



September 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians of Oldham Elementary 5th Grade Students,

Fifth grade is a wonderful year full of fantastic activities and events that help our students celebrate their time at the J. P. Oldham Elementary School before moving on to middle school. The 5th grade committee has begun planning to ensure that the year is extra special for our graduating class of 2020! More committee members are welcome so please make sure to note interest on the next page if you'd like to be involved.

As in previous years there are separate, additional "dues" for the 5th grade year that help to cover the following activities:

- **5th Grade Yearbook** - *Please see the request for baby pictures below!*
- **Bus Transportation** - *There are TWO field trips*
- **End of Year Celebration Luncheon**
- **5th Grade T-shirts** - *Students will be encouraged to wear these on special activity days*
- **5th Grade Graduation**

This year's 5th Grade dues request is \$50. Please return this form and dues payment by **Friday, October 18th**, this helps offset some of the costs of the activities ALL students can participate in this year.

Yearbook Needs:

Work will begin soon on the 5th grade yearbook. As in years past, we would like to feature **baby photos of each student** and are hoping you can share them with us. We are also looking for any class pictures from Kindergarten through 4th grade. These are due to Tricia O'Brien by **Monday, December 16th**. Please make sure to include your child's full name on the photo for identification purposes. *You can submit the photos in several ways:*

- Email a .jpg file (*minimum* size 1mB) to Tricia O'Brien (triciaobrien20@gmail.com)
- Provide them on a disk or thumb drive and give them to Mr. Perry, or Mr. Maffei. **Submitting baby photos confirms that you would like to have them included in the yearbook.*

Volunteers:

Many hands make light work. **Please see the volunteer sheet attached and let us know how you can help. Any time, no matter how little, is greatly appreciated.**

We will be in touch throughout the year with updates and further information about activities and events planned for your student. In the meantime, please contact Lauren Brent (lgriffin@norwoodlight.com) or Carol Siekman (siekman.carol@gmail.com) with any questions.

Thank you from the 5th Grade Committee!