



EAGLE SCHOOL

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EAGLE School of Madison is an independent school dedicated to serving the educational needs of gifted and talented children, kindergarten through eighth grade, in the greater Madison area.

Looking Ahead

- R 5/25 7/8 Musical, Auditorium, 6:30 pm
- F 5/26 No School (Teacher Work Day)
- M 5/29 No School (Memorial Day)
- W 5/31 Pitch Perfect Concert, Auditorium, 6:00 pm
- F 6/2 Noodles & Co. lunch
TGIF: Yearbook Signing
- M 6/5 Honors and Awards Assembly, 8:45 am
Volunteer Appreciation Reception, 10:00 am
- T 6/6 Day Away
- W 6/7 Last Day of School! Dismiss at 11:20 am
8th Grade Recognition Ceremony, 5:30 pm
All-School Picnic, Swan Creek Park, 6:00 to 9:00 pm



Assembly to Recognize Achievements

Join us for an uplifting experience as we salute the many accomplishments of our students at the annual Honors and Awards Assembly, Monday, June 5, at 8:45 AM, in the Auditorium. We will honor achievements in academics, sports, the arts, and service, as well as recognize our 2017 graduates and staff members who have reached milestones in their EAGLE careers. Fourth-quarter Wings Awards will also be revealed. We invite parents to share this special time with us.



Reception to Honor Parent Volunteers

All EAGLE volunteers are invited to attend an **Appreciation Reception** on Monday, June 5, right after the Honors and Awards Assembly (10:00 AM). This gathering, hosted by EPO and our eighth graders, is an expression of our gratitude to our parents (and grandparents) for their generous donations of time, talent, and energy throughout the school year. We truly appreciate all that you do, and we hope you can join us for this special event.



Summer Reading Recommendations

Check out the EAGLE school website (<http://eagleschool.org/parent-connection/>) to find unit-level lists of summer reading recommendations prepared by librarian Ellen Bunn, as well as links to useful online resources for summer reading.

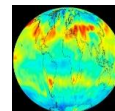
COME TO THE ALL-SCHOOL PICNIC!

Wednesday, June 7, 2017
(Sorry, no rain date.)

 **6:00 – 9:00 PM**
Swan Creek Park

(South on Fish Hatchery Rd., east on E. Cheryl Pkwy for approximately 1.5 miles. Park is on the right.)

Please bring a dish to pass, your beverages, blankets and chairs to sit on.
(Table service provided by EPO.)



Students Teach Us About Climate Change

Science teacher Sarah Wright and the Climate Action Team would like to thank the many students, staff, and parents who attended their STEM talk on May 18. Our student presenters on the Climate Action Team did an outstanding job of educating others about climate change and actions we can all take to prevent harm to our planet. The Team encourages everyone to visit this website (set up by Alexandra Saffman and Emma Ballweg) for more information and inspiration: <http://ecoeducationblog.weebly.com/>. In addition to Alexandra and Emma, the following students presented: Lois Buckingham, Cole Johnson, Katherine Juergens, Ananya Krishna, Sara Mettner, and Christian Stuart. Great job, everyone!



Director Shares School Information

On Monday evening, parents turned out to hear Carole's annual report. She presented information related to this past year's achievements, as well as goals for the future. If you were not able to attend but would like to know more, visit: <http://eagleschool.org/parentconnection/directors-annual-report/>.



Student Council Corner

Pie-In-The-Face Contest ⇒ Student Council is very excited to announce the lucky(?) winners of the *Endangered Species Pie-In-The-Face Contest!* Jack took first place with \$135 raised; Maggie was a close second with \$116.13. Overall, the event raised a grand total of \$300.76 for the Endangered Species Coalition. Thank you, EAGLE School, for your generous donations! And a big thanks to all the teachers who volunteered to be targets. Pies will be delivered at the Yearbook TGIF on Friday, June 2. Jack and Maggie, get ready!

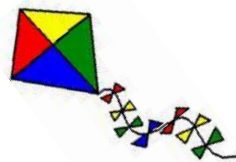
Pajama Day ⇒ On Thursday, June 1, plan to participate in our final Spirit Day of the year. Start practicing for those lazy days of summer by wearing your PJ's to school.

Thank You ⇒ The Middle School Spring Formal was a huge success, and we would like to thank all of the parents who helped by donating food, setting up, cleaning up, and chaperoning. We couldn't have done it without you!

Summer Enrichment Update

These courses will run; additional students welcome:

Chess Club, **afternoon**
Chemistry Kids
Drawing and Painting
Kindergarten Here We Come
Let's Code Stuff!
Fachadas Mexicanas
3D Modeling and Printing
Origami
Piano Camp
Sportsmanship 101



These courses are full; wait list status available:

Art-Inspired by Children's Books
Cardboard City
Stop Motion Movie Making

These courses need a few more students to run:

Greeps Unleashed!
Recycled Art

These courses have been cancelled:

Animals, Flowers, & Birds, Oh My!
Art & Social Justice
Brainsketball
Chess Club, **morning**
Chinese
Eco Squad
STEM - Boys
STEM - Girls
Summer Strings

If you have registered for a course that has been cancelled, you should have already been contacted to discuss other course options or a refund of your payment.

An updated version of the Summer Enrichment flyer is being forwarded to all families. If interested, please register ASAP. Questions about summer classes? Email carole@eagleschool.org.



GOTR Selling Buttons TODAY!

The EAGLE Girls on the Run team will be selling handmade buttons at the Fitchburg Farmer's Market today, May 25, from 3:30 to 5:00 PM. All proceeds from the sale will benefit the Breast Cancer Research Fund at the UW Carbone Cancer Center and the Dane County Humane Society. The girls are excited to use their creativity and talents to give back to their community. Please stop by our booth at the market and buy a button!



EAGLE Student Makes Beautiful Music

Congratulations to pianist Kaitlyn Du (5/6 B), who recently received Honorable Mention in the state-level Wisconsin Music Teachers Association's annual State Badger Competition, held last Sunday, May 21, at Milwaukee's Wisconsin Conservatory of Music.



Rock & Read Fundraiser

Looking for a great way to spend Father's Day AND support the Madison Public Library's Summer Reading Program? Madison Public Library Foundation's fourth annual *Rock & Read* fundraiser will take place on Sunday, June 18, from 3:00 to 6:00 PM. *Rock & Read* is an opportunity for families who are committed to our libraries to come together for a fun, sunny afternoon to celebrate and support the future of Madison Public Libraries. More information can be found here: <https://mplfoundation.org/>.



Nonprofit Offers Tennis Lessons

Through the Madison Education and Tennis Foundation, alumna Ellie Kaji and members of the West tennis team are providing tennis lessons for young tennis players. Prices are \$15 per hour for private lessons or \$8 per hour for group (three or more) lessons. Profits will be used to support tennis education in Madison. Balls will be provided, but students must bring their own rackets, shoes, and sunscreen. If interested, please contact Ellie Kaji (elizabeth.kaji@gmail.com) to arrange a mutually convenient time and location. Lessons can start as early as June 10.



Fees and Registration Forms Due Next Week

Building and field trip fees, as well as tuition for semester and annual payment plans, are due next Thursday, June 1, the date after which your contract for the 2017-18 school year will be binding.

In addition, all registration forms are also due in the Main Office by June 1. Semester reports will not be released to students on the last day of school until all requested items (payments/forms) have been submitted.



Return Classroom & Library Books

Please note that semester reports will be held in the Main Office until all library and classroom books are returned or replacement fees paid. If your child has not returned a book, you should have received (or will receive) an email from our librarian or from his/her teacher.