



THE WINDS
MAY 25, 2022

IMPORTANT DATES

May 25	Wacky Wednesday: Sports Day
May 30	Memorial Day – NO SCHOOL
May 31	5 th Grade Track and Field Day (make-up day)
June 2	Volunteer Appreciation Gathering - 3 p.m., Media Center
June 9	5 th Grade Graduation, 12:30 p.m.
June 10	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL 2-hour early release, 12:40 p.m.

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Fifth Grade Graduation takes place on Thursday, June 9th, at 12:30 p.m. More details will be shared with fifth grade parents by the fifth grade teachers.

Last day of school – 2-hour early release. Minnetonka Schools will dismiss 2 hours early on the last day of school, Friday, June 10th. Deephaven will dismiss at 12:40 p.m. and lunch will be served to students. If you have after school plans for your child, please wait until they arrive home before starting the plans. Doing group pick-ups from school is not allowed due to the challenges it presents to make sure everyone is accounted for at dismissal time.

Volunteer Appreciation Event – Deephaven's awesome volunteers are invited to stop by the media center between **3:00 – 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 2**. Our staff would like to show our appreciation for all you do to support Deephaven. Refreshments will be served and you are welcome to bring your child(ren). We hope you will be able to stop by!

Dismissal Plan for Next Year – Deephaven will return to the K-5 dismissal time of 2:40 p.m. next school year. Plan on having your child take the bus, as we are unable to support the current traffic levels with our normal dismissal time.

OLWEUS BULLYING PREVENTION

This week we will be reviewing the R in CARES for Responsibility. Students will reflect on how they being responsible makes our school a better place.

DID YOU KNOW?

Superintendent Dr. Dennis Peterson's Retirement Celebration

Wednesday, June 1 from 4:00-6:00 p.m. in the Arts Center at Minnetonka High School

Parents, students and staff are cordially invited to join the Minnetonka community for a gathering to celebrate Superintendent Dr. Dennis Peterson's 21 years of service with Minnetonka Public Schools, as well as more than 50 years as a superintendent. He will retire on June 30, 2022. The retirement celebration will include a reception with light refreshments followed by a program honoring Dr. Peterson's impact and legacy.

Questions? Contact the Minnetonka Schools Communications team at communications@minnetonkaschools.org

PTA PULSE

We're getting into the final weeks of school! The official countdowns have begun. Here are a few things to note as we look forward to summer.

Deephaven Parent Party Round-up Yee-haw! What a rousing success with over 200 parents and more than \$30,000 raised to support teacher grants. THANK YOU to each and every parent who attended, contributed an auction item, or bid up a storm! We have [photos to share](#) from Deephaven mom and photographer Jessica Schelitzche. If prompted, the code is Deephaven2022

Auction Pick Up is today Wednesday, May 25th and Thursday May 26th from 4pm - 6pm in the wood floor gym. Please stop in to pick up your winnings. *Virtual items and teacher experiences will be emailed out this week.*

Didn't get a chance to bid on the auction because you were having too much fun? We have a Second Round of Auction! Our ['Hidden Gems' Auction 2.0](#) is now live for bidding until 9pm Thursday May 26th.

THANK YOU to our amazing committee and volunteers who enabled this year's parent party's success: Jenn Anderson, Amy Blahosky, Annie Brodbeck, Drew Brodbeck, Mike Conway, Kelli Deeg, Gina Erickson, Chris Gorman, Rachel Gorman, Ryan Kelley, Drew Krejci, Kate Krejci, Justin Kwong, Stephanie Kwong, Justine Launert, Polly Madsen, Peter Madsen, Jessica Mork, Jamie Paz, Stephanie Powell, Angie Snavelly, Nicole Schneider, Phil Schneider, Amanda Sutter, Kyle Udseth, Nicole Udseth, Tracy Whitney, and Troy Whitney

THANK YOU to our event sponsors for their generosity in helping make our event so fun and delicious: Fresh Vine Wine, Tonka Bottle Shop, Nothing Bundt Cakes, and title sponsor - Jerome D'Alessandro Fazendin Realtors.

Yearbooks are coming! Quick update on the yearbook distribution process. They are scheduled for delivery next week and will be sent directly to the classrooms. Teachers will distribute to the students who purchased a yearbook, at their discretion, before school is out. There is a small number of extras available for purchase on a first-come, first-served basis. Please contact Sara Bryant at deephavenyearbook1@gmail.com for more details on how to purchase or if you have any questions.

Read-a-Thon Pledge Update A big thanks to those who have already sent in their pledge payments for the Read-a-Thon. We have a number of check pledges and per minute pledges still outstanding for this

year's event. Reminders have been emailed this week and we'd appreciate it if balances could be paid at your earliest convenience. Any questions, please email mork.jessica@gmail.com.

Deephaven Dad's Night Out June 7th, 6PM – 9PM at Maynards. Last Deephaven Dad's Night Out to celebrate getting through the school year!

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