



Bergman Academy Friday Note- 03/02/2018

DATES TO REMEMBER

- 3/2** Family Fun Night – 6:00 – 8:00PM
- 3/6** 2nd & 3rd Grade Music Programs – 8:45 am – 2nd grade / 9:15 am – 3rd grade
- 3/9** **NO SCHOOL – Staff Development**
- 3/12-16** **NO SCHOOL – Spring Break**
- 3/19** Classes Resume
- 3/20** Board Meeting – 6:00 PM
- 3/22** Love & Logic Workshop 6:30 PM

FAMILY FUN NIGHT - THANK YOU!

We would like to extend a special thanks to the dedicated families volunteering their time at Family Fun Night! From creating decorations, to planning games and donating cakes, we appreciate all that you do to ensure it's an incredible night for Bergman Academy families!

TRAFFIC- BOTTOM OF THE HILL

If you choose to pick your child(ren) up at the bottom of the hill, please remember that we do not allow students to cross 45th Street to get into their cars in the parking spots by the pond. Drive all the way south on 45th Street and turn around in the Ashworth Pool parking lot then pick students up on the east side of the street. Cars may not make U-turns in the middle of 45th Street by the pond parking spots.

BERGMAN ACADEMY STUDENTS MAKING AN IMPACT

We are very proud of Bergman Academy students Alicia Kamran, Elisheba Kamran and Armaan Pederson! These inspiring students were featured on Van and Bonnie, where they highlighted their efforts to fundraise for Blank Children's Hospital!

Click on the link below to listen to the interview:

<https://whoradio.iheart.com/content/2018-02-20-these-kids-are-looking-for-your-help-to-help-more-kids/>

TWO GREAT OPPORTUNITIES FOR PARENTS

Never before have parents faced so many challenges to raising happy, resilient children. Bergman Academy is offering two incredible opportunities to come together as a parent community, share, and support one another as we gather more information for our parenthood journey. Both are appropriate for parents with children of any age.

Love & Logic Workshop Series Do you need a laugh? The upcoming **Love & Logic Workshop Series** uses real stories to illustrate a philosophy for raising and teaching children which allows parents to feel more empowered, happier, and more confident. Love allows children to grow through their mistakes. Logic allows children to live with the consequences of their choices. Love & Logic is a way of working with children that puts parents back in control, teaches children to be responsible and prepares young people to live in the real world. Our presenter has over 20 years experience as a teacher and school guidance counselor and has taught Love & Logic to countless families and educators. The 5-week workshop will begin on Thursday, March 22nd, at 6:30 PM. Contact Susan Foxx to register - susanfoxx7@gmail.com.

Screenagers: Growing Up in a Digital Age This spring, following break, we will be hosting a screening of the award-winning documentary **Screenagers: Growing up in a Digital Age**. Physician and film-maker Delaney Ruston probes into the vulnerable corners of family life, including her own, to explore struggles over social media, video games, academics, and internet addiction. Through poignant and unexpectedly funny stories, along with surprising insights from authors, psychologists, and brain scientists, *Screenagers* reveals how tech time impacts kids' development and offers solutions on how adults can empower kids to best navigate the digital world and find balance.

[A MESSAGE FROM OUR ENRICHMENT CLUB DIRECTOR](#)

- Spring Enrichment Club Registration is due **TODAY**. Please follow the link to register: <https://tinyurl.com/BASpring2018>. They will begin the week of March 19th.
- Summer Camps Registration went out February 1st. The deadline to register is March 30th. Please follow the link to register: <https://tinyurl.com/BASummer2018>.
- Archery Camp for incoming 6th-8th graders registration is live. Please follow the link to register: <https://tinyurl.com/BAArcherySummer2018>. The deadline to register is March 30th.

If you have any questions or concerns, please email Becca Miller at enrichment@bergmanacademy.org.

[FEBRUARY TZEDAKAH PROJECT](#)

Our February Tzedakah project collection for the Food Bank of Iowa will end on March 5th. We will no longer be taking donations after that date. Please continue to bring non-perishable food items into school and place them in front of the rotunda until that date. Thank you so much for donating to this very worthy cause!

[PARENT LINK](#)

Tonight is the big night! Are you ready to geek out with your kids at a tech-themed evening of fun!? Doors open at 6pm for Family Fun Night and this year's theme is "The Bergman Code!" Use binary code to make a name bracelet or better yet a coded message for a friend. Craft a robot. Go into a Lego zone and build a simple machine complete with a motor. Marvel at a surprise special event in the Windsor Gallery. And, never fear, try to win a cake at the ever popular cake walk. Kids will find the "Bar Code" tickets they earned during Reading 101 taped inside their lockers when they arrive. "Bar Codes" are redeemable for special treats during the night. If you volunteered in advance of this big event, THANK YOU! If you signed up to help tonight, please report to the designated room for the activity you will be helping to facilitate/supervise - maps will be on display near the entrance. There you will find instructions to inform and guide you. We are excited for a great evening! This is not a drop off event. Come together as a Bergman community and have FUN with your kids and their friends!