



NOVEMBER 2023



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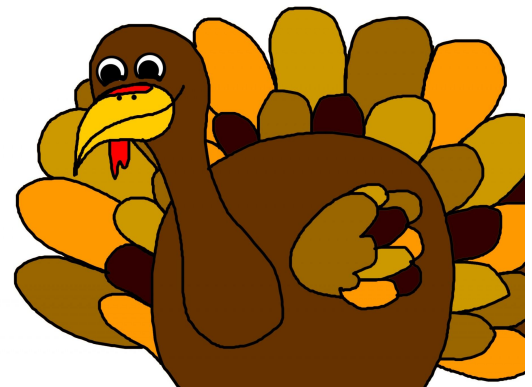
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[Oster-Oakview
w School](http://Oster-OakviewSchool.com)

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Happy November! This time of year allows us to reflect on the things that we are thankful for. I am thankful for my family and our school community! Events like the Trunk or Treat are wonderful times to see our school community come together to provide an amazing time for our families. I was so thankful that the rain held off as long as it did and to see everyone having so much fun! This month we are going to practice showing gratitude and participate in a gratitude activities as part of our routine. Students will be participating in journaling and other activities where they will be able to share what they are grateful for. Ask your child to share their thoughts and journal with you.

Thank you to all of our families for a wonderful school year so far. We truly appreciate everything you are doing to help ensure a great year. We are looking forward to scheduling Parent Teacher conferences either in person or on zoom. Information about signing up for conferences was sent out by the District Office and has been included in this newsletter.

Ms. Baumann & Mrs. Swiech

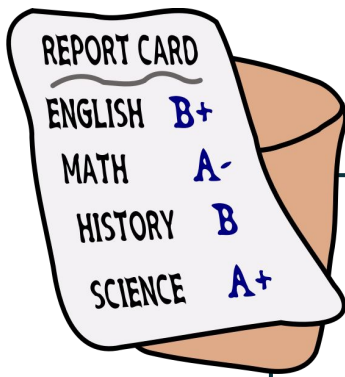


CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- | **5** - DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS - Turn clocks back
- | **10** - Red, White and Blue Day- Support our Veterans
- | **13-21** ***BOOK FAIR***
- | **13** - Trimester 2 Begins
- | **13** - World Kindness Day-Wear Positive Messages T-Shirt
- | **14** - American Education Visits
- | **14** - School Board Meeting
- | **15** - Picture Retake Day
- | **16** - Family Night and Book Fair
- | **16** - PTO meeting - 7:30 am Spencer Pointe School
- | **17** - Barbie vs Ken Day
- | **17** - TRIMESTER 1 REPORT CARDS GO HOME (see
| newsletter for more information)
- | **17** - ½ DAY - **10:35am DISMISSAL** - SCHOOL
| IMPROVEMENT DAY
- | **20-21** - NO SCHOOL - PARENT/ TEACHER
| CONFERENCES
- | **20-24** - THANKSGIVING BREAK

| ****Please look at the Oakview Public Calendar to see more
events. Click below***

| [Oakview Calendar](#)



Report Cards via Powerschool

In the afternoon of November 17, 2023, parents/guardians of students in grades 1-8 will receive their child's report card via the email listed in PowerSchool. The report card can also be accessed through PowerSchool on this date. Report cards for students at Cherry Hill School and Spencer Trail School will be given to parents/guardians during their child's parent-teacher conference or sent home with their goal reports.

NURSE'S NOTES



Here's how to tell:

Stay home if....

Your child feel too sick for regular activities	Cough & other cold symptoms
Temp above 100.4	Fever
You suspect Flu	Achy, Vomiting
Your child has a migraine-throbbing, severe pain With fatigue or sensitive to light	Headache
Your Dr. suspects Strep	Sore Throat
Your child is vomiting or diarrhea	Stomach or GI issues
Redness or itchy all over your body	Rash

We are in FLU season....if your child feels ill, please call them off school.
815-485-2125.

Send them back to school once they are symptom/fever free for 24 hours.

Hello Oster-Oakview Family and Friends,

I can't believe we are already in November! This school year is flying by!

In November, I always like to call it "Random Games November". We will be playing different games and activities that rely on different physical skills as well as they will be learning and utilizing different strategies to be successful in those games and activities. These are activities that wouldn't fit into any of the other sport units but are really fun and the kids enjoy! This will take us to Parent/Teacher Conferences and Thanksgiving Break.

Go Eagles!

Mr. Kman



Preschool Screenings

New Lenox School District will be screening children from ages three to five in the areas of motor, cognitive, and speech/language development. Early childhood educators will present "game like" activities to your child which assess various development skills. All preschoolers who reside in our district are eligible to attend free of charge. This is a preschool screening, **not** a kindergarten readiness screening. This year the screenings will be held at Cherry Hill Elementary and Early Childhood Center.



Screening Dates:

November 17th, 2023

March 8th, 2023

May 10th, 2023

Call Cherry Hill School at 815-462-7831 to schedule an appointment.



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Parents,

November is the month for two safety videos; How do you relate to your child (5) and Who can they talk to online (6). Attached is the parent login information for Be Sure Consulting for Cyber Safe Schools. If you would like to watch the student videos with your child, please see the following login information. We will not be showing the student videos at school.

Parent login:

URL: vimeo.com/showcase/nlsp

Password: NLSP623!

Student login:

URL: vimeo.com/showcase/nlss

Password: NLSS876!

Notes from the Easel

Hello Oakview families. It's Mr. McDivitt with another look at what the students at Oster Oakview are doing in art.



4th grade is starting a painting/Drawing based on the work of Henri Matisse. They will be using the Fauvist technique to paint the landscape.



5th grade is finishing up their Monochromatic tree painting, and getting ready to start weaving their Bracelets inspired by Native American art and culture. Students will use rubber bands as their warp so their bracelet will have some flexibility.



6th grade will learn all about one point perspective to help create this realistic view of a covered bridge. They learn how to create depth in a landscape by drawing objects larger and closer to the viewer and smaller and farther away from the viewer. I love doing these in the fall so the students can use lots of colors in the trees and surrounding environment.

Remember to ask your child what they are doing in art class. Projects usually come back later in the year so they won't really have much to show you until then. Please email me with any questions, and once again, thank you for your support of the fine arts.

Mr. McDivitt

Signing Out Procedures

When coming to pick up your student during the school day, for any reason, please bring your photo ID. You will be buzzed into our foyer and then buzzed into the office to have your ID scanned. At that point you will sign your child out on the IPAD. If you could, please call the office in advance making us aware that you are picking up your child early.

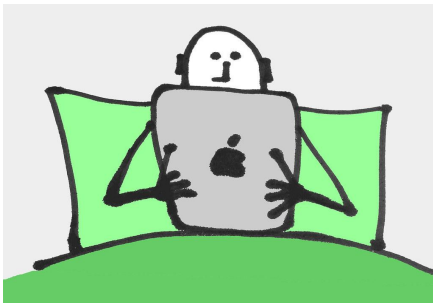


Dropping off Items

When dropping off items during school hours, (lunches, backpacks, homework, iPads, etc.) please leave them on the table in the vestibule. Please make sure your child's name is on the item. We will continually check the table throughout the day.

Attendance

If your child will be absent from school, you're required to call the office at (815) 485-2125 to report the absence. This is a 24 hour line, so you can call any time: Please leaves message if calling after hours.



Technology Help

If your student is having trouble with technology, please create a "support ticket" by going to the New Lenox School District Website (see link) and follow the steps:

- <https://www.nlsd122.org/c/index.php/departments/technology/technology-help>

	LUNCH	RECESS
GRADE 6	10:55 - 11:15	11:15 - 11:30
GRADE 5	11:35 - 11:55	11:55 - 12:10
GRADE 4	12:10 - 12:30	12:30 - 12:45



Lines from the LRC

October was a busy month in the LRC! Each grade level focused on strengthening their skills with their Google Apps. Fourth Grade students completed a scavenger hunt to familiarize themselves with Google Classroom. Fifth graders focused on using Google Docs and all of its features. Finally, sixth graders polished up their Google Slides skills. They did a great job creating backgrounds, adding photos and even animating their presentations.

November means Book Fair time in the library! Our **Book Fair** will be held from November 13th through the 21st. Your child will be receiving a schedule in the next few weeks to let them know when their shopping time will be. The Book Fair will also be open during Parent Teacher Conferences. This is a great time to get started on some holiday shopping and help our school library in return. Our library receives back **55 PERCENT** of our Book Fair sales to purchase new books, how awesome is that!? Please be on the lookout for more Book Fair information in the coming weeks!

Happy Reading,
Mrs. Lasak



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Parent/Teacher conferences will be held November 17 (Cherry Hill and Kindergarten only), November 20 (all students), and November 21 (all students). To register for a conference, please visit the district website at <http://www.nlsd122.org> and navigate to the **Parents and Students** menu, then select **Schedule Parent Teacher Conferences**. **Conference registration will open to all parents October 30 and close Nov 10 at 11:59 p.m.** If you need to register for conferences or change your conference registration after Nov 10, please contact the school office.

Social Work News and Updates:

Happy November!

The month of November brings one of my favorite days of the year... World Kindness Day. How can you participate? You can consider performing random acts of kindness, practice self kindness, create a ripple of kindness, or spread some kindness online.

I am including a few resources for you to celebrate and help spread some kindness!

[Random Acts of Kindness Foundation- Kindness at Home](#)

[Ripple Kindness Project](#)

[We Are Teachers Free Kindness Bundle](#)



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE BOYS 23-24 BASKETBALL TEAM!

Brandon Amador
Owen Brosius
Hunter Eggleston
Ethan Fookes
Cameron Hood
Kevin Hurley
Cameron Lask
Nicholas Litsogannis
Peter Lotus
Zeke Mol
Michael Morrison
Mason Muthart
Keegan Norberg
Henry Radnis
Gavin Reyna
Jackson Strein
Elliot Sweeney
Cole Trevino
Collin Veach
Liam Ward

