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FIELD DAYS BRING SUNSHINE, SMILES, AND SUMMER CELEBRATION ACROSS THE DISTRICT

The last day of school last week was full of sunshine, laughter, and plenty of great memories as students wrapped up the year with their annual Field Day celebrations.

Field Day is a favorite tradition across the district, giving students a chance to head outside, move around, and just enjoy being together. From tug-of-war and relay races to bubbles, sidewalk chalk, and all kinds of friendly competitions, students spent the day having fun, staying active, and celebrating everything they accomplished this school year.

At Highland Elementary School, one of the biggest highlights came from the Stow Fire Department, who helped make the day even more memorable. Firefighters turned a fire hose into a giant sprinkler, giving students the chance to run through the cool spray on a warm day—an instant favorite.

Across the district, Field Days are all about bringing students and staff together to celebrate the end of the school year. These events are a chance to laugh, connect, and build memories that stick with students long after summer begins.

We wish all of our students, staff, and families a safe, relaxing, and happy summer break!



AWARDS CEREMONIES CELEBRATE STUDENTS AND STOLION AWARD WINNERS

Schools across the district recently hosted their annual awards ceremonies, recognizing students for their hard work, growth, and positive contributions throughout the school year.

Families, staff, and classmates gathered to celebrate a wide range of achievements, including academics, leadership, and citizenship. These ceremonies shine a spotlight on the many ways students have grown both inside and outside the classroom.

A special highlight of the celebrations was the recognition of this year's Stolion Award winners. The Stolion Award is an annual honor presented by the Stow-Munroe Falls Lions Club to local students who exemplify outstanding character, citizenship, and service. Recipients are selected for consistently demonstrating kindness, responsibility, and a commitment to helping others in their schools and communities.



Congratulations to all of this year's award recipients and Stolion winners! Your example sets a positive tone for your peers and reflects the very best of what our schools strive to encourage in every student.



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CITY OF MUNROE FALLS POSTER CONTEST

The City of Munroe Falls is hosting a poster design competition for students to celebrate America's 250th anniversary. Winners will be displayed at area businesses. Submissions must be 11" by 17", themed around America, and dropped off at Munroe Falls City Hall by June 22nd. Please include first and last name, school, grade, parent's name, phone number, and email address on your submission.

Important reminders!

- **Summer Break** begins on Monday, June 1. Thank you for an amazing year!
- First student days of the **2026-2027 school year**:
  - August 18 - Grades 1-5, 7 & 9
  - August 19 - Grades 1-12
  - August 25 - Kindergarten
  - August 26 - Preschool
- View the full calendar for next school year here.

ENJOY YOUR SUMMER!

WOODLAND'S STUDENTS VS. TEACHERS KICKBALL GAME

Woodland Elementary students hit the field on Wednesday, May 27 for an exciting students vs. teachers kickball game!

The teachers team claimed the victory, but the afternoon was full of school spirit and fun for everyone involved. Students enjoyed cheering on their favorite players, cooling off with treats from the Kona Ice truck, and spending time outside with friends in the sunshine.

This event was part of Woodland's PBIS program, which encourages and rewards positive behavior while building a strong and supportive school community.









GAGA FOR GOATS AT INDIAN TRAIL

There were giggles all around when Gaga for Goats visited our kindergarten classes at Indian Trail!

As part of their science lessons about living things and animal behaviors, students had the chance to pet, hold, and do yoga with baby goats.

The hands-on experience gave students an exciting way to observe animals up close while learning about the traits and behaviors that help living things grow and survive.

FOURTH GRADERS SAY FAREWELL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, HELLO LAKEVIEW

Last week, our fourth grade students wrapped up their elementary school journey, taking time to celebrate all they have accomplished and looking ahead with excitement to what comes next. We are incredibly proud of this group of students and know they are ready for this important next step.

As they move on to fifth grade at Lakeview Intermediate School, they will enter a new environment filled with opportunities to learn, grow, take on greater responsibility, and continue building new friendships. While leaving elementary school can feel bittersweet, it also brings excitement for the new teachers, experiences, and memories that await them.

Congratulations to all of our fourth graders—your elementary school family is cheering you on as you begin this next chapter!







