Marshall Elementary School 2015/16 Marshall Messenger Doing our <u>BEST</u> work Being our <u>BEST</u> selves



Weekly Calendar

8:10 a.m. – Supervision Begins

- Students should not arrive prior to 8:10 a.m. unless attending the St. Mark's Program
- 8:10 a.m. Breakfast Begins
- 8:25 a.m. First Bell
- 8:40 a.m. Tardy Bell
- 3:20 p.m. Dismissal
- Note: students not picked up by 3:30 p.m. will be sent to the office to call for a ride

AM Preschool: 8:35-11:05 a.m. PM Preschool: 12:45-3:15 p.m.

Monday 5/30/16 No School – Memorial Day

Tuesday 5/31/16 All Library Books due

Wednesday 6/1/16

8:50 am – 2 X 2 (2HO) 9:50 am – 2 X 2 (2HE) 2:00 pm – Mentor Celebration

<u>Thursday 6/2/16</u> 9:30 am – 4th Grade to Swiss Valley Take Home Folders go home

Friday 6/3/16

1-hour late start (Teacher PD) 2:00 pm – 5th Grade Celebration of Learning Last Day for St. Mark's

Monday 6/6/16

Pool Day Progress Reports go Home Last Day of School

Principal's Corner

Save the Date: The 5th grade Celebration of Learning Day is set for **Friday, June 3 at 2:00 p.m.** We are looking forward to seeing everyone and sharing our collection of work throughout our years at Marshall. Once the program ends, you will be allowed to take your child with you.

Pool Day: Our end of year Pool Day has been scheduled for **Monday, June** <u>6</u> (weather permitting). Please watch for more information on Pool Day to be coming home soon.

Last Day of School: The last day of school for the 2015/16 school year is scheduled for Monday, June

 $\underline{\mathbf{6}}$. This is a full day of school.

Contact Information: Please be sure to contact the school office if your contact information (address, phone numbers, etc.) has recently changed. It is always good for the school office to have the most accurate contact information for each family. Additionally, we want to ensure that registration information for the 2016/17 school year is sent to the correct addresses.

St. Mark's...

The last day for all St. Mark's programming for the 2015/16 school year will be **Friday, June 3**.

Thursday, May 26, 2016

Leisure Services...

The last day for all Leisure Services programming for the 2015/16 school year will be

Friday, May 27.

Donation...

Thanks to Mr. Potts, the principal at Kennedy, for their recent donation of two kick balls to the students at Marshall.



It's a Great Day to be a Marshall Eagle!

Fifth Grade News...

Celebration of Learning: Mark your calendars! On Friday, June 3rd, the 5th grade Celebration of Learning will begin at 2:00 P.M. Students will be recognized for their involvement in extra activities and will have the opportunity to share their portfolios with their parents/guardians. We will finish with a short PowerPoint presentation and have refreshments when finished. Parents/Guardians are encouraged to attend and will be able to take their child home when finished.

With the end of the year coming to a quick finish, we would like to take some time to recognize some students who have gone above to help Marshall School run more smoothly. These students have volunteered their own time to "work" at Marshall School.

Office Runners -Mason Henry, Ethan Kearney, Cassidy Digmann, Haylie Horkheimer, Braydon Hollister, Dallas Mulgrew, Jayme Kennedy, Libby Leach, Katie Leppert

Recycling Program -Libby Leach, Angel Arredondo, Jayme Kennedy, Paige Horaney, Chloe Metcalf, Ethan Campbell, Mason Henry

DuTrac Marketers and Tellers - Summer Bush, Chloe Metcalf, Ethan Campbell, Harmony Wheaton, Libby Leach, Paige Horaney, Olivia Schwartz, Dylan Carmona, Angel Arredondo, Cassidy Digmann

Marshall Leadership -Chloe Metcalf, Alex Becker, Cassidy Digmann Thank you 5th graders for making every day, "A great day to be a Marshall Eagle!"

Mr. Roth and Mrs. Runde

Counselor News...

We will be focusing on transitions as we wrap up classroom guidance this year. Students will hear about classroom expectations and learning opportunities from students in the next grade level. It is always an exciting class for students as they begin to think about what next school year will be like.

Although many students have a sense of excitement as they think about moving up, anxiety can also be normal when transitioning to a new grade or school. Some children will be affected by grade/school transitions more than others.

Whether your child is entering school for the first time, starting middle school, or just moving up another grade, preparing your child is very helpful and important: Focus On The Positives: new friends, new teachers, and new opportunities!

Address Fears: listen to and validate your child's fears, talk about fears you had at their age and how you handled it. This can help to normalize those fears and ensure your child that he/she is not alone in feeling that way.

Attend School Events:

take advantage of orientations, many include opportunities to speak with your child's teacher and exchange important information about him/her.

Reach Out For

Support: if your child is experiencing high levels of anxiety about the upcoming transition, consult available resources, the school counselor or the teacher.

Happy Summer!

Mrs. Hunold

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Thanks for a great school year! We hope you have a fun and safe summer!