

April 2010

Dates to Remember:

April 1	Report Cards Distributed PSSA kick-off assembly
April 2-5	No School – Easter Break
April 8-16	PSSA Reading & Math Testing- Grades 3-6
April 9	Mobile Dentist
April 20-22	PSSA Writing Testing – Grade 5
April 22	DAR Essay contest winners at the Stone House Museum
April 26	Deputy Phil Safety Program for grades 1-3
April 27-28	PSSA Science Testing – Grade 4
April 27	PTA Meeting at 6:00
April 28	Kindergarten Registration
April 30	Kindergarten Field trip to the Children's Museum



PSSA Reading & Math Assessment: Students in grades 3, 4, 5 & 6 will participate in the state assessment in reading and math. Please talk to your child about the importance of doing his or her best work when taking this test. Also, make sure your child has gotten plenty of rest and has had a good breakfast prior to coming to school on test days. The state science assessment will only be taken by fourth grade and the state writing assessment will only be taken by the fifth grade.

Mobile Dentist: Mobile Dentist is a school based, dental outreach provider whose mission is to bring preventive dental care to local students. Mobile Dentist utilizes licensed dentists and hygienists to provide services right here at SES. Students who pre-register are eligible for this service. Students are never turned away due to lack of insurance or ability to pay. If you need any additional information, please call Mrs. Prenni.

School Calendar: School will be in-session on April 1st. This is a snow make-up day. Easter break will occur on April 2nd and 5th. There will be no school for students on these days.

Kindergarten Registration: Do you know any students who will be entering kindergarten at Saltsburg Elementary in the fall? If so, initial screenings for the new students will take place on April 28^h at SES. Prior to the screening, parents should pick up a registration packet at the SES office.

A Special Parent Reminder – With warm weather comes the need for a reminder that the Blairsville-Saltsburg School District enforces a dress code policy. Please refer to your handbook for examples of unacceptable attire. Also, please encourage your children to be respectful and considerate at recess and at lunch.