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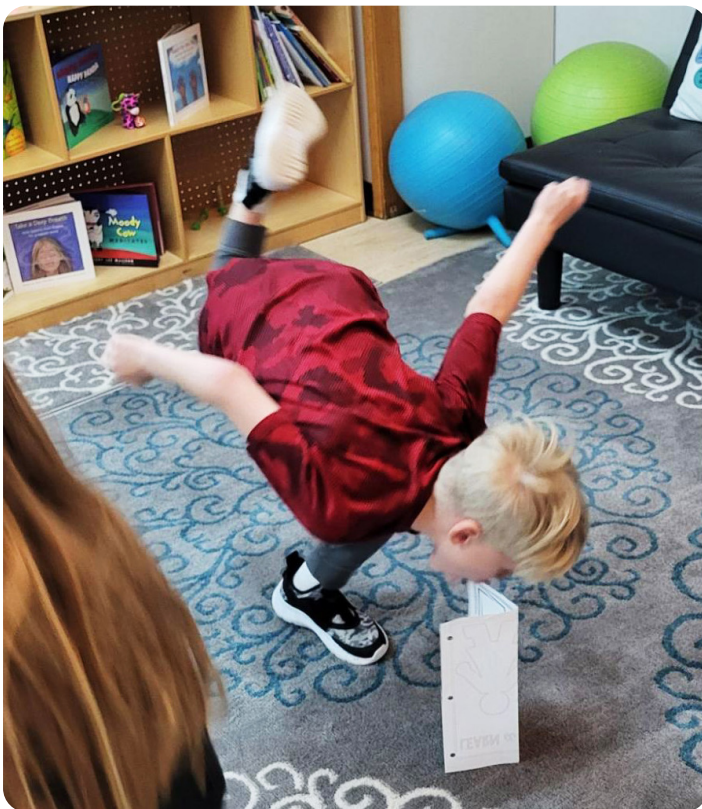
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PBIS Update

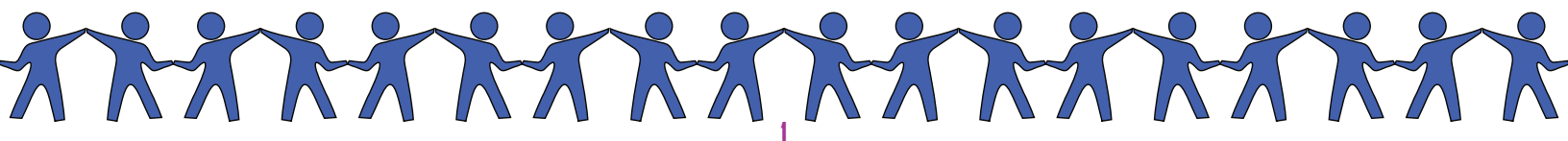
During the month of April, students focused on being resilient. It was a perfect word as our third and fourth grade students took their State Forward testing. Being resilient is about getting back up after something does not go your way or as expected. In order to put the word into action we had a school-wide rock, paper, scissor competition. Even though at times it was hard not to win, everyone kept going by celebrating others.

In our POP groups, students participated in discussions and activities about resilience. Groups were able to choose from several different activities including musical chairs, rock-paper-scissors, forming a compliment circle, and the paper challenge. The paper challenge was a popular choice — students tried to lean over on one foot and pick up a piece of paper and not use their hands. There was a lot of excitement and resilience witnessed with this activity!



Looking Ahead — Important Dates

No School: Memorial Day	May 27
Last Day of School	June 7





Oregon PTO Updates

May 6-10 is Teacher Appreciation Week! It's not too late to contribute! If interested, you can donate via cash, check, or electronically. Checks can be made out to Oregon PTO and turned in to your school's office or sent via the mail. You can also donate electronically via our Paypal (paypal.me/oregonpto) or Venmo (@[@oregonpto](https://venmo.com/oregonpto)) accounts. To donate electronically, please visit our website (www.oregonpto.org) and click the red DONATE button. Our planned daily spoils for 2024 are as follows: gift cards, catered luncheon, coffee truck, continental breakfast, and cookie platters.

Saturday, May 11 is our third annual Community Fun Run/Walk at 9:00 a.m. Multiple food trucks, lawn games, and medals for the kids will be available. Registration may be done on site the day of the event.

Wednesday, May 22 from 4:00-10:00 p.m. the Great Dane in Fitchburg will be donating ten percent of all sales to the Oregon PTO.

The PTO is currently recruiting volunteers for next year. Anyone who is interested can learn more by joining us at one of our spring meetings or by emailing Julie at president@oregonpto.org. Please also feel free to contact Julie with any other questions you may have.

Our next meeting will be Thursday, May 23 at 6:30 p.m. at the NKE library. If you are unable to join in person, you may also join via Google Meet here:

<https://meet.google.com/uzd-pxno-ioy>

Please subscribe to our mailing list for information on events and updates at:

<https://www.oregonpto.org/join-mailing-list/>

Follow us on Facebook and Instagram (links below) for our latest news and updates:

<https://www.facebook.com/OregonPTO>

<https://www.instagram.com/oregonpto/>

Thanks for your support of our teachers, students. and the Oregon PTO.!

~Julie, Denise, Laura, and Mickie

Parking Lot Safety

Please be mindful of safety in the parking lot and pick up line. Please drive very slowly and be aware of pedestrians. We ask that you put down phones and drive with your full attention. If you arrive early and have a long wait, please park in the lot and turn off your vehicle rather than idling in the pick up/emergency lane.



OREGON AREA COMMUNITY FUN RUN

SATURDAY MAY 11, 2024 AT 9AM

BENEFITING BROOKLYN, FOREST EDGE, AND OREGON PTOS

5k and 1 mile routes starting/ending at Rome Corners Intermediate

All participants get a t-shirt and entry into the activity area afterwards

All participants under 18 years old get a medal

Register here: <https://forms.gle/gN4dPBjQqoNKDGRZ6>

Visit http://www.oregonpto.org/ptocommunity_funrun/

Contact OregonPTOFunRun@oregonpto.org with questions



Join us for a community event to support the Oregon PTO (NKE, PVE, and RCI), the Brooklyn PTO (BKE), and the Forest Edge PTO (FES) through a community fun run! Everyone is welcome to participate.

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2024 Summer Library for All Ages

June 3 - August 14

The Adventure Begins this summer at the Oregon Library!
All ages can Read, Listen, and Play for prizes!

- Literacy programs for all ages (Birth to Adult)!
- OPL is part of the Summer Math Program organized by WI Mathematics Council!
- Earn prizes by reading, being read to, listening to audiobooks, and doing craft, STEM, and physical activities.
- Track your reading and activities on a paper log OR by using our online tracking app Beanstack.
- Lots of great prizes: Eugster's Farm, Madison Mallards, Dane County Fair, goodies, and BOOKS!
- Free Family Events like Zoozort, Science Alliance, Dinosaur Dimensions, and more!
- Fun activities like scavenger hunts and crafts any time you visit the me at the Library!
- The Friends of the Oregon Library is a major sponsor of the summer library programs.
- Our Librarians are visiting Oregon Schools in May to tell all the students about summer fun at the Library!
- More information is available starting in mid-May on our website:
www.OregonPublicLibrary.org



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Attendance Line — 608.835.4200, Option 1

If your child is absent from school for any reason, it is imperative that you call the attendance line (835.4200, Option 1) BEFORE 8:00 a.m.

Please leave a clearly spoken message with your name, your child's name, and the reason for the absence. Last minute calls should come directly to the office (835.4200, Option 0). Please do not phone or email office or teaching staff directly as those messages may not be received by the person verifying attendance.

Important Reminders

- If you need to pick up your child during the school day for an appointment, please call the attendance line and send a note in the morning to the homeroom teacher, as well.
- Please make all after school plans with your children **prior** to the beginning of the school day. **Please don't ask us to relay messages to students for a change in plans or to deliver dropped off items, unless there is an emergency, as it can cause confusion and it is a disruption to the classroom and learning environment. If you have a change from the regular routine, please send a note in the morning for the teacher and inform bus drivers and childcare providers, too.**
- **Children should arrive at school no earlier than 7:35 a.m.** Student supervision is not available before then. The school day runs from 7:50 a.m. until 2:50 p.m. Children should arrive in time to be ready for class to begin at 7:50. **Students leaving before 2:50, will have their attendance marked accordingly.**
- **The school day ends at 2:50.** Children not riding the bus or walking/biking home, **must** be picked up at that time.
- We ask that pets not be brought on school grounds.

Concert

Fourth Grade Chorus and Orchestra Concert —

Monday, May 6th, 6:00 in PVE's Gym



Snacks

Please send your child with a snack each day, if your family is able. Consult the classroom teacher for specific routines regarding snacks. PVE will provide a snack for hungry students in need.

Vehicles Must Stop for a Stopped School Bus

We are seeing increased instances of vehicles passing school buses that are stopped with an extended stop sign and flashing lights. This poses a significant safety hazard for our students and is against the law.

Drivers must stop on the street or highway 20 feet or more from any school bus that has stopped and is flashing red warning lights.

- This applies both to vehicles approaching from the rear and from the opposing lanes.
- All lanes of traffic must stop for the school bus, except in opposing lanes if the highway is divided with a center median.
- No vehicle may proceed until the bus resumes motion and has turned off the red warning lights.
- The stop arm on the bus is an added communication to other drivers, but the lack of an extended stop arm is not reason to pass a bus whose red lights are flashing.

Please help ensure the safety of our students as our bus drivers transport them to and from school.

Read more [here](#).



OREGON SCHOOL DISTRICT

PVE mission is to “nurture learning in a safe and positive environment where all can achieve their best and become responsible and respectful citizens...”

