

# THE BECKER BULLETIN

February  
10, 2023

## HLA Heart Dance!



For this month's Parent Involvement Night, we will be having our Healthy Learning Academy Heart Dance! This event will be held on Thursday, February 16<sup>th</sup>.

Heart disease is the leading cause of death for both men and women in the United States. While 1 in every 4 deaths are related to heart disease, when people make healthy choices and manage their health conditions, it can be prevented!

In celebration of National Heart Month, come join us and dance for a healthy heart as we raise awareness about preventing heart disease. For anyone looking to earn volunteer hours, we'd love some help with cooking that day from 1:00-1:45. Please email me or sign-up online if available!

### The Week In Review

**ELA:** This past week, we covered persuasion, pronouns, and the prefix "trans-."

**SS:** Students just tested on Ch. 2 today. Next up is Ch. 3: Settlements Take Root.

**Math:** We will have a test on multiplying fractions this Monday.

**Science:** Students are currently studying Unit 5: The Nature of Matter.

### Word of the Week:

Our word of the week was "polite." Polite means having or showing behavior that is respectful and considerate of other people. Politeness can and will improve your relationships with others, help to build respect and rapport, boost your self-esteem and confidence, and improve your communication skills.

### Miscellaneous

#### Upcoming Dates

Tuesday, February 14- Valentine's Day

Thursday, February 16- Parent Night  
- Progress Reports

Saturday, February 18- 5 Points of Life  
Kid's Marathon

Mark your  
calendar!

### Spelling

Students should neatly write each of the following words with large, legible print on the index cards sent home today. This week, we will focus on compound words.

bad-tempered    get-together    nail-biter    polar region    real estate    each other  
self-discipline    police officer    in-depth    prime minister    see-through    short-handed

### Notes from Ms. Katje

*Students are learning to play the flute and ukulele in music class. Ms. Katje is also helping students learn songs from The Hobbit for Reader's Theater.*

### Notes from Coach Cotter

*In PE, students are continuing their lacrosse unit. In health, students are learning about dental hygiene.*