



The Oak Leaflet

A Publication of the Oak Street School PTO



UPCOMING DATES

Monday, 10/10 - BOE Meeting

Wednesday, 10/12 - Picture Day (this date is incorrect in the Oak Street Calendar)

Monday, 10/17 - BOE Meeting

Monday, 10/19 – Signature Project, grades K-5

Tuesday, 10/25 – Friday, 10/28 – 1:00 dismissal (Parent/Teacher Conferences)

Monday, 10/31 – Halloween Parade

CURRICULUM ENHANCEMENT (CE) PROGRAMS BEGIN

The PTO-sponsored Curriculum Enhancement ("CE") programs kicked off on Wednesday with the Dirtmeister's program for the 4th grade. The students learned how rocks and minerals are formed and where they are located in the earth. This assembly supports the 4th grade science curriculum.

Over the course of the year, the PTO will sponsor two CE programs for each grade. CE programs expand upon the core curricula to enhance students' understanding of specific topics. Be sure to check the PTO calendar for the CE program dates scheduled through February 2012. Please note that the 3rd grade's Brick Academy Tours have just been planned for the second week of November. Spring programs are in the process of being scheduled.

After the programs occur, please take the opportunity to find out what your children learned from these fun-filled, educational programs. As wonderful as they are, please note the CE programs are for students and teachers only. Contact Alyson McCauley (dan.alyson@verizon.net) with any questions.

ATTENTION 5TH GRADE PARENTS

This is the last call to order a 5th grade t-shirt with the names of all of your child's classmates listed on the back! Please use the general spirit wear order form that can be found in the Friday Folder archives. Deadline for orders is October 12th. Please contact Kristin McQuaid (rkoes25955@aol.com) with any questions.

SHOW YOUR OAK STREET SCHOOL SPIRIT!

The deadline for this year's spirit wear orders has been extended to October 12th. This is the only chance to order Oak Street School Spirit Wear during this school year. The order form can be found in the September 23rd Friday Folder archives. Please contact Kristin McQuaid (rkoes25955@aol.com) with any questions.

SMILE! PICTURE DAY IS WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12TH

The much anticipated Picture Day is next week, Wednesday, October 12th. Please be sure to fill out your picture day form with your intended package choice, and have your child return it to school on or before Picture Day with payment.

And, as a reminder for the 5th Grade Photo, please send in a separate order form (in Friday Folder 9/30) and a \$15.00 check made out to Photo-Life, and be sure you OPT-IN to allow your child to be in the 5th grade photo (form also in Friday Folder 9/30).

Oak Street School's Class of 2012 Photo!

On picture day, the entire 5th grade class of 2012 will gather on the steps of Oak Street School for a photo.

Don't you want to own this piece of this history? You can!

This 8" x 10" photo is only \$15 and all profits from the sales of these photos will go toward the 5th grade end-of-the-year events. This year the group photo will not be on the cover of the yearbook, so this will be your only chance to have the entire grade in one picture.

The form, which can be found in the September 30th Friday Folder archives, **MUST be returned by Monday, October 10th.** The form which allows us to take your child's photo - the Photo Use Form - must also be filled out prior to this photo. **That form can be found in the September 23rd Friday Folder Archives.** If you have any questions, please email Christine Ziegler at cugz@optonline.net.

GENEROUS JEANS

Teachers are donating \$5 to wear jeans to work. If you see a teacher wearing jeans on October 7 that means that they donated \$5 to breast cancer awareness. Ms. LaVecchia will donate the money to a breast cancer awareness softball tournament on behalf of the staff of Oak Street School. This will be our 6th year donating money! What generous teachers we have at Oak Street School! For more information go to:

www.wraparoundsports.org