

you're interested in joining the board, contact myself or come to a meeting.

February 14 no school K-5

February 17 no school K-12

Pen Pal Program:

The Pen Pal program is in full swing.

If you are interested for next year, let me know and I will put you on a waiting list.

Please have them contact me at

gfeducation123@gmail.com or phone: 507-390-4468.

February 2025 Newsletter

February Birthday's: *Melda Bang, Gloria Baker, Gene Drake, Sue Jacobson, JoAnn Nelson, Kay Schuster, and Grace Steele*

Happy Birthday!

Our Sponsors:

**United Way of Steele County
Federated Insurance Company
Walmart
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Our Volunteers**

GFE's email address is:

Gfeducation123@gmail.com

Website:

www.grandparentsforeducation.org

Board Meetings are the first Monday of the month. Meetings will start again March. All meetings held at the library 2nd floor conference room at 5:00. If

Lincoln Volunteer Opportunity

Lincoln Kindergarten started a program on reading to help students learn to read more easily and quickly. You would be reading one on one with students helping them go through the assignment. Times are between 8:40 and 10:40; choose your time and day or days of the week you would prefer and we will set you up with a teacher and a class. Just let me know when you would like to come and I will be there to help you get comfortable. We are looking for many volunteers to help us out with this project to see how well it works in the school.

OHS February School Play:

Play: Musical "Mamma Mia"

Dates still available:

Dates: Thursday, Feb. 27 (Tentative) 6:30

Saturday, March 1, 6:30

Sunday, March 2, 1:00

Thursday, March 6 (Tentative) 6:30

Saturday, March 8, 6:30

4 volunteers per show, 4 seats reserved

Not sure they will have tentative dates, usually used for snow days.

Personal Notes:

Below is our list of volunteers who are highly vulnerable. Please keep all of these wonderful members in your prayers and drop them a line when you can.

---Fred Ventura: Currently moved into a home in Albert Lea. Please keep him in your prayers and send cards to Fred & Diane Ventura, Good Samaritan Soc. Rm. 4803, 75507 240th St., Albert Lea, MN 56007.

--Corinne Talley is battling stage 2 colon cancer and she needs all your prayers to help her through this difficult time. Please send cards to: 221 South Walnut, Owatonna, MN 55060

--Mary Larson is mending well at home after breaking her hip. Please send cards and letters to: 9128 18th Street SE, Claremont, MN 55924

--Judy Horton-Holms Had her hip surgery and healing at home. Please send cards to: 160 24th Pl NW, Owatonna, MN 55060

--Nancy Karsten is healing. Please send cards to 1995 Raspberry Ridge Pl NE, Owatonna, MN 55060

--LeAnn Masche is recovering at home but her husband is not doing well. Please keep her in your prayers and send cards to 309 Lincoln Ave., Owatonna, MN 55060

--Sondra von Arb says hi to everyone and please keep her in your prayers and send those cards to Lakeshore Assisted Living, 150 8th Street NW, Apt. 205, Waseca, MN 56093.

--Sue Jacobsen, she is finally out and about but still in recovery, send cards and letters to 4650 County Road 180, Owatonna, MN 55060.

--Mary Overlee-Olson, send cards to 360 Thomas Ave., Owatonna, MN 55060

--Edith Zamboni's requesting emails: zamtwins@yahoo.com.

If you know of anyone else who needs our support and prayers through surgery or a long illness, please let me know.

Board Members:

Linda Breyer, Chairperson

Corinne Talley, Co-Chair

LuAnn Lafky, Treasurer, Fin. Advisor

MaryAnne Higgins, Secretary

Ron Barth

LeAnn Masche

Sondra von Arb, Ex-Officio