



THE Ripple

FALL 2026

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***Registration opens
August 25th at 8AM!***

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UPCOMING EVENTS

LAKE SUPERIOR SCHOOL DISTRICT

August

- 17 Opening Day of Fall Sports
- 31 THHS 6th Grade Orientation

September

- 1 THHS Open House & Picture Day 4:30-6:30PM
- 3 WKHS 6th Grade Orientation 10AM/WKS Open House 4:30-6:30PM
- 3 Minne Open House 4:30-6:30PM
- 7 Labor Day
- 8 First Day of School
- 10 First day of Kindergarten at the Minnehaha
- 11 School is in Session this Friday
- 14 WKS PTO Meeting 4PM
- 23 WKS Picture Day - K-12, Class photos K-5
- 23 Comm Ed Advisory Council Meeting 12-1 TH Comm Room
- 24 Picture Day at the Minne

October

- 2 THHS Homecoming Football Game
- 12 WKS PTO Meeting 4PM
- 13 THHS Picture Retakes
- 15 MEA Break No School
- 21 WKS Picture Day Retakes
- 22 Picture Day Retakes at the Minne

November

- 9 WKS PTO Meeting 4PM
- 18-10 Fall Conferences
- 26 Thanksgiving- No School

December

- 7 THHS Band & Choir Concert
- 14 TH Middle School Band & Choir Concert
- 14 WKS PTO Meeting 4PM
- 23-1/31 District Holiday Break No School



For the most up to date information on important dates please see the ISD 381 District Events Calendar

PHOTO NEEDED!

We're looking for a photo for the front cover of the Winter 2027 issue of *The Ripple*. It should be Winter themed. The picture can be from a student, community member, or staff. It should be from somewhere within our district and photo credit will be given. If you are willing, send electronically to jsmith@isd381.org. Must submit by **October 1st**. If your photo is chosen you will receive a \$20 voucher toward a future Comm. Ed. class!

WELCOME LETTER

FALL 2026

Dear Lake Superior School District Community, Parents, and Students,

Welcome to the 2026–2027 school year! As another school year begins, I am filled with gratitude and excitement for the opportunities that lie ahead for our students. Across our district, classrooms are being prepared, buses are ready to roll, and our dedicated staff members are eagerly awaiting the return of the students who make our schools such amazing places.

One of the greatest privileges of serving as Superintendent is witnessing the growth that happens every day in our schools. Whether it is a kindergarten student learning to read, a middle school student discovering a new passion, or a senior preparing for graduation and life beyond high school, each milestone represents the hard work, perseverance, and potential of our students.

Over the past year, we have had much to celebrate. Our students have continued to make meaningful academic progress, excel in arts and activities, serve their communities, and demonstrate the character and resilience that make Lake Superior School District proud. These accomplishments are not measured only by awards, test scores, or championships—they are reflected in the daily growth we see in our students as learners, leaders, teammates, and citizens.

These successes are made possible by an extraordinary team of educators and staff. Every day, our teachers, paraprofessionals, custodians, food service staff, bus drivers, coaches, advisors, and support personnel work together to create safe, welcoming, and engaging learning environments for students. Their commitment, care, and belief in our students make a lasting difference.

I am equally grateful to our families and community members for your continued partnership and support. Education is strongest when schools, families, and communities work together toward a common goal: helping every student reach their full potential. Your encouragement, involvement, and trust are essential to the success of our schools.

As we begin this new school year, we remain committed to providing exceptional learning opportunities while supporting the academic, social, and emotional growth of every student. We will continue building on the strengths of our district, celebrating successes, and embracing new opportunities to learn and grow together.

To our students: We cannot wait to see what this year holds for you. Be curious. Be kind. Take on challenges with confidence. Know that you are surrounded by adults who believe in you and are committed to helping you succeed.

Thank you for being part of the Lake Superior School District community. It is an honor to serve alongside such dedicated staff, supportive families, and remarkable students. Together, we look forward to another year of learning, growth, and achievement.

Have a wonderful start to the school year.

With gratitude,
Gina Kleive, Superintendent

Early Childhood Education



LITTLE AGATES & LITTLE MARINERS PRESCHOOL

4 Star Parent Aware Rated
Preschool for 3 & 4 year old children.
We have openings in our 4's classes
for the 2026-27 school year.



ECFE

ECFE welcome all families with
children ages birth to pre-
kindergarten. ECFE is a place to
learn & grow together in a
wonderful space full of activities
designed by educators.

Registration opens on
September 8
at 6 AM for ECFE Mixed Age
Sessions and Gym Night.

EARLY CHILDHOOD SCREENING

Complete Screening at age 3!

Screening is a quick check of hearing,
vision and development. Free and
located at your elementary school.



218-226-4437 ext. 8158
lakesuperiorcomed.ce.eleyo.com



Let's keep Lake County measles free!

Keeping them healthy and safe is the most important thing.

We all want to keep our kids healthy, active, and doing the things they love to do. Most kindergarteners in Lake County are vaccinated for measles (84%). If we increase to 95% it will help us prevent an outbreak, long school and daycare closures, and potentially serious complications for our little ones. With measles cases in Minnesota this year, it's more important than ever!

**Has your child
completed
the 2-dose
series?**

Call to find out and make an appointment:

- Aspirus Lake View
 - Two Harbors (218) 834-7700
 - Silver Bay (218) 226-4431
- Or your preferred health care provider!

Or download the free Docket app in the Apple or Google Play stores:



Docket gives residents with a Minnesota Immunization Information Connection (MIIC) record a digital option to easily and securely access their immunization history. Search for "Docket" in your app store!



Little MARINERS Childcare

Little Mariners Child Care Center located in the William Kelley School, serves children ages 6 weeks up to their first day of kindergarten.



Contact: LittleMarinersChildCare@isd381.org 218-226-4437 ext. 8453

Contact: KidsCo@isd381.org 218-834-8201 ext. 8453



Kids & Co.

It's the place to go!

Two Harbors Kids & Co. offers before and after school care for children in preschool up to age 12. Get ready for a school year full of new adventures and opportunities! Make new friends, build connections, and have fun!

Both of our child care programs accept CCAP!

SILVER BAY COMMUNITY EDUCATION

Full class details can be found online!

POOL ACTIVITIES



AM LAP SWIM ~ MON & WED

dates and details online.
6:30am - 7:15am

PM LAP SWIM ~ MON & WED

dates and details online.
5:00pm - 5:45pm

12:30 LAP SWIM ~ TUES & TH

dates and details online.
12:30pm - 1:15pm

FAMILY OPEN SWIM

Tuesday & Fridays 6:00pm - 7:00pm
* LIFEGUARD on DUTY *
Monthly registration
\$35 for up to three family members in the same household.
\$5 for each additional family member in the household.

WATER AEROBICS~ MON & WED

dates and details online.
6:00pm - 7:00pm

**William Kelley
Pool Party!**

Want a private party in the William Kelley pool?
Contact us for details!
agoutermont@381.org

HEALTH & WELLNESS

WALKING FOR YOUR HEALTH - FALL 2026-2027

Walking For Your Health - 2026-2027
Come walk the halls of William Kelley!
School days only
Please refer to the ISD 381 calendar
4:00pm - 7:00pm

William Kelley School Fitness Center Open Hours

FITNESS CENTER OPEN HOURS

Tuesdays & Thursdays
6:30am - 7:30am
\$0 - WK HS Students - parents/guardians must sign up online to agree to liability waiver.
\$25 - general public

GENERAL INTEREST

Edward Jones
MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING

SOCIAL SECURITY: YOUR QUESTIONS ANSWERED

October 14th
5:30 - 6:00 PM
\$5

Social Club Simple

Finally practical technology training for busy adults that's anything but boring.

YOUR KID'S PHONE: A PARENT'S SURVIVAL GUIDE

November 5th
12:00 - 1:00 PM
\$25
Online

SWIPE SMART: A SAFETY GUIDE TO DATING APPS

December 8th
12:00 - 1:00 PM
\$25
Online



OUTDOOR HOLIDAY PLANTER - MAKE AND TAKE!

Bring your ideas and creativity to make your own festive holiday planter. Instructor: Kelly Ollila
William Kelley High School - Date TBD
\$15.00 + Supply fee \$30.00 (paid to instructor night of class)



WINTER EVERGREEN CENTERPIECE - MAKE AND TAKE!

Join us for a hands-on, creative class where you'll design your very own fresh evergreen centerpiece, perfect for the winter season!

Instructor: Kelly Ollila
William Kelley High School - Date TBD
\$10.00 + Supply fee \$25.00 (paid to instructor night of class)

DISCOVER VOICE-OVER:LEARN HOW TO MAKE MONEY VOICING COMMERCIALS

October 17th 12:00 - 2:00 PM OR
December 9th 6:00 - 8:00 PM
\$25



SILVER BAY COMMUNITY EDUCATION

AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION CPR/AED/FIRSTAID CERTIFICATION

DATE(S)

5:00pm - 9:00pm

\$95



DRIVER IMPROVEMENT, 55+ DRIVER DISCOUNT PROGRAM

September 14th OR October 5th

5:00 - 9:00pm at WKS

&

November 5th

11:30-3:30 at NSAP



Please look online or give us a call to learn about the multiple spanish offerings.

YOUTH PROGRAMS



DRIVERS EDUCATION

Silver Bay

Fall - Classroom and BTW

This program features

30 hours of classroom instruction, the permit test,

and 6 hours of Behind-the-Wheel instruction.

Class begins September 14th, 2026



MAKING SUSTAINABLE YARN FROM T-SHIRTS/CROCHETING W/ REPURPOSED T-SHIRT YARN

6th Grade and Up

Tuesday, November 17th

5:00 - 8:00 PM

\$30

YOUTH VOLLEYBALL

Students in grades 4-6 will learn and practice volleyball skills, including passing, setting, serving and game rules. Fun drills, games and team activities will help players build confidence, improve their skills and develop teamwork in an encouraging environment. Practice schedules, games, tournaments and team formats may vary by grade level. Full details online.

YOUTH BASKETBALL

Students in grades K-6 will build basketball skills, confidence and teamwork in a fun, positive environment. Players will practice fundamentals such as dribbling, passing, shooting and game rules through drills, activities and team play. Practice schedules, games, tournaments and team formats may vary by grade level. Full details online.



ALL CLASSES FOR 13 YEARS AND UP. ALL CLASSES ONLINE.

INSTANT PIANO FOR HOPELESSLY BUSY PEOPLE

September 21st

6:30 - 9:30 PM

\$55

INSTANT GUITAR FOR HOPELESSLY BUSY PEOPLE

September 22nd

6:30 - 9:00 PM

\$55

INSTANT UKULELE FOR HOPELESSLY BUSY PEOPLE

September 24th

6:30- 9:00 PM

\$55



YOUTH DANCE with Tia Fisher

Full details can be found at:

<https://lakesuperiorcomed.ce.eleyo.com/dance>



Wm. Kelley Marinero

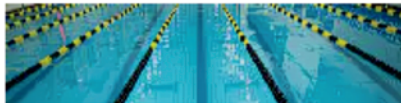
Silver Bay PTO

Meetings the 2nd Monday of the month • 4pm in the WK Library
ALL are Welcome!

TWO HARBORS COMMUNITY EDUCATION

Full class details can be found online!

ADULT POOL ACTIVITIES



AM LAP SWIM - MONDAYS FALL

5:40 - 6:20 AM
6:20 - 7:00 AM

AM LAP SWIM - TUESDAYS FALL

5:40 - 6:20 AM
6:20 - 7:00 AM

AM LAP SWIM - THURSDAYS FALL

5:40 - 6:20 AM
6:20 - 7:00 AM

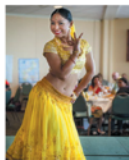
HEALTH AND WELLNESS

CURLING INSTRUCTIONAL LEAGUE

14 to Adult
8 classes: November - March
Sundays, 3:00 - 5:00 PM
\$65

LEARN TO CURL

12 to Adult
Class is 2 nights, November 2nd and 3rd
6:00 - 8:00 PM
\$15



BEGINNING BELLY DANCE

Tuesdays: 6:00 - 7:00 PM
September 15th - December 8th
\$88



STRETCH AND TONE-MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS

Monthly class, continues year round based on enrollment.

4:30 - 5:30 PM
Fee varies based on sessions/month or there is a \$10 drop in rate.



WALKING FOR YOUR HEALTH

Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs: 4 - 7 PM
Fridays: 10 - noon
October 5th - May 28th
Closed for Spring break March 15th-19th.
THHS & Minne
\$5



RISE AND REP - WOMEN'S LIFTING

September 1st - 29th
Tuesdays & Thursdays
6:00 - 7:30 AM
\$45 Monthly or a \$8 drop in fee
Monthly class, continues year round based on enrollment.

ADULT OPEN WEIGHT ROOM

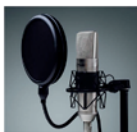
September 10th - December 21st
7:00 - 8:00 PM
\$15

GENERAL INTEREST



TWO HARBORS QUILTERS

Usually the second Thursday of each month.
6:30 - 8:30 PM
\$20
Questions? Call Luanne Ellingsen at 218-834-4794.



DISCOVER VOICE-OVER: LEARN HOW TO MAKE MONEY VOICING COMMERCIALS

October 17th 12:00 - 2:00 PM OR
December 9th 6:00 - 8:00 PM
\$25



DRIVER IMPROVEMENT, 55+ DRIVER DISCOUNT PROGRAM

September 15th OR October 6th OR November 4th
5:00 - 9:00 PM
\$24

thrivent® 5 KEYS TO RETIRING FEARLESSLY

September 15th
OR November 17th
6:00 - 7:00 PM
\$5



SOCIAL SECURITY: YOUR QUESTIONS ANSWERED

September 22nd
5:30 - 6:00 PM
\$5

THE LONG-TERM CARE PUZZLE - HOW POWERS OF ATTORNEY, TRUSTS, INSURANCE, AND MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FIT TOGETHER

Instructor: Ruthanne Vos
October 29th
5:00 - 6:30 PM
\$5



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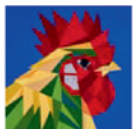
YOUR KID'S PHONE: A PARENT'S SURVIVAL GUIDE

November 5th
12:00 - 1:00 PM
\$25
Online

TWO HARBORS COMMUNITY EDUCATION

SWIPE SMART: A SAFETY GUIDE TO DATING APPS

December 8th
12:00 - 1:00 PM
\$25
Online



BARN QUILT WORKSHOP

October 22nd
5:30 - 9:30 PM
Registration Fee: \$35

Materials/Supplies fee \$70.00. Paid to the instructor the night of the class.



ELECTRIC VEHICLE CURIOUS?

September 10th AND 17TH (2-part class) 6:00 - 8:00 PM

\$29 (Proceeds will be donated to THHS Environmental Club)

YOUTH ACTIVITIES

AGATE FLAG FOOTBALL

Tuesday & Wednesdays Sept 15th - Oct 14th.
4:00 - 5:15 PM
\$50 (includes t-shirt)



TWO HARBORS HOOPS CLUB

- Lil Agates
(K-2nd Grade)
6 Practice Days:
Saturday mornings
at 8:30 - 9:30 AM

2 Game Days: one at Silver Bay and one at THHS (dates TBD)
January 9th - February 27th
\$30.00 (includes a TH Hoops Club shirt)

Two Harbors Hoops Club - Agates (3rd Grade)

13 Practice Days: Saturday mornings at 8:30-9:30 AM & Wednesdays after school January 9th - February 27th
2 Game Days: one at Silver Bay and one at THHS (dates TBD)
\$40.00 (includes a TH Hoops Club shirt).

Two Harbors Hoops Club - Agates (4th-6th Grade)

Practice 3 days a week (might add in a few practices)
Games/tournaments at least 2 Saturdays via the Arrowhead League
November 16th - Mid February
\$80 (includes a TH Hoops Club t-shirt)

ESPORTS

7th Grade & Up November - March
Monday - Thursday
4:00 - 6:30 PM Price: TBD



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\$55

All Classes for 13 years and up. All classes online.

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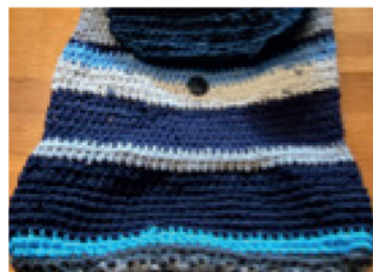
MAKING SUSTAINABLE YARN FROM T-SHIRTS

6th Grade & Up
November 3rd OR December 1st
5:30 - 7:30 PM
\$30



CROCHETED TOY BASKET WITH REPURPOSED TSHIRT YARN

6th Grade & Up
November 11th
5:30 - 7:30 PM
\$30



CROCHETED JOURNAL BAG WITH REPURPOSED TSHIRT YARN

6th Grade & Up
December 10th
5:30 - 7:30 PM
\$30



SAVORING THE HARVEST

September 24th
6-7:30 PM
\$25

PLANTING FOR POLLINATORS

October 8th
6-7:30 pm
\$20

CRAFTING WITH DRIED FLOWERS

November 5th
6-7:30 PM
\$35

PLANT PROPAGATION

December 3rd
6-7:30 PM
\$25

Kids in grades K-5 are invited to join

CUB SCOUTS

Why Cub Scouts?

EXPLORE THE OUTDOORS

ARCHERY & GAMES

GO ON A CAMPOUT

LEARN NEW SKILLS

LEARN COOL STUFF

DISCOVER NEW PLACES

HAVE A TON OF FUN!!!

MEET NEW FRIENDS



Call Patrick Hahn for more information
218-740-4523 | phahn@northernstar.org





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Two Harbors, MN 55616
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Two Harbors Community Education

(218) 834-8201 #8227

Minnehaha Elementary School

Grades PreK – 5
421 7th Street
Two Harbors, MN 55616
(218) 834-8221

William Kelley School

Grades PreK – 12
137 Banks Blvd.
Silver Bay, MN 55614
(218) 226-4437

Silver Bay Community Education

(218) 226-4437 #8137

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site. <https://www.facebook.com/#!/LSSDCE>
Make us your resource for information!

Community Education's Mission:

Lifelong learning is a right of all Lake Superior School District citizens so that they may enjoy the laughter of childhood, the acceptance of youth, the fulfillment of adult life, and the compassion of old age.

Lake Superior School District
www.isd381.k12.mn.us