

# Oakbrook School News

November 17, 2023

### **Kindness Celebration**

Congratulations to Oakbrook students for reaching their kindness goal! They earned pumpkins for each kind word or act observed. Our bulletin board truck is overflowing with pumpkins! We celebrated by watching a short video focused on kindness and friendship in the comfort of pajamas. Students had a lot of fun. Thank you for supporting kindness practices at home.



## **Dogs and Other Pets**

For the safety and well-being of students, please do not bring dogs or other pets on school grounds, especially when children are present. The following can be found on page 46 of the Wood Dale School District 7 Parent and Student Handbook:

XIII. ARTICLES NOT TO BE BROUGHT TO SCHOOL

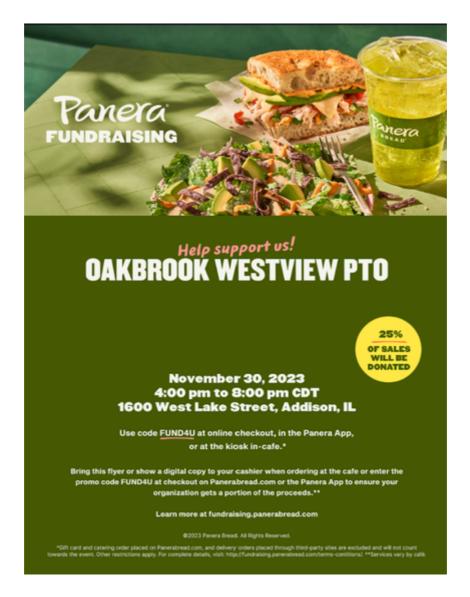
ANIMALS ARE NOT ALLOWED ON SCHOOL GROUNDS DURING SCHOOL HOURS.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

## **PTO Sponsored Book Fair and Restaurant Fundraiser**

Once again, our OB WV PTO is in need of your support for the benefit of our children. During Parent/Teacher Conferences on November 20 and 21st, the PTO will host a Scholastic Book Fair. Please consider volunteering some of your time to support a successful Fair experience. Please follow this <u>link</u> to sign-up.

Additionally, you can support the PTO by attending the OB WV PTO Restaurant Night. See the flyer for details.



#### **Consider a New Career**

Consider becoming a paraprofessional at Oakbrook School. Paraprofessionals support teachers and students in the classroom. Please see this <u>LINK</u> for information on how to qualify for a paraprofessional license.

#### **Student Attendance**

We continue to track daily student attendance averages. Last week, we averaged **91**% student attendance. Our goal is **95**%. Thank you for sending your healthy children to school. Let's see if we can reach 95% again. As we know, when students aren't in school, they can't learn.



And as a reminder, school starts at 8:55.

# Family Photos for the Yearbook

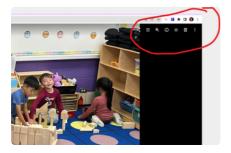
Our Yearbook Coordinators are still collecting school event related photos for the Oakbrook Yearbook. Here is a link to the <u>OB Family Photo Folder</u>. Please upload your photos through the link.

Our coordinators also request that photos be labeled by teacher.

- 1. Click on the selected photo
- 2. Navigate to the information icon
- 3. Add the teacher name in the DESCRIPTION

Information will automatically save when you exit the photo.

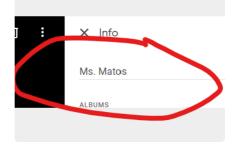
Thank you for your assistance in contributing to a robust yearbook!



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## **Upcoming Dates**

Nov 18 - PTO Cheesecake Fundraiser Pick up, @OB Gym, 10:00am-11:30am

Nov 20-21 - Parent/Teacher Conferences - NO SCHOOL

Nov 22-24 - LOCAL HOLIDAYS and THANKGIVING - NO SCHOOL

Nov 30 - PTO Restaurant Night, Panera Bread @4:00-8:00pm

#### **Useful Links**

District and School Handbooks

Breakfast and Lunch Menus

Oakbrook Parent Teacher Organization (PTO)

School Year Calendar



# **Oakbrook Elementary School**

Our school serves all students of Wood Dale School District 7 in grades kindergarten, first, and second, including our dual language program. Principal: Dr. Theresa Ulrich

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