



# AMS Eagle News



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Dear AMS Families,

It was a very short week at AMS! The results are in for our district wide elementary spirit day! 2,137 students voted in our Spirit Day selection. Coming in at 57.2% of the vote was Mismatch Day! By official decree, on Friday, November 17, 2023, elementary students will show their Elementary Spirit by wearing mismatched attire!

Amsterdam School will hold their *Annual Veterans Day and Hometown Hero Assembly*, on **Monday, November 13, 2023 at 8:30 AM**. This year AMS will be honoring the men and women of our community, who selflessly served or continue to serve our country and town. If this pertains to **YOU**, there is still time to be a part of our assembly. Please fill out this [form](#) by Friday, November 10, 2023, so we can honor your service and show our students how many amazing men and women live within our neighborhood.

It is hard to believe that we are nearing the end of the first marking period. The first marking period ends on Tuesday, November 14, 2023. Report cards will be released via the parent portal at 4:00 PM on Thursday, November 16, 2023.

Elementary Parent teacher conferences will be held from Friday, November 17, 2023-Tuesday, November 22, 2023. Please note we have early dismissal on those days for parent conferences.

There is still time to submit a poster for the Red Ribbon Week Poster Contest! The theme is: **“BE KIND TO YOUR MIND. LIVE DRUG FREE.”** Click [here](#) for all the details!

Last call for any items for Operation Shoebox. Please see the attached list of [Personal Care Items](#) and [Food Items](#) most needed by our Troops serving overseas.

Enjoy your LONG weekend!

Michele Fisher



## Dates to Remember

11/09 - Teacher's Convention – **SCHOOL CLOSED**  
11/10 - Teacher's Convention – **SCHOOL CLOSED**  
11/13 - Veteran's Day Assembly @ 8:30AM  
11/14 - Marking Period 1 Ends  
11/17 - **HALF DAY** for Students - Conferences  
11/17 - Mismatch Day!  
11/20 - **HALF DAY** for Students - Conferences  
11/21 - **HALF DAY** for Students - Conferences  
11/22 - **HALF DAY** for Students & Staff  
11/23 - Thanksgiving Recess - **SCHOOL CLOSED**  
11/24 - Thanksgiving Recess - **SCHOOL CLOSED**

## ASHA Updates

- ASHA is looking for a Life Skills Coordinator [click here](#) for more information about the role and please email ([ashapresidents@gmail.com](mailto:ashapresidents@gmail.com)) the ASHA Board if you are interested or have questions.
- For ASHA Information and Events, [click here](#).
- Tuesday, November 14th:** Next ASHA monthly meeting at 7:00 PM at the Amsterdam library.
- Thursday, November 16th:** PARENTS NIGHT OUT at Flounder Brewing Co - [click here](#).

## REMINDER

[Dismissal Change Form](#)

