

# HIGHLAND ~ A LEGACY OF EXCELLENCE

BE RESPECTFUL

BE ENGAGED

BE COMPASSIONATE

BE EMPOWERED

## SHARON FAMILY BULLETIN

WE LEAD

WE LEARN

WE GROW

April 2024

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8 <b>SPRING BREAK</b>	9 School Resumes	10	11	12
15	16 School Shirt Day  PTO Mtg, 9:30	17 ELA State Test (3rd, 4th, 5th)	18 ELA State Test (3rd, 4th, 5th)	19
22	23	24 Math State Test (3rd, 4th, 5th)	25 Math State Test (3rd, 4th, 5th)	26 Interims Mother/Son Night, 7:00-8:30
29	30	1  Science State Test (5th)	2 Science State Test (5th)	3


  
**Welcome**
  
**Spring**

# 2024-2025 NEW STUDENT REGISTRATION



We are accepting new student registration for the 2024-2025 school year.  
In order to register, Final Forms must be completed:

1. Go to [www.highlandschools.org](http://www.highlandschools.org)
  2. Click on “New Students” to obtain registration information.
  3. Select “FinalForms” on the right hand side of the page in order to create an account or log in to an existing account.
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## Kindergarten

### REGISTRATION

Highland’s program consists of an all-day, everyday model. In order to register, a child must be 5 years old by September 30, 2024. The following items will need to be uploaded to Final Forms: parent identification with a picture I.D., proof of residency, the child’s original birth certificate or passport, the child’s complete immunization records, and certified custody papers (if applicable). Please register your child through FinalForms at: <https://highlandmedina-oh.finalforms.com/>.

If you are enrolling a child in Kindergarten, please review the [Welcome to Kindergarten](#) packet.

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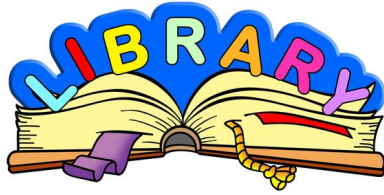
## HIGHLAND SAFETY WEEK



Registration for Highland Safety Week for incoming kindergartners is now open! The session will be June 3-7, 2024, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Registration forms and session fees are due by April 19.

Safety Week is designed to introduce and reintroduce safety concepts through the use of songs, games, crafts, role-playing, and a field trip. The week is in partnership with the Medina County Sheriff’s Office, Medina County Health Department, and Granger, Hinckley, and Sharon Fire Departments. For more information and registration form, click [HERE](#)

# HIGHLAND BRANCH LIBRARY PROGRAM



## APRIL

**April 13:** Pancake Social 11am. Come make and decorate pancakes with assorted toppings

**April 16, 23, 30:** Lego Club 3pm.

## MAY

**May 7 and May 14:** Lego Club 3pm

**May 8:** Storytime and Paint a canvas at 6pm. Come join us for a story and paint a canvas for mom

**May 9:** Make a flower pot for mom ( Grades 3-5) 6pm.

**May 13:** Storytime and Muffins with Mom/Grandma 10:30am

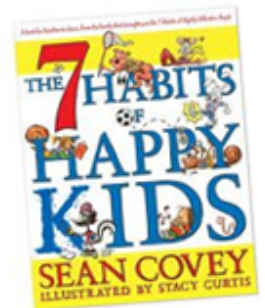
**May 25:** Make your own Playdough using simple ingredients at 1pm

**Register for Events at the Reference Desk at the Library**

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## SHARON LEADERSHIP

Our school theme is focused on leadership and is ongoing throughout the year. *The Leader in Me* and the 7 Habits are woven into our school culture to guide students and staff in developing a leadership model. This is a journey of personal leadership, as well as developing the whole child; socially, emotionally, and academically.



Habit 8: Find Your Voice

- I have found something I am good at and really like doing
- I am proud, but do not boast
- I use my expertise to help and inspire others

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## 2024-2025 DISTRICT CALENDAR



The 2024-2025 district calendar can be found [HERE](#).

# SHARON ELEMENTARY PTO

Next PTO Meeting: Tuesday, April 16

Meetings take place in the Sharon Elementary cafeteria at 9:30 a.m.












## Sharon PTO Officers

**President:** Chrissy Gashash, [christinegash@gmail.com](mailto:christinegash@gmail.com)  
**Secretary:** Lauren Fairbanks, [fairbanks\\_lauren@yahoo.com](mailto:fairbanks_lauren@yahoo.com)  
**Volunteer Recruitment:** Betsy Hartschuh, [betsylbh@gmail.com](mailto:betsylbh@gmail.com)  
**Treasurer:** Carla Schoch, [carla@hornetsnestboutique.com](mailto:carla@hornetsnestboutique.com)

# HIGHLAND ELEMENTARY LUNCH MENU

Questions? Please contact the Highland Food Service Department at 330-239-1901, ext. 5512 or email [emakarek@highlandschools.org](mailto:emakarek@highlandschools.org).

 <b>Highland Elementary Lunch Menu</b> 				
Choose the lunch of the day or Peanut Butter and Jelly Lunch 2023-2024 Students \$3.25 – Adults \$3.90 – Extra Milk .65				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
April 1 	April 2 	April 3 	April 4 	April 5 SPRING BREAK
April 8 WG Breaded Chicken Patty on a Bun Waffle Fries Diced Carrots Applesauce or Juice Peaches or Juice Milk	April 9 WG Chicken Nuggets Roll Diced Carrots Applesauce or Juice Teddy Grahams Milk	April 10 Hot Dog on a Bun Smiley Fries Fresh Orange or Juice Milk	April 11 Romeo's Pizza Crinkle Cut Oven Fries Fresh Broccoli Florets with Ranch Fresh Grapes or Juice Milk	April 12 WG Popcorn Chicken Roll Tossed Salad Fresh Berries or Juice WG Goldfish Cheddar Crackers Milk
April 15 WG Breaded Chicken Patty on a Bun Waffle Fries Diced Carrots Applesauce or Juice Peaches or Juice Milk	April 16 Walking Taco Potato Triangle Black Beans Fresh Apple or Juice Milk 	April 17 WG Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Marinara Sauce Tossed Salad Mandarin Oranges or Juice Chocolate Ice Cream Cup Milk	April 18 Romeo's Pizza Corn Fresh Baby Carrots with Ranch Fresh Grapes or Juice Rice Krispies Treat Milk	April 19 <i>Spring Fling!</i> Zoo Crew Chicken Nuggets Rainbow Roll Wake-Up Waffle Fries Wonderful Watermelon Wedge Sunshine Vanilla Pudding with Whipped Topping and Vanilla Wafers Milk
April 22 WG Mini Corn Dogs Diced Carrots Pears or Juice WG Chocolate Chip Cookie Milk	April 23 Chicken Nuggets Roll Baked Beans Applesauce or Juice Orange Sherbet Milk	April 24 Cheeseburger on a Bun Twister Fries Corn Fresh Orange or Juice Milk	April 25 Romeo's Pizza Crinkle Cut Oven Fries Fresh Broccoli Florets with Ranch Fresh Grapes or Juice Milk	April 26 WG Chicken & Cheese Quesadilla Fiesta Black Beans Fresh Berries or Juice Fruit Snacks Milk
April 29 Hot Dog on a Bun Waffle Fries Baked Beans Peaches or Juice Fortune Cookie Milk 	April 30 WG Tony's Personal Pan Pizza Corn Tossed Salad Fresh Apple or Juice Teddy Grahams Milk			



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# SCHOOL WIDE BEHAVIOR SYSTEM

## HIGHLAND HORNETS®

All students at Sharon Elementary follow the same set of rules and expectations throughout all areas of the school including the bus.

**Rule #1** Be Respectful **Rule #2** Be Engaged **Rule #3** Be Compassionate **Rule #4** Be Empowered

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### GRADES 3-5 STATE TESTING

**3rd/4th/5th Grade:** 4/17 & 4/18 - English Language Arts

4/24 & 4/25 - Math

**5th Grade:** 5/1 & 5/2 - Science

If you have questions about these assessments, please visit the Ohio Department of Education website at <http://education.ohio.gov/>.

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### SAFE SCHOOLS SPEAK UP!

1.866.listen2me (1.866.547.8362)

Several years ago, the Highland Local Schools partnered with Public School Works to offer the “Stay Safe, Speak Up!” hotline. The purpose of this service is to report issues that affect safety and allows students, parents and staff to do their part to maintain a safe environment and promote a positive culture within our schools. Stay Safe, Speak Up! provides easy, private, confidential and anonymous reporting of concerns within the Highland Local Schools. The link is found on all pages (under Quick Links) of the district website. Remember, if you see something, say something. Immediately report any of the following concerns to a trusted adult or administrator, or feel free to use the hotline. 1.866.listen2me (1.866.547.8362)

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### 2023-2024 YEARBOOK ORDERS

[YEARBOOKS are still available to order HERE!](#)

Yearbook ID: 11582424



# 5th GRADE MUSIC PERFORMANCE & TALENT SHOW

Sharon Elementary Stage

MAY 22

## MUSIC PERFORMANCE

7:00 PM



7:30-8:30 PM



## FIELD DAY & FINALE

WEDNESDAY, MAY 29

11:30-1:30

Plans are underway for the 5th grade finale celebration! This year, our 5th graders will have a farewell celebration on Wednesday, May 29. There will be fun activities following field day as our class of 2031 prepares to wrap up their time in elementary school and transition to HMS! More details and opportunities to donate/volunteer will be coming home soon! Our traditional clap-out will occur immediately following our 5th grade finale. Parents are welcome to attend these activities.

**5th grade families should be on the lookout for a GOOGLE FORM in your email the week we return from spring break!**

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## 2024 K-4 FIELD DAYS at SHARON ELEMENTARY

### Thursday, May 23

2nd Grade: 10:30-11:30

1st Grade: 12:00-1:00

Kindergarten: 1:30-2:30



### Friday, May 24

3rd Grade: 10:30-11:30

4th Grade: 1:00-2:00

## END OF YEAR "EXTRA PLAY DAY"

Sharon's end of year "Extra Play Day" will take place on Thursday, May 30. Each grade level will have an extra recess throughout the day. This has been a fun treat for our students before jumping into summer break!



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## LAST DAY OF SCHOOL TREAT THURSDAY, MAY 30



Thank you to PTO for bringing a special treat to all students on the last day of school!

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## 2024-2025 SCHOOL SUPPLY ORDERING IS OPEN



Students entering Kindergarten – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade at Sharon Elementary in the Fall may now order their School Supply Boxes until Friday, July 1, 2024.\*

**LINK TO ORDER:**

**[2024-2025 SCHOOL SUPPLY BOX SALE](#)**

All Supply Boxes will be delivered to your home. If you have any questions, please contact the school office.

\*Please note: First Day School Supplies is unable to accept any orders after the deadline of July 1.