### **Family Nights**

The 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Center sponsors monthly family nights at 3 elementary schools throughout the district. Each family night consists of FREE dinner for the entire family, activities for children, and parent education.

Family night education topics include healthy family communication, alcohol and tobacco prevention, healthy activities, literacy, math, story telling, dancing, compassion, games and MORE!

"Family nights give parents and students an opportunity to learn and grow while spending time as a family. Families can also learn activities to do at home that will help their child grow academically."

-Kim Schumacher

Northside Elementary holds family nights/dads night about once a month throughout the school year. The family nights may include: open house, a game or craft night, speakers for parents, entertainment for families, Fine Arts fun night, Concerts, etc.

#### **Frequently Asked Questions**

# Will My Child Receive A Snack During the After School Program?

All after school participants will receive a free snack provided by the School Nutrition Program at some time during the ASP schedule.

## What Grades Does the Northside ASP serve?

Northside ASP serves students in grades Kindergarten – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade. The Boys & Girls Club takes older Elementary Students (3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade Students) in its program at the Erickson Site. Students who attend the Erickson site can get homework help if needed. Students in grades 2-5 can also attend Homework Hut at Northside Elementary on Tuesdays and Wednesdays after school. While recommendations for the program usually come from the teachers, parents are also welcome to inquire about their child participating.

### What Do After School Programs Cost For My Child To Participate?

All programs sponsored by the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Center are free to students at Northside Elementary/Coulee Montessori.

The Northside After School Program is funded through a 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Center Grant from the Department of Education. The School District of LaCrosse received a 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Center Grant to provide after school programming for students attending Northside and Northwoods Elementary Schools.

# Who Do I Contact If I Have Questions About the After School Program?

If you have questions regarding the After School Program, please contact Kim Schumacher, After School Program Coordinator at 607.789.6776.

## After School Program

### The Northside After School Program is held Monday–Friday from 2:55–5:00pm

The Northside After School Program is a wonderful opportunity for all students that is free of cost. When the normal school day has ended at 2:55 pm, the children who are in the program will check in and have snack, tutor and receive homework help, play outdoors or move in the classroom, and do an enrichment activity. The enrichment activity could include: games, puzzles, dancing, cooking, arts and crafts and more. Monday-Thursday involves group learning activities, as well as supervised homework completion. On Fridays, it is a celebration of learning, so we have a fun day. Students can register for After School Program at any time during the year.

If you have any questions regarding the Northside After School Program, please feel free to contact Kim Schumacher at 608.789.6776 or email at <a href="mailto:kschumac@lacrossesd.org">kschumac@lacrossesd.org</a>. Evaluation Records are available upon request.

#### **Mission Statement**

Northside mission is to provide a quality education for every student.

*Principal*Laura Huber

\*\*No child will be turned away due to transportation conflicts. The After School Program works with the BGC and Y Surround Card to ensure every child has a safe way home.\*\*



### Northside Elementary After School Program

Monday – Friday 2:55 – 5:00 p.m.

Sponsored By: 21st Century Community Learning Centers School District of LaCrosse

