



April 25, 2018

Hello Westside Families –

Please take a moment to look over our notes and **May Newsletter** which are attached.

A couple reminders and a thank you for PTO:

- This Friday, April 27 is Fang Reading Night at the Timber Rattler Game - the game starts at 6:35 and the first 1,000 fans get an umbrella!
- [Our Community Events are linked here and also listed in our May Newsletter.](#)
- Our staff would like to thank PTO for the donation of books to the Book Nook throughout the year! Our children have enjoyed reading the plethora of books we were able to purchase. The books were used not only for individual readers, but also to run numerous book clubs. We couldn't have done it without the generous help of our PTO!

As always, please give us a call if you have any questions. Thank you!

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WESTSIDE EAGLES UPDATE



May, 2018

A Message from our Principal

Greetings Westside Community!

May is here and it looks like spring is too! I don't ever remember having so much snow so late in April. However, my family took advantage of it and did a lot of extra sledding and snow fort building! I hope your children took advantage of the extra winter and got outside too. This type of weather makes it fun to live in Wisconsin. The bad weather really makes average days feel amazing!

I hope all of you have taken notice that we have tried to engage our parents and guardians more this year. We have done two walk to school days, expanded our 5K concert and had an informal open house afterwards, not to mention multiple, fun PTO events! In addition, on May 9th we will be also doing a bike to school event. We hope many of you can attend that event as well. All the staff at Westside have enjoyed socializing with you at these events.

We at Westside know that the stronger our parent - school connection is, the better things will be for your child at school. This will be a continued focus for our school next year. I have reviewed our community survey results, and there was much to celebrate about your perception of how we are doing at Westside. Many of you responded that you were very happy with how we communicate and engage you, however, there is also room for growth here as well. Going into next year, we will be working harder to keep you even better informed and involved with what is going on at school. We appreciate the time you spent to do the survey and we welcome your continued feedback. As always, feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns.

Warm Regards,

Jonathan Peterson



5/3—4th Grade to Ledgeview

5/4—Crazy Sock Day

5/4—2nd Grade to YMCA

5/9—National Bike to School Day

5/10—4th Grade Egg Drop

5/11—NOON Dismissal

5/14—Mapleview Orientation for
4th Grade Families

5/18—Safety Patrol to Wisc Dells

5/18—2nd Grade to Bubolz

5/18—Class Color Day

5/22—Grades 1 & 4 to Skate City

5/24—PTO Carnival

5/25—4th Grade Field Day

5/25—NOON Dismissal

5/28-NO SCHOOL-Memorial Day

5/29—3rd Grade to Super Bowl

5/31—4th Grade Celebration

5/31-LAST Day of School!

Looking Ahead for 2018-19:

Paperwork and Picture Day

Monday, August 20—12:00-6:00

**School Supply Drop-Off-Meet the
Teacher**

Wednesday, August 29--3:00-5:00

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL-Sept 4

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OFFICE HOURS: 7:30-4:00



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COMMUNITY EVENTS—ON THE KASD WEBSITE

WI DNR Boater Safety Classes, March, April and May, various dates and locations offering
YMCA Kids Fun Night, April 28, 2018
Girls Intro to Hockey at Fox River Girls Hockey Club, April and May 2018
Kimberly High School Car Show May 19, 2018

4H Summer Camp at Upham Woods Outdoor Learning Center July 8-12, 2018

YMCA Camp Nan A Bo Sho Summer 2018 Camp Offerings

2018 Baseball/Softball/Tee Ball Registration for Combined Locks Rec. Dept.

2018 Baseball Registration and Information for Kimberly Park and Rec.

2018-2019 School Year

ENROLLMENT NUMBERS: We have started to work on our enrollment numbers for the 2018-19 school year! If you know your child(ren) will not be in the Kimberly School District next year, please notify our office as soon as possible. Thank you!

4K & 5K Registration is ongoing: Please register your children as soon as possible so we can plan for next year! Here is a link to the online registration page on our website. In addition to the online registration process, please stop by either the 4K Center or Westside with a your child's birth certificate so we can confirm his/her birth date. Please give us a call if you have any questions—thank you! 920-739-3578

5th Grade Orientation at MAPLEVIEW

ATTENTION 4th GRADE Families: **5th Grade Orientation** for next year will take place at **Mapleview Intermediate School** on **MONDAY, May 14th :**

5:00-5:50—Band Orientation; Gym (Band Students Only)

6:00-6:30—Incoming Student Orientation; Gym (All Students)

6:30-7:00—Self-Guided Tour and Information Stations (Optional)

Medication Pick Up

For children whose parents/guardians have provided medications kept at school, you are reminded to pick them up from the Westside office by May 31, 2018. It will not be sent home with your child, with the exception of over-the-counter medication and inhalers. Any medications not picked up by May 31, 2018 will be disposed of.

For those children who receive prescription or over-the-counter medications this school year ***and have enrolled in summer school***, your child's medications will be sent to the school where they will have their classes. Parents/guardians are reminded to pick up the medication from the summer school office by the last day. The medications will not be sent home with your child, with the exception of over-the-counter medications and inhalers. Medications not picked up by the end of summer school will be disposed of.



GREAT THINGS ARE HAPPENING HERE!

There are many fun events to look forward to during the last month of school for students in **fourth grade**. Along with their regular studies, they have many extra activities and events planned:

- A fun event each year is the "Egg Drop". Students create a device to keep their egg "safe" when it's dropped from the roof of school. It is a fun afternoon with a lot of laughs. (May 10)
- May is the time for instrument try-outs for students wishing to be a part of the band next year at Maplevue Intermediate. (May 1 & 2)
- Safety Patrol students have a fun-filled trip to Wisconsin Dells in May. (May 18)
- Westside fourth graders join the fourth graders from the KASD for a "field day". (May 25)
- Fourth grade and their first grade buddies take a field trip to Skate City for an afternoon in May. (May 22)
- Finally, graduation day for fourth grade students is on the last day of school. (May 31—9:00 AM)





MAY 2018



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3 4th Grade to Ledgview Nature Center 8:40-3:00	4 Crazy Sock Day!  2nd Grade to YMCA 12:35-3:20	5
6	7	8	9 National Bike to School Day 	10 4th Grade Egg Drop	11 NOON DISMISSAL	12
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20	21	22 1st Grade & 4th Grade Buddies to Skate City- 12:45-3:00	23	24 PTO Carnival 	25 4th Grade Field Day-AM NOON DISMISSAL	26
27	28 NO SCHOOL Happy Memorial Day! 	29 3rd Grade to Super Bowl 12:15-2:45	30	31 4th Grade Celebration 9:00 am LAST DAY!!	Happy Summer! 	



FORE! OUR KIDS

16th ANNUAL GOLF OUTING

Thursday, June 14, 2018 / High Cliff Golf Course, Sherwood

Benefitting Students in the Kimberly Area School District and Community

- Life Force
- JRG Rocks
- Post Prom
- Graduation Celebration
- Paperfest
- Kimberly July 4th Fireworks

GOLF TEAMS and SPONSORS NEEDED!

For more information contact Sara Vogel svogel@kimberly.k12.wi.us or 920-423-4122
Register online at: <https://www.planmygolfevent.com/31433-FOREOURKIDS2018>





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