



# School News

Helen Haller Elementary

## Letter from the Principal

Dear Helen Haller Families,  
Please take a few moments to look at the valuable information below from our district nurse. Thanks for taking the time to keep everyone safe.

- Our Covid-19 numbers in Clallam County continue to increase at an alarming rate. We returned to the high-risk category with 111 per 100k.
- Dr. Berry reports that the trend in cases seem to be younger folks and even children as of late.
- Many of the cases are the result of people travelling out of the area, with the situation worsened as people are not getting tested right away, making contact tracing very hard. In addition, indoor sports activities, and other indoor venues have contributed to this latest surge.
- The B117 strain is present in western Washington and likely responsible for the infections here to some degree.

To protect yourself, your family, friends, co-workers & community, remember:

- o COVID-19 is airborne
- o Limit indoor activities outside home
- o Avoid crowded and poorly ventilated indoor spaces
- o Avoid gathering indoors with unvaccinated people who do not live in the home
- o And PLEASE test for Covid if you have symptoms or concerns for exposure to Covid.

Additional Covid-19 travel self-quarantine and health information can be found on the Health Services District website at: Health Services - Sequim School District ([sequimschools.org](http://sequimschools.org))

### A LOOK AHEAD:

2021/2022 REGISTRATION  
NOW OPEN!

**21** PTO meeting, Via Zoom, 6pm

### PICTURE DAY IS COMING!

**May 11th—AA Group**

**May 13th—BB Group**

\*Times will be scheduled for remote learners on both days—  
more info to come.

## Registration is open!

Do you have a kindergartener or new student who will be attending Haller next year?  
Complete your registration today!

- Register online at [sequimschools.org](http://sequimschools.org).
- Pick up a registration packet from the HHE office and return when completed.

## PTO Meeting

Join the PTO on Wednesday, April 21st at 6pm via Zoom.

 [Click here to join](#) 

Meeting link: [https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82588781678?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82588781678?pwd=T0Z3Qk9QNxNSU3JleVFsdEdXbVFJUT09)  
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