

# News On The Horizon

**Final week Distribution:** Teachers are coming back to school to gather student items and prepare them for distribution the final week of school. We have created the following schedule for families to collect belongings for their children through parent pick up drive through in the front parking lot (Please enter in the same direction as parent pick up so we can have 2 lanes available):

**Monday – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade 10-12 AM; Kindergarten 1:30-3:30 PM**

**Tuesday – 4<sup>th</sup> grade 10-12 AM; 1<sup>st</sup> grade 1:30-3:30 PM**

**Wednesday – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade 10-12 AM; 5<sup>th</sup> grade 1:30-? PM graduation**

**Thursday** – families that did not make it may contact the Dean of Students to schedule a pick-up time between 8 am and 3:30 on Thursday.

**IF you have multiple children:** You may come on each day or you may come on the day of your last child's pick-up time. Let your earlier teachers know that you would like your children's belongings sent to the last child's teacher. You may NOT collect early for all students since teachers will be coming in to prepare student bags of personal belongings throughout the week.

**Chrome Books:** First stop at the crosswalk by the office doors to check in Chrome books. Even if you did not check one out, please stop for a moment for Mrs. Mendoza to check the list. It is important to the success of our school instruction in the fall to have all the Chromebooks back at this time. Please have the chrome book and the charger in the bag.

**Library Books:** All outstanding library books need to be returned to the school at this time to the classroom teacher. If you have already picked up your child's materials at an earlier date, you may bring your child's library book and chrome book back on the date your teacher will be at school listed above. Please put your child's name on the outside of the plastic bag or on a sticky note or paper on the cover of the book.

## **Registration for the 2020—2021 for CURRENTLY ENROLLED STUDENTS OF HAW**

Per newsletters and intent to return forms, all forms were due the second week of March prior to the closure. We are a charter school, we have no way of knowing your decision to return without the process we have in place. If you did not get your form turn in, you can still add your child's name to the lottery/waiting list with the applications we are getting turned in through the lottery. The sooner the better! We appreciate your help with this! While we know you have school choice, we hope to continue the relationships we have established with our current students and families.

We are looking into handling registration for the 2020-2021 school year online. Please continue to check our website on a regular basis regarding a date that will be available as well as for any other information pertaining to the upcoming school year.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Angelica at [abaca@hawest.net](mailto:abaca@hawest.net).

# Immunizations for the 2020-2021 school year

Parents/Guardians,

As you prepare for the upcoming 2020-2021 school year, please remember there are several statutes and regulations which address the issue of NM students receiving required immunizations before school entry or enrollment. In order to prevent a delay of enrollment please check your child's shot record is up to date. If you are unsure or have questions please feel free to contact the Health Assistant Jolene at [jrael@hawest.net](mailto:jrael@hawest.net) or 505-998-0459 ext. 142.

NMSA 1978, 24-5-2 makes it unlawful for any student to enroll in school unless the student is immunized, or otherwise properly exempted.

NMSA 1978, 24-54, 7,5.2.8 NMAC and 6.12.2.8(F) NMAC authorize and require each school superintendent to prepare a record showing the immunization status of every child enrolled or attending a school under his or her jurisdiction.

Additionally, 6.12.2.8 NMAC requires that schools start disenrollment proceedings for students who are unable to provide satisfactory evidence of commencement or completion of immunization or an exemption from immunization.

Section 6.12.2.8 NMAC and NMSA 1978, 24-5-4 also stipulate that parents or guardians who neglect or refuse to permit their child to be immunized against diseases as required by law shall be reported by the school superintendent to the director of the public health division.

## *Healthy Happy Life*

### *from the desk of Ms. Jolene*



#### **For people coming out of quarantine**

It can be stressful to be separated from others if a healthcare provider thinks you may have been exposed to COVID-19, even if you do not get sick. Everyone feels differently after coming out of quarantine.

Emotional reactions to coming out of quarantine may include:

- Mixed emotions, including relief after quarantine.
- Fear and worry about your own health and the health of your loved ones.
- Stress from the experience of monitoring yourself or being monitored by others for signs and symptoms of COVID-19.
- Sadness, anger, or frustration because friends or loved ones have unfounded fears of contracting the disease from contact with you, even though you have been determined not to be contagious.
- Guilt about not being able to perform normal work or parenting duties during quarantine.
- Other emotional or mental health changes such as: feeling upset or have other strong emotions if they, or someone they know, has been not released from quarantine.

Feel free to reach out to Horizon Academy West if you are in need of resources on how to deal with these feelings you or your child may be feeling.