

# STILLWATER SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

MAY 28, 2021

## IMPORTANT DATES AND REMINDERS:

**Remote Learner K-3 Material Pick Up:** 6/4 12:00-2:00 at the end of the 6th grade hallway

**Remote Learner 4-6 Material Pick Up:** 6/11 12:00-2:00 at the end of the 6th grade hallway

**Last Day of School:** June 16

**Early Dismissal Days at 12:40 PM:** June 14, 15, 16

**Board of Education Meeting:** June 7 and June 28 at 7pm. Check school website, under Stillwater School Announcements, for more information.

### **Morning Drop Off:**

Thank you for your patience and cooperation during Morning Drop Off. Please note, we make every effort to keep Stillwater Road open to through traffic. Our security staff may ask you to briefly pull into the church parking lot if necessary.

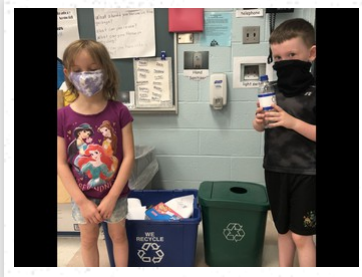
**Attendance:** If your child will be absent for either in person learning or remote learning, please call the attendance line at **973-383-3227**. It is imperative that you report your child absent prior to the start of the school day if they are unable to participate in remote learning due to illness or other reason. Those students who are not called in absent will be expected to complete their remote learning assignments. A failure to do so will be reflected in their marking period grades.

If your child is absent from their in person cohort, they will be marked absent. If they are able to complete work remotely, the work will be considered as their make up work for the day but the absence will still be marked.

## PRESCHOOL NEWS:

Do you know what the 3R's are? Ask any preschooler and they will tell you. We just completed our study of Reduce, Reuse and Recycle. They know all of the items that need to be recycled and have been practicing ways to reuse items that they would normally throw out. Many

preschoolers have also asked their parents if they could switch from taking baths to taking showers in an effort to conserve water. The children enjoyed working at learning centers which involved sorting items into the proper bins, such as plastic, glass etc., and also identifying things that would make the Earth happy versus those that would make the Earth sad.



The preschoolers participated in their graduation ceremony. The ceremony was recorded and will be available soon for all to view. We are very proud of all that our graduates have accomplished!





## **KINDERGARTEN NEWS:**

The kindergarten classes have been having fun exploring and learning about ponds, insects, farm animals and sea creatures. We have made so much progress with our writing and reading skills since September! Remember - it is extremely important to read with your children in the summer. Children that do not read lose 2-3 months of reading skills - it's called the "summer slide." So, please keep up with everything we have learned this year - especially reading. Have a safe, healthy summer and we will be ready for you in September!

## **FIRST GRADE NEWS:**

The children completed a 'How To' writing unit. They taught students about things they can do at home for fun. We have many adventuresome first graders. We will be jumping into poetry after the Memorial Day holiday. They will discover that they are poets and didn't know it!

## **MUSIC NEWS:**

It's time for third and fourth grade students to sign up for beginning band for the 2021-2022 school year! Although fourth graders may have signed up in the previous year, I would like to give everyone the opportunity to sign up again with the instruments offered (flute, clarinet, trumpet and trombone). All third and fourth grade students are invited to try band if they have an interest in participating. The students have been introduced to the instruments through video demonstration as well as in-person information and viewing instruments. Video demonstrations can be viewed on the music google classroom. Students have been provided with information packets and sign up sheets. These papers can also be accessed through the music google classroom material "Beginning Band Sign Up Sheets". The band schedule and commitment information are included in the packet (plans are subject to change based on COVID-19 restrictions and guidelines). If you have any questions about the program for next year, please contact Ms. Franck via email.

# SUMMER IS APPROACHING QUICKLY AND IT IS TIME TO HAVE FUN!

100 Summer Fun Ideas To Do with Kids and Parents!

<https://www.verywellfamily.com/summer-fun-ideas-kids-and-parents-3542627>



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Pandemic EBT – P-EBT for short – helps families buy groceries when students are learning remotely (from home) during COVID.

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Letter Regarding Free Meals.pdf

Please direct questions to the Maschio's Food Service Manager Michelle Molfetto at [michelle.molfetto@stillwaterschool.net](mailto:michelle.molfetto@stillwaterschool.net) 973-383-6171 ext.220

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FREE LUNCH & BREAKFAST to all students in Stillwater Township Elementary School

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**COMMUNITY SECTION - THE FOLLOWING ARE NOT SCHOOL SPONSORED EVENTS:**

Registration is now open!

**TURN UP THE FUN!**

**SUMMER DAY CAMP**

Safe, positive environment to play, learn, and grow.  
 Field trips Sports Leadership development Arts & **FUN!**

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE

**SUSSEX COUNTY YMCA**  
 (973) 209-9622

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## KITTATINNY PLAYERS SUMMER THEATER AND DANCE CAMP:

The Kittatinny Players are running their summer theater and dance camp again this year. This is our 8 years of summer camp for the theater. We have always partnered with the 4 sending district schools to promote the camp. I am asking if you can get approval from your superintendent to send home with the 4th-6th graders and or put in your newsletters.



Updated Summer Theater Camp 2021 Registration Form.pdf

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### Math & Science Summer School Teacher Openings:

Certified Math and Science teacher openings are available for the Kittatinny Regional School District Summer School, at a rate of \$40/hour.

Classes will be held starting June 28, 2021 through August 5, 2021 (no class on July 5).

Please send letter of interest, resume and certifications to:


Sharon Falchetta, Assistant Principal  
 Kittatinny Regional High School  
 77 Halsey Road  
 Newton, NJ 07860

## STOCKER BUS DRIVERS NEEDED:

School Bus Driver: Kittatinny, Sandyston, Hampton, Stillwater, Fredon, High Point, North Warren & Blairstown area school routes. Class B CDL req'd, will train. Stocker Bus Company EEO-A/A. 973-383-2786. See below PDF




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Summer Soccer Camp Information.pdf

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## STILLWATER PTA INFORMATION:



PTA Letter 2021.pdf  
Important PTA Information on membership.

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<https://twentyfourink.com/collections/stillwater-school?ref=1fxdrto0wui>

# STILLWATER SCHOOL SCHOOL SPIRIT WEAR

online ordering



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**15%** of every purchase directly supports the Stillwater PTA

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On the home page click the Fundraiser tab  
then Stillwater School

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