Evergreen Updates
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Good Evening Evergreen Families,
Here are a few items for your attention:

Report Cards
This week our staff and students reached another milestone for the year. Wednesday marked the first day of the third trimester of the school year! With the closing of a trimester comes report cards. We sent them home with your child today and they should be located in their backpack. Our remote families should have received their children's report cards via email. We encourage you to find your child's areas of success and celebrate them together. We have seen tremendous growth and resilience in our students over the course of this year and are so very proud of each of them!

March Reading Challenge and Fundraiser - PTO
It gives me great pleasure to share with you that, as of earlier this week, the PTO has raised over $16,000 through the Reading Challenge and Fundraiser event. The PTO has been an amazing support organization for our students and staff over the years. Not only have they organized and sponsored events like our family dances and after-school parties, but they also support us through the funding of classroom trips, books, special events, scholarship support for families in need, classroom supplies, playground equipment, and so much more. So, I want to sincerely say "thank you" to each of our families who have supported their child's reading this month. Allendale is truly an amazing community to be a part of!

Good Time Friends Summer Adventure
Are you looking for dependable, educational, and structured summertime fun for your children? Good Time Friends Summer Adventure is offering full or part-time care for Allendale Public Schools students ages 5 through 5th grade (going into 6th), June 9 - August 20, 6:00 am - 6:00 pm. Contact Janis Lutz at lutzjan@apsfalcons.net or call 892-3914 before March 26.

Miles of Smiles
The Miles of Smiles program has been in operation for over 26 years. COVID-19 has impacted services, but they have slowly begun to start serving patients with added precautions. Although Miles of Smiles has not been stopping at school this year, they are still available to provide dental services. If interested, you can schedule an appointment by calling 616-393-5694 or visiting their website at www.miottawa.org/dental. See attached flyer for more information.

Total Trek Quest
Total Trek Quest (TTQ) is a program designed for boys in grades 3-5 and focuses on character development through fun, high-energy lessons. Their culminating annual event is a 5K run, which they train for during their time together. In April, the TTQ will begin! This spring the program will operate with carefully developed COVID-19 safety protocols and will offer a virtual option or hybrid option (one day per week is virtual and one day is in person). All in-person practices will be held outdoors at local Ottawa County parks. To register your child for TTQ, please go to https://www.raceplanner.com/register/index/TTQspring21AO?sid=0642e5be9d3a4988b34b7b139e24b225.

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