

Bath Bulletin

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Upcoming Events

Oct. 4- Gr. 5 Wellness Day

Oct. 8-9- Gr. 3 Presentations from Summit

Soil and Water

Oct. 8- Bath Nature Club Meeting

Oct. 10- Gr. 4 Nature Day

Oct. 11- NEOEA Day/No School

Oct. 14- CVEEC Chaperone Meeting

Oct. 15- Gr. 5 Vision and Hearing Screenings

Oct. 15- Board Meeting

Oct. 16- Gaming Club

Oct. 17, 24- Conferences

Oct. 17- Gr. 3 Wellness Day

Oct. 21-22 CVEEC for Keating, Schubert, and Smith

Oct. 22- Gr. 3 Vision and Hearing Screenings

Oct. 22- Bath Nature Club Meeting

Oct. 23- Kona Ice Fundraiser

Oct. 24- Bath Team Hero Spirit Day/Popcorn Friday

Oct. 24- End of 1st Grading Period

Oct. 24- RHS Boo at The School for Bath Students

Oct. 25- In-Service/Records Day-No School

Oct. 28- PTA Fundraiser Bowling Trip

Dear Families.

Our annual Bath PTA Fall Fundraiser is now underway. Thank you all for your continued support. Our PTA is amazing and does so many incredible things for our Bath students and staff. In addition to supporting the many wonderful activities at our school, the PTA has used the proceeds from our fundraisers to continue to



develop our outdoor learning spaces in the Bath Land Lab and activities on our playground. To thank our students for their help with the fundraiser, all of the kids who sent twelve emails to advertise our sale will enjoy the Kona Ice Truck on Oct. 23 during our lunch and recess. The students who sold enough items to earn a field trip to bowl at Riviera Lanes will be going on Oct. 28. More information will be coming home soon to the students who will be going on this field trip.

We are looking forward to a fun and very busy month of October. Please take a look at the upcoming events in the Bath Bulletin and add any dates to your calendar.



Sincerely,

Dan Fry, Principal

Andrew Wilson, Assistant Principal

Gr. 5 CogAT Test and Gr. 3 English Language Arts State Test

The 5th grade students took the Cognitive Abilities Test (CogAT) on Sept. 30 and Oct. 2. The results from the CogAT are used to identify students for gifted placement as well as a data point to place students in classes next year at RMS.

Our 3rd grade students will take their fall English Language Arts state test on Oct. 14 and 15. We will plan to test in the mornings so please make sure the children get a good night's sleep and have a healthy breakfast. Thank you.

Parent Teacher Conferences

Parent teacher conferences will take place on Oct. 17 and Oct. 24. Our teachers will be contacting you to set up a conference. If you are not contacted to schedule a conference, that is ok. It just means that there aren't any concerns at this time. If you would still like to meet with your child's teachers, feel free to contact them to arrange a conference.

Intervention and Enrichment (I/E) time at Bath

On Monday-Thursday of each week, the students have 40 minutes of Intervention and Enrichment (I/E) time. This is a time that is designed for students to receive additional reading and math intervention support or enrichment based on their needs. Mrs. Worsencroft, our reading interventionist, and Mrs. Dubsky, our reading/math interventionist, will provide additional support for our students. Our classroom teachers will provide enrichment opportunities for our students in math and reading, and Mrs. Sheffield, our advanced math teacher, will provide enrichment for our 3rd grade students. Students can also be pulled during this time to receive additional services such as speech and other therapies.

5th Gr. Outdoor Education Trip to CVEEC

Our 5th graders will be going on their outdoor education trip to the Cuyahoga Valley Environmental Education Center (CVEEC) during the upcoming weeks. The students who have Keating, Schubert, and Smith will attend on Oct. 21-22. Students who have Andreatta, Jacoby, and Kahoe will attend on Nov. 4-5. Students who have Faust, Hetman, and Keaton will attend on Nov. 6-7. This two day and one night trip has been a tradition for our Bath 5th graders for the past twenty years. The kids will learn about ecosystems, habitats, conservation, and our local watershed. A huge thank you to Mr. Faust for all of his hard work organizing this trip and to all of our parent volunteers who help to make it possible. We have a brief meeting scheduled for our parent volunteers on Oct. 14 at 7:00.

Wellness Days

Throughout the school year, Mrs. Kerrigan and Mrs. Macauda, our school counselors, will have "Wellness Days" for each grade level where the students rotate through stations in our Land Lab and NEST, learning strategies to manage stress and reduce anxiety. Our 5th graders wil have their day on Oct. 4. The 3rd grade day is coming up on Oct. 17 and our 4th grade Wellness Day will be later in the spring.

Halloween Parade and Parties

Halloween is just around the corner. We'll be celebrating in the afternoon on Thursday, Oct. 31. Our teachers will have parties/activities with the kids in their classrooms. The head room parent and one additional volunteer will be able to come to the classrooms at 1:30 to assist with costumes and activities. We will parade around the building so the kids can show off their costumes. If the weather permits, we will also parade out the main entrance and along the front sidewalk. If parents would like to see the parade, they will be able to stand along the front sidewalk to see the kids as they pass by. The parade will begin at 1:50. If the weather doesn't cooperate, our PTA will live stream the parade for our parents. The kids will need to bring their costumes to school and change prior to the parade.

Be a Team Hero!

As a part of our Positive Behavioral Interventions and Support (PBIS) plan, we talk about wanting our students to be Responsible, Respectful, Problem Solvers in all areas of our building. This language is seen on signs throughout the school, on our Bath Team Hero shirts, and is heard on the announcements each morning.

The last Friday of each month is a Bath Team Hero spirit day. We ask that all of our students and staff wear their Bath team Hero t-shirts on these days. We will have treats, raffles, and prizes for our students who show their school spirit and wear their shirts!

Red Ribbon Week

The district will be celebrating Red Ribbon Week from Oct. 28- Nov. 1. The theme for the week will be "Respect Yourself by Making Healthy Choices." Here is the schedule for each day.

Monday- "Kickoff Day"! Wear your favorite team's jersey, shirt or hat!

Tuesday- Tropical Tuesday- Wear your Hawaiian Shirts!

Wednesday- Waking Up to Healthy Choices- Pajama Day! **Thursday- Wear Red for Red Ribbon Day-** Change into Halloween costumes

Friday- "Respectful Bath Team Heroes Day"- Wear your Bath Team Hero t-shirt to celebrate the last day of Red Ribbon Week.

RHS Boo at the School on Oct. 24

The RHS Student Council is hosting a Boo at the School event for our Bath students and families on Thurs., Oct. 24th at RHS from 5:00 to 7:00 pm. There will be themed rooms, face paint, fun activities and treats! Bringing in a canned food is encouraged for entry! Please park on the northwest side of the building (closer to the administration building). Enter on the north side of the building. There will be plenty of signs and students to help guide you.