro Strength Machine

There are calendars on the school website as well with schedules of events for both the gymnasium and fitness room. Please check the calendars for any previously scheduled events. If there are any questions, concerns, suggestions, please contact the school by phone or email at gymfitness@schleswig.k12.ia.us.



CALF SHOW DAYS – FOOD STAND

Remember to look for the Food Stand work sign-up sheet for all 5th through 8th grade students AND parent at the School Open House on August 20th. The revenue generated by the Food Stand is used to help fund the activities and field trips the students participate in.

2018-2019 MAGAZINE SALES

The Schleswig Middle School will again participate in the annual magazine sales fundraisers. The sale will begin shortly after school begins. The money raised by the sale helps defray expenses for the school's extra-curricular activities and field trips.

Magazine companies usually send "renewal notices" to the subscribers on magazines the students sold the prior year. The school can renew your magazine for the same price as any promotion by publishing companies. The only difference is the school is allowed to keep 40% of the sales price when sold through our campaign. Please hold renewals for the students who will be contacting you in September. Remember, we can renew your magazines at any time during the year. If you are not contacted, please call Renee at 676-3314 and a student will contact you. **Thanks to everyone for your support of our magazine fundraiser.**

MIDDLE SCHOOL ATHLETES

All students going out for football and volleyball will need to have their physicals before the start of school. Physical forms may be picked up at the school. **A physical, health and injury information card and insurance waiver must be turned in before a student may practice.**

EMERGENCY CLOSINGS

For emergency announcements this year, the school will be using a program called Black Board Connect. Once an emergency announcement has been made, parents will receive a voice recording, a text message, and email. (These numbers and addresses used will be from the information you provide at registration.) Announcements will also be given to Denison radio KDSN (AM 1530, FM 107.1). Please do not call the school.

SCHOOL ABSENTEEISM

Just a reminder that if students are ill or need to miss school for other reasons, please call the school by 8:45 AM at 676-3314. If you know in advance that a student will be gone, it is extremely helpful to the school if we know in advance so we can plan for his/her absence. If a student is absent from school, our policy requires us to call the home so we can account for all our students. It is a great help to us if parents call and inform us of students who are absent. Your help is greatly appreciated.

SCHOOL HOURS

The school will open its doors to the students at 7:35 AM. At this time we would like to have town students who will be eating breakfast go to the multi-purpose room for breakfast. Students are not allowed in the classrooms unless they have permission from the teacher.

Classes begin at 8:00 AM and end at 3:00 PM. Buses will leave at 3:05 PM with town students being dismissed after buses leave.