

# SHOSHONE ELEMENTARY FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Farmer's National Bank/September 2019

	Beginning			Ending
Account Name	Balance	Income	Expenses	Balance
General Fund	\$4,361.78	\$573.01	\$10.59	\$4,924.20
Enrichments	\$54.85	\$84.00	\$18.33	\$120.52
Donation	\$0.00	\$500.00	\$0.00	\$500.00
	\$4,416.63	\$1,157.01	\$28.92	\$5,544.72

## September Debits/Credits

	Amount	Outstanding	Cleared
9/5 Debit Walmart/Rock Painting Enrichment Supplies	\$18.33		X
9/23 Debit Amazon.com/Dry Erase Markers for Special Ed.	\$10.59		X

## September Deposit

	Amount	Outstanding	Cleared
9/27 Deposit/Enrichments/Donation/Reimbursement	\$1,157.01		X

*Balanced with Statement*

*10/1/19 Kelly Sullivan*

*10/1/19 Wendy Acker*



# October 2019



Mrs. Wilkins, Principal

Shoshone Elementary

Wendy Auker, Secretary

## Principal's Message

"It takes a village to educate a child". I believe this to be true. As parents you are your child's first educator. The time your child spends on your lap, reading, and in conversation is pivotal to their success in school.

Being a parent is one of the most difficult and important jobs that you will ever have. Supporting, nurturing, and setting boundaries for a child is not an easy task; however, these attributes are the key to raising happy and productive people.

It is my desire that Shoshone Elementary is a school that works collaboratively with families in an effort to aid in the success of each child. I am grateful for each staff member and their desire to help your child be the best they can be. I am also grateful for the parents of our students, and all you do to help your child and support Shoshone Elementary.

I would like to thank all parents for the time you spend with your child. The time praising them for a job well done, hanging their work on the refrigerator, helping with homework, and giving them the love and support they need each day. Your dedication is evident in the lives of your children. Thank you for helping us create a new generation of leaders!

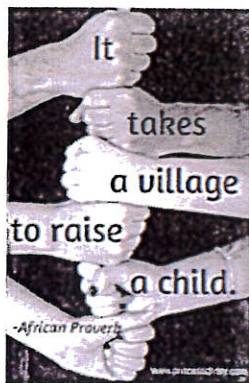
Best Regards,

Mrs. Wilkins  
Shoshone Elementary Principal

## Inter State Studios

Picture re-takes will be Wednesday, October 30, 8:30-10:30 a.m. More information will be sent home as we get closer to the scheduled date.

If you ordered a picture packet from the first Inter-State Studio session on September 19, and are not happy with your child's picture, please feel free to return your child's picture packet with retake marked on it.



## Parent Teacher Conference

Parent-teacher conferences are scheduled for Wednesday, October 23, and Thursday, October 24. Parent-teacher conferences are a very important opportunity for parents and teachers to forge partnerships in students' education. It is proven that children do better in school when parents are involved in their academic lives. A parent-teacher conference is a great opportunity to:

- start or continue ongoing conversations with your child's teacher
- learn how to help your kids do their best in school
- let your child know that what goes on in school will be shared at home

You will receive a note with your child's scheduled conference time. If you have more than one child attending our elementary we will try to schedule their conferences back to back. Please keep in mind that early evening conferences are the most requested time.

Conferences are scheduled every 15 minutes starting at 5:00 p.m. and going until 7:45 p.m. Please help your child's teacher stay on schedule by arriving on time. If more than 15 minutes is needed, schedule additional time with the teacher at a later date. Please help us reach our parent-teacher conference attendance goal of 100%!

## Changing Weather

October is a very unpredictable month for weather. Please dress your child according to the daily weather conditions. Students will go outside first thing in the morning and for recesses as long as the temperature does not drop below 19° or if it is raining.

With the flu season upon us please have your child get plenty of sleep and drink lots of fluids and most importantly, have them wash their hands several times a day. Let's keep those germs away!



## Spread Some Warmth



*Donate a new or gently used winter coat to children in need.*

If you have a clean winter coat, with a working zipper, children's size 5-14 you would like to donate please send it to school with your child. They can give it to their teacher or drop it off at the elementary office. We will find a good home for it!



## Halloween Party and Parade

Our Halloween party and parade will be held on Thursday, October 31. The parade will begin at approximately 8:30 a.m. starting with our 5<sup>th</sup> grade students. Students will parade through the elementary classrooms, over to the middle school wing and then into the high school hall. Classroom parties will be held at 3:30 P.M. Parents and family members are invited to attend our parade. Please sit in the lunchroom and the students will come through there in route to the middle school hall. If you would like to come back to school for your child's classroom party, please let the teacher know ahead of time and check in at the office before going to your child's room.

We encourage family friendly, non-violent costumes. Weapons of any kind will not be allowed. Fake blood is discouraged as part of their costume. This is frightening to some of our younger students. Face paint is acceptable. Please remember that school will be in session, so costumes should be comfortable. Students are welcome to bring a change of clothes. **Awards for K-2 and 3-5 students will be given for the following Halloween costumes:**

Best Overall      Most Original      Funniest  
Cutest      Creepiest  
Best Homemade



## Shoshone Parent Teacher Organization (P.T.O.)

Please join us at our next Shoshone Parent Teacher Organization (P.T.O.) meeting on Tuesday, October 1, at 4:30 p.m. in the school library.

## Daylight Saving Time Ends



## Scholastic Book Fair

Our annual Scholastic Book Fair will be held October 21-24 in our library. Students will have the opportunity to view and purchase books during their regular library time or before and after school. Parents can also purchase books before or after school and during parent-teacher conferences. Books make wonderful presents, so be sure and stop by our book fair when you come in for your child's conference. If you can't make it to our book fair but would like to purchase books you can do so by going to <http://bookfairs.scholastic.com/homepage/Shoshone>

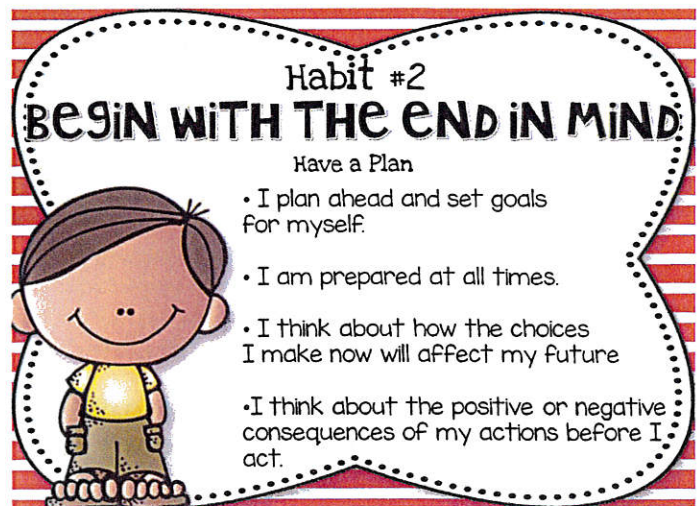
**Volunteers are needed to help with our book fair. If you have time and would like to help please call our librarian, Mrs. Owens, at 886-2381 ext. 345.**

## What is "The Leader in Me"

The Leader in Me helps students learn how to become self-reliant, take initiative, plan ahead, set and track goals, do their homework, prioritize their time, manage their emotions, be considerate of others, express their viewpoint persuasively, resolve conflicts, find creative solutions, value differences, and live a balanced life. The process helps students develop the skills and self-confidence they need to lead their lives and succeed in school and beyond. This is taught to students through the "7 Habits". They are as follows:

- Habit 1 – Be proactive
- Habit 2 – Begin with the end in mind
- Habit 3 – Put first things first
- Habit 4 – Think win-win
- Habit 5 – Seek first to understand, then to be understood
- Habit 6 – Synergize
- Habit 7 – Sharpen the saw

Each month we will highlight one of the habits. For more information about "The Leader In Me" you can visit the [www.leaderinmeonline.org](http://www.leaderinmeonline.org)



## Parent Reading Tip: What's "Just Right"?

Children feel confident and competent when they read books that are "just right." But how do you find a "just right" book? Have your child read the back and front cover, and first page of the book. If there are more than five words that he cannot pronounce or understand in context, the book may be too challenging. Be supportive about finding a more perfect fit. Choosing the right book will help your little reader feel successful.