

May 1, 2019

Hello Westside Families –

Happy May! Please take a moment to look at our notes for this week. Our May Newsletter/Calendar is attached and it is packed with information to keep you up-to-date. Also, please see the flyer regarding the puzzle pieces your child(ren) are bringing home today. [The latest edition of *School Matters* can be found by clicking here.](#)

LOOKING AHEAD:

Tuesday, May 7 – WOODLAND Intermediate NEW Student Orientation – 6:00-7:00 (Band Meeting 5:00-6:00-Woodland Commons) Please see attached flyer for details!

Wednesday, May 8 – BIKE TO SCHOOL Day at Westside – please see attached flyer! ALSO, we rescheduled our **Munchin' with Metro** to this date due to the rainy weather yesterday. Our friends from the Fox Valley Metro Police Department will be here to share lunch and recess with our students! We are grateful for their service to our community and their presence in our school district!

Friday, May 10 – NOON Dismissal AND Inside-Out Day

Tuesday, May 14 – MAPLEVIEW Intermediate – Incoming 5th Grade & New Student Orientation – Please see attached flyer for details!

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COMMUNITY EVENTS:

[FORE! Our Kids Golf Outing](#), June 13, 2019 at High Cliff Public Golf Course

American Red Cross [Free Smoke Alarm Installation Event](#), Saturday, May 4, 2019

[Kimberly High School Car Show](#): Saturday, May 18, 2019,

Kimberly Area Running Club [Family Fun Run Series](#) June 9, June 23, June 7 - run one, or run them all!

Summer 2019 [YMCA Camp Nan A Bo](#) Sho Flyer

[Upham Woods Summer Camp](#) June 30 - July 3, 2019

Kimberly Park and Recreation [Summer Program Guide](#)

Enjoy the rest of the week, and please feel free to give us a call if you have any questions.

Anne Appleton
920-739-3578



WESTSIDE EAGLES UPDATE



May, 2019

5/2—1st Grade to Bay Beach

5/3—2nd Grade to YMCA

5/7—Woodland Intermediate Orientation for 4th Grade Families

5/8- Bike to School Day

5/9-PTO Meeting-6:30

5/10—NOON Dismissal

5/14—Mapleview Orientation for 4th Grade Families

5/16—Safety Patrol to Wisc Dells

5/23-4th Grade Egg Drop

5/24—NOON Dismissal

5/24—4th Grade Field Day

5/27-NO SCHOOL-Memorial Day

5/30-3rd Grade to Heritage Hill

5/31-2nd Grade to Mosquito Hill

6/4-Grades 1 & 4 to Skate City

6/5—PTO Carnival

6/6—4th Grade Celebration

6/6-LAST Day of School!

6/7-Westside Night at the Timber Rattler Game-7:05

LOOKING AHEAD TO NEXT YEAR:

Picture Day-Monday August 12— 11:00-6:00

School Supply Drop Off & Meet the Teacher—August 28—3:00-5:00

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL-Sept 3

A Message from our Principal

Greetings from Westside!

We have made it to May! The weather isn't quite cooperating, but it sure beats snow at this point. As we reach the conclusion of our year things sure get busy! At school we are finishing up our state testing, getting ready for Mother's and Father's day, going on field trips, and then all the stuff we "normally" do.

As a parent of elementary students we are busy at home too! Spring sports are underway, we still have our music lessons and every school has things going on after school...it feels like May is a race to June. This is a hard time for our children because of all this. If you are feeling stressed, I guarantee your children are too; they just show it differently. I encourage you to watch for signs of your child's stress level rising.

My daughter had an EPIC melt down yesterday over practicing her guitar for 20 minutes. You would have thought I had asked her to run a marathon! She felt rushed to do that AND get ready for her concert! In addition, I am pretty sure she was hangry (Hungry/Angry) and tired from a long day at school. :) When days like that happen at our house, we try to get to bed a little earlier and try to take something off their plate. Sometimes that is homework, or a few chores around the house. Please don't let school work become the reason for a tough night at home this May. Your children are all working hard at school, and it is ok to take an evening off once in awhile.

Speaking of being busy with fun things.... We hope you can join us for our Bike to School event on Wednesday, May 8th!

Warm regards,

Jonathan Peterson
Principal



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OFFICE HOURS: 7:30-4:00



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2019-2020 School Year—Annual Update

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ENROLLMENT NUMBERS: We are working on our enrollment numbers for the 2019-2020 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! (If your child is currently attending the 4K Center, you do not have to register him/her for 5K—he/she will automatically be enrolled for 5K at Westside.) Here is a link to the online registration page on our website. Please give us a call if you have any questions—thank you! 920-739-3578

5th Grade Orientation at MAPLEVIEW & WOODLAND INTERMEDIATE

ATTENTION 4th GRADE Families ⇔ 5th Grade Orientation Information

Woodland Intermediate—Tuesday, May 7

Band Students—5:00-6:00 in the Woodland School Commons

Presentation, Overview, and Self-Guided School Tours—6:00-7:00

Mapleview Intermediate —Tuesday, May 14th

Band Students—5:00-5:50 in the Mapleview Gym

Orientation and Staff Introductions—6:00-6:30

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

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 June 6, 2019. 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 June 13, 2019 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:




- Safety Patrol students have a fun-filled trip to Wisconsin Dells in May. (May 16)
- 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 23)
- Westside fourth graders join the fourth graders from the KASD for a "field day". (May 24)
- Fourth grade and their first grade buddies take a field trip to Skate City for an afternoon in June. (June 4)
- Finally, graduation day for fourth grade students is on the last day of school. (June 6 — 9:00 AM)





MAY/JUNE 2019

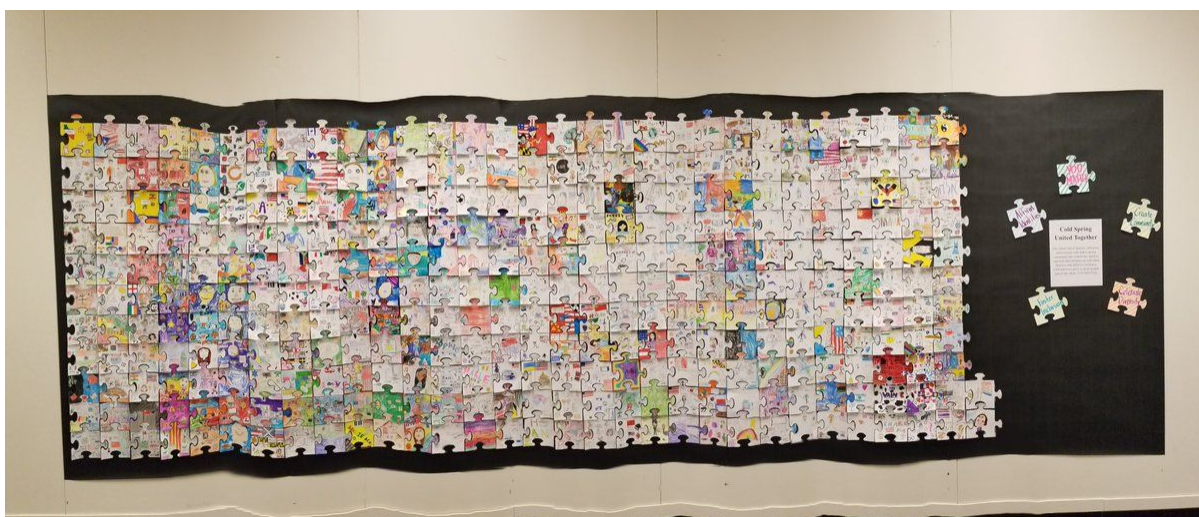


Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 4th Grade to Mapleview for Band Concert- 8:40-10:15	2 1st Grade to Bay Beach 9:15-1:45	3 2nd Grade to YMCA 12:30-3:30	4
5 TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK 	6	7 5th Grade Orientation at WOODLAND Intermediate-see flyer	8 Bike to School Day 	9	10 INSIDE-OUT Day NOON DISMISSAL	11
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19	20	21	22	23 4th Grade Egg Drop-PM	24 Field Day for 4th Grade-JRG Twin Day NOON DISMISSAL	25
26	27 NO SCHOOL Happy Memorial Day! 	28	29	30 3rd Grade to Heritage Hill 8:45-2:30	31 2nd Grade to Mosquito Hill 8:45-3:00	JUNE 1
JUNE 2	JUNE 3	JUNE 4 1st & 4th Grade to Skate City	JUNE 5 PTO Carnival	JUNE 6 4th Grade Celebration 9:00 LAST DAY OF SCHOOL!	JUNE 7 Westside Night at the Timber Rattler Game 7:05	JUNE 8

YOU ARE A PART OF US!

WE WANT TO CELEBRATE THE "BESTSIDE" OF WESTSIDE...YOU! AS PART OF THIS CELEBRATION, WE ARE ASKING YOU TO DESIGN A PUZZLE PIECE TO REPRESENT WHO YOU ARE! PUZZLE PIECES WILL BE COMING HOME TODAY WITH EACH STUDENT, FOR YOU TO DECORATE. PLEASE DECORATE, CUT OUT, AND RETURN IT TO SCHOOL BY FRIDAY, MAY 10TH. WE PLAN TO FILL OUR WALLS WITH A GIANT PUZZLE WHICH WILL REPRESENT EACH STUDENT, FAMILY MEMBER, TEACHER, STAFF MEMBER, COMMUNITY MEMBER...ETC WHO MAKE WESTSIDE THE BESTSIDE! IF YOU ARE IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD DURING THE LAST FEW WEEKS OF SCHOOL, BE SURE TO STOP BY AND TAKE A LOOK AT OUR GIANT BESTSIDE PUZZLE!

HERE ARE A COUPLE EXAMPLES OF HOW YOU CAN DECORATE YOUR PUZZLE PIECE. THESE ARE JUST EXAMPLES...WE HOPE TO SEE LOTS OF CREATIVE IDEAS AS THE PUZZLE PIECES COME BACK TO SCHOOL.



WESTSIDE BIKE TO SCHOOL DAY

Wednesday, May 8

8:00 Sunset BEACH Parking Lot



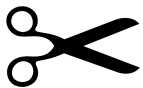
Dear Westside Families,

Wednesday, May 8th we are encouraging everyone to participate in our “Spring Bike to School Day.” Children and their families are encouraged to participate in this fun-filled event at Westside.

Here are the details:

- Children may bike their normal route to school and then meet on the upper playground behind school to celebrate!
- If your child lives too far to bike to school please meet the “Westside Eagle” and Mr. Peterson at the **SUNSET BEACH Parking Lot** at 8:00 am. They will be leaving the parking lot at **8:00 SHARP!** Don’t forget your helmets!!
 - Each student that bikes to school will be given a ticket for prize drawings donated by East Central Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission!
 - A healthy snack will be served for students and their families by the Westside Student Council from 8:10-8:30.

PLEASE return the slip below if your child / family will be participating by **Friday, May 3rd** so we can plan how many snacks to have on hand!



Child’s name _____ Grade _____

Yes, my child will be attending the “Bike to School” event on May 8th.

Number of people attending for our family is _____

Please RSVP by May 3rd so we can order snacks!

Westside Elementary School Library Summer 2019 Book Checkout



Dear Parent/Guardian:

We will be allowing library books to be checked out for the summer months from the Westside Elementary School Library. For those students who would like to get books to read over the summer and have parent/guardian permission, they will be able to check out up to 10 books from the library.

In order for students to check out books for the summer, they will need to have the permission slip on the bottom of this sheet signed and returned to the library no later than Friday, May 24, 2019. Books for the summer will be checked out the week of May 28th. We will provide a book bag for the books, please make sure your child returns the books in this bag on the first day of school.

If you have any questions on the summer library check out, please don't hesitate to email me at lbrigman@kimberly.k12.wi.us or give me a call 788-7900 ext. 2338.

Mrs. Brigman-LMC Director

Please detach and return to school no later than May 24, 2019

Westside Elementary School Library Summer 2019 Book Checkout Permission Form

Student Name: _____ Current Teacher: _____

Grade for 2019-20 School Year _____

The above named student has my permission to checkout **up to 10 books** from the Westside Elementary School Library for the summer. These books and book bag will be returned on the first day of school.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

WOODLAND INTERMEDIATE NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION

Tuesday, May 7, 6:00-7:00 PM
Woodland Gym



All students in the Kimberly Area School District who will be attending 5th Grade at Woodland Intermediate School in the Fall of 2019 are welcome to attend our New Student Orientation.

The Orientation session will include a presentation, overview of schedules and classes, introduction of the Woodland Intermediate staff and a self-guided school tour.

Note: Students interested in participating in band are asked to join Ms. Shimek and Mrs. Carpenter for a meeting from 5:00-6:00 PM in the Woodland School Commons.





Mapleview Intermediate School
Incoming 5th Grade & New Student Orientation
May 14, 2019

5:00–5:50 pm: Band Orientation; Gym (Band Students Only)

Parents and students have the opportunity to learn about our band program.

6:00–6:30 pm: Incoming Student Orientation; Gym (All)

A brief overview of Mapleview Intermediate School is provided and instructional staff are introduced.

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

Students and their families are invited to visit a number of areas within the school to learn more about what the intermediate school has to offer. Mapleview Intermediate Student Ambassadors and staff are located throughout the building to answer questions. Stations are designed to allow families a chance to informally stop by and learn more about particular areas of interest.

INFORMATION STATIONS:

INTRAMURAL & CO-CURRICULAR OFFERINGS; Commons

Learn more about the intramural and co-curricular offerings at Mapleview Intermediate. Staff and several students will be on hand to answer questions about various activities.

INTERNATIONAL TRIP; WORLD STUDIES ROOM, 197

Visit with our World Studies teacher and learn about an opportunity for your student to travel to a Spanish speaking country during the summer of 2021.

QUESTION & ANSWER SESSION; Red Couches

Still have questions following the incoming student orientation? Stop by the red couches to get your questions answered by our school counselor or one of our fifth grade teachers.

SELF-GUIDED TOUR; Mapleview Intermediate

Use your map to explore Mapleview Intermediate School. Incoming students and their families are able to visit the homerooms and specials classrooms.

COOKIES

Stop in the commons for a cookie!