



# Oakfield Elementary School

## MAY/JUNE 2018 IMPORTANT DATES AND INFORMATION

<u>DATES</u>	<u>EVENTS</u>
<p><b>5th Grade Promotion Ceremony</b> Our elementary students are growing up! The class of 2025, our current 5th grade class, will celebrate their <b>5th Grade Promotion on May 31st.</b></p> <p>The ceremony will take place in the OES Gym at 2:00 PM, followed by cake in the cafeteria. Families, relatives, and friends of the 5th grade students are invited to attend this special ceremony.</p>  <p>Then at 3:05 PM, the 5th graders will walk through the hallways of OES as students and staff clap for them for a “send off” to their middle school adventure. This is a memorable day for the students. I hope you can join us for the event.</p> <p><b>Summer School</b> Carmen Klassy, our Summer School Coordinator, is working feverishly to complete the summer school class rosters. Your child will receive their schedules by the end of May. - If you haven’t done so already, it is not too late to register for summer school. Please call Linda Garriety at 583-3146, to assist you with registering your children.</p> <p><b>The sessions and times are:</b> <b>Session One:</b> ● Mon., June 11 – Fri., June 29 <b>Session Two:</b> ● Mon., July 2 – Fri., July 20 <b>No School July 4</b> <b>Times: 8:00 AM – 12:30 PM</b></p>	<p><b>Screen-Free Week: April 30th - May 6th</b> A note was sent home with students earlier this week inviting them to participate in a Screen-Free Week. Students and their families can take a pledge to spend seven days screen-free. I hope you say - Challenge Accepted!</p>
<p>Mon., Apr. 30</p>	<p><b>3:15 pm Lemonade Day Club Meeting - Elementary IMC</b></p>
<p>Tues., May 1</p>	<p><b>6:00 pm PTO Meeting - Elementary IMC</b></p>
<p>Wed., May 2</p>	<p><b>5:30 pm Orientation for 2018-19 Incoming 6th Graders - Scheduling Night</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● For current 5th Grade students and parents</li> <li>● MS/HS Cafeteria</li> </ul>
<p>Thurs., May 3</p>	<p><b>3rd Grade Field Trip - Discovery World, Milwaukee</b> <b>5th Grade Field Trip - ACE Trip to Fond du Lac Sheriff's Department</b></p>
<p>Fri., May 4</p>	<p><b>Class Placement Parent Input Forms</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Due to OES office</li> </ul> <p><b>12:30 pm Wall of Fame Assembly</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 2nd grade presenting</li> <li>● Honoring our awesome OES volunteers</li> </ul> <p><b>1:15 pm Early Dismissal</b> <b>1:45-5:30 pm Blood Drive (MS/HS Cafeteria)</b></p>
<p>Sat., May 5</p>	<p><b>10:00 am-2:00 pm - Lemonade Day - Check out the Oakfield Elementary students locations:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Hoff's Quality Meats - 617 W Main St, Brownsville</li> <li>● Horicon Bank - 1207 W Johnson St, Fond du Lac (by Menards/Pizza Ranch)</li> <li>● Marian University Center for Health Professionals - 30 S Main, Downtown Fond du Lac</li> <li>● Piggly Wiggly - 100 Gateway Dr, Waupun</li> <li>● Shopko - 616 W Johnson St, Fond du Lac</li> </ul>
<p><b>Staff Appreciation Week: May 7th - May 11th</b> Please take time this week to let your child’s teachers know how much you appreciate their hard work and dedication towards your child’s education. :-) A kind note can go a long way!</p>  <p><b>OVER →</b></p>	

### End of the Year Assessments

Staff and students are working hard to complete end of the year benchmark assessments including PALS for grades 4K - 2, and iReady, Fountas and Pinnell, and AIMSweb for grades K - 5. All of these literacy and math assessments demonstrate your child's growth for this school year. They also provide great information for next year's staff to support the academic strengths and target areas for your child. You will learn more about the results of these assessments in your child's report card.



### Wrapping Up the Year

As I write this final monthly memo, I am reflecting on all of the wonderful opportunities and experiences that have occurred this school year. Then, I look ahead at all of the exciting events that are still to come... spring concerts, field trips, field day... the list goes on and on. We could not have done it without you. **THANK YOU** for being active participants in your child's education. Being a parent is extremely hard work. It is the hardest job there is. Being a partner with your child's teachers only makes the school experience more positive, meaningful, and effective. I am sure you have heard the saying, "It takes a village to raise a child". That statement speaks volumes when we all work together to model and support a **growth mindset** with our children. Thank you for all you do to make this happen at home because we are working just as hard at school!

Wed., May 9	<b>Kindergarten &amp; 1st Grade-Day on the Schmidt Farm in Oakfield - Field Trip</b> <b>Elementary Spring Concerts - OES Gym</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students are encouraged to wear dress-up clothes</li> <li>5:00 pm-Grades K, 2, 4-Students to classroom by 4:45 pm</li> <li>7:00 pm-Grades 1, 3, 5-Students to classroom by 6:45 pm</li> </ul> <b>6:00 pm 5th Grade Parent Safety Patrol Trip Meeting</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mr. Schepp's classroom</li> </ul>
Mon., May 14	<b>5:30 PM Committee of the Whole Board Mtg - MS/HS IMC</b>
Wed., May 16	<b>4th Grade Field Trip - Midwest Outdoor Heritage Education Expo (MOHEE) Poynette, WI</b>
May 17-May 18	<b>5th Grade Safety Patrol Trip - Wisconsin Dells</b>
Fri., May 18	<b>1:30 pm 4K See You Later Alligator Event - ES Gym</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Potluck following the ceremony</li> </ul>
Fri., May 25	<b>Kindergarten Field Trip - Henry Vilas Zoo, Madison</b> <b>2nd Grade Field Trip - Storybook Gardens, Sheboygan</b>
Mon., May 28	<b>NO SCHOOL - Memorial Day</b>
Tues., May 29	<b>Schoolwide Trip to Belle Reynolds Nature Trail</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>More information to follow</li> </ul>
Wed., May 30	<b>Oakfield Elementary Field Day</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kindergarten through 5th grade will participate in activities from 12:45 - 2:45 pm</li> </ul>
Thurs., May 31	<b>2:00 pm 5th Grade Promotion Ceremony - ES Gym</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cake to follow in the Cafeteria</li> </ul> <b>3:05 pm 5th Grade Clap-Out by all ES staff &amp; students</b>
Fri., June 1	<b>10:00 am End of the Year Awards Ceremony - ES Gym</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Picnic Lunch will be served for hot lunch students</li> </ul> <b>Last Day of School</b> <b>1:15 pm Early Dismissal</b>



**Be on the lookout for information about a reading and math challenge for this summer!**