



EAGLE SCHOOL

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Looking Ahead

Friday, May 10

- ◆ Noodles lunch
- ◆ TGIF: Clubs

Tuesday, May 14

- ◆ EPO Meeting, 8:30 AM, Commons
- ◆ Yahara Writers Workshop, 8:30 to 11:50 AM, Union South

Thursday, May 16

- ◆ Costa Rica Kids ESL Meeting, 3:30 to 6:00 PM, Room 16

Friday, May 17

- ◆ Panera lunch
- ◆ 3/4 to Civil War Encampment, 8:30 AM to 1:45 PM
- ◆ TGIF: 7/8 Musical (*Joseph & The Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*)

Tuesday, May 21

- ◆ 4/5 to BTCI/Promega, 8:30 to 11:20 AM
- ◆ Band & Strings concert, 6:30 PM, Auditorium

Wednesday, May 22

- ◆ Culver's lunch

Thursday, May 23

- ◆ Middle School Career Roundtable, 11:15 AM to 12:30 PM, Auditorium Lobby

Friday, May 24

- ◆ No School – Teacher Workday

Monday, May 27

- ◆ No School – Memorial Day

What's Happening

DAY AWAY Forms Due May 22

Details about Day Away, along with reservation forms, were emailed to all families with last Thursday's newsletter. **Reservation forms are needed for all students confirming attendance or reporting a planned absence on June 4.** Please return the forms to the Reception Office by May 22. Signed PDF forms are also acceptable if emailed to Ann Larget at annlarget@eagleschool.org. Please let Ann know right away if you are interested in joining us as a chaperone on the Kalahari trip.



Director to Meet with Parents

Mark your calendars! On Tuesday, May 28, Andy will present his *Annual Report to Parents* from 7:00 to 8:00 PM in the Auditorium. He will offer his perspective on the accomplishments of this past year and discuss future goals and plans, both immediate and long-range. All parents are encouraged to attend. The EPO will provide light refreshments.



Assembly to Recognize Achievements

Join us as we salute the many accomplishments of our students at the annual Honors and Awards Assembly, Monday, June 3, at 8:45 AM, in the Auditorium. We will honor achievements in a variety of areas. We will recognize our 2019 graduates, as well as staff members who have reached milestones in their service at EAGLE. We will also reveal the winners of the fourth-quarter Wings Awards. We invite parents to share this special time with us.



Reception for Carole Mason

Immediately following the Awards Assembly on June 3, parents and other well-wishers are invited to gather in the Band Room and Auditorium Lobby for a reception honoring our outgoing Director, Carole Mason. Light refreshments will be served from approximately 10:00 to 11:00 AM.



Come To The All-School Picnic!

On **Wednesday, June 5**, join us at **McGaw** Park, between **6:00 and 9:00 PM**, to celebrate the end of another fantastic school year. Please bring a dish to pass, your own beverages, and blankets or chairs to sit on. Table service will be provided by the EPO. McGaw Park is located at 5236 Lacy Road in Fitchburg. Many thanks to **Dia Caulkins** for stepping up to coordinate our picnic this year. Please contact Dia at djcaulkins@gmail.com with questions or to volunteer with setup or cleanup.

Thank You

Spring FUNdraiser THANK YOU

The Spring FUNdraiser on Friday was a blast! The EPO and FUNdraiser Committee would like to say a huge THANK YOU to the many volunteers, donors, staff members, and patrons who contributed to the success of this event. Parents went home with fantastic auction prizes, kids went home with beautiful body art and mad Ping Pong skills, and the EPO raised a generous sum for our school! We're thankful to be able to use these funds to make building and security improvements, upgrade classroom technology, and support the EAGLE scholarship fund.

Our 2019 Spring FUNdraiser Committee:

- FUNdraiser Event Chairs: Terra Theim & Toni Drake
- Auction: Roopak Talwar & Stella Krall
- Raffle: Tanya & Bill Buckingham
- Food: Sukhi Mann, Sheng Lee, & Farah Ali
- EAGLE Café: Christine Koch & Erika O'Donohoe
- Cake & Pie Auction: Carolyn Wasacz
- Activities: Preeti Solanki
- Duck Race, Ticket Sales: Don Settergren
- Salon: Mahr Malik, Akshatha Sadnoor, Kelly Wolfson, & Michele Greenberg
- Karaoke, Video Games, Movies: Dia Caulkins & Adam Talkington
- Nest Playroom: Chris Reeder
- Crafts, Newsletter: Abby Utley
- Ping Pong: Jake Johnson
- Volunteers, Day-of: Claire Feith
- Entertainment, Checkout: Dia Caulkins
- Set-up: Chad Thums
- Clean-up: Erin Jonaitis
- Cashiers: Sonal Kashyap
- Signage: Lisa Rooney
- Additional VIPs: Shikha Gupta, Chris Hofmann, Darlene Harper, Johel Saborio



A list of 2019 auction donors is attached to this newsletter.

If you have ideas for next year's FUNdraiser, please send your thoughts to fundraiser2018@eagleschool.org!

Congratulations!

E-Bike Raffle Winner

At our Spring FUNdraiser on May 3, Terra Theim, mother of Maya (4/5B) and Jay (UPA), won the e-bike. Congratulations, Terra, and thanks for supporting EAGLE School!

EPO News

EPO Meeting Next Tuesday!

On Tuesday, May, 14, the EPO will hold its final meeting of the school year in the Commons, at 8:30 AM. All parents are invited! Click [here](#) to view this month's agenda. If there's an item you'd like addressed, but you cannot attend the meeting, please contact EPO President Stella Krall at stellakrall@gmail.com.

Vote on the Revised EPO Bylaws

Thank you to the many who have taken the time to view and vote on the proposed changes to the EAGLE Parent Organization (EPO) bylaws. Most of the changes are to simplify communication both within the EPO and with the parents we serve. [You can view the revised bylaws here](#).

Please click this link to cast a simple yes or no vote as to whether or not you agree with the changes we've drafted. Sixty percent approval is required for the revisions to pass. Voting closes next **Thursday, May 16**. If you have questions, please contact EPO President Stella Krall at stellakrall@gmail.com.

Library News



It's Time to Return EAGLE Library Books

Library circulation will close on Friday, May 10. Parents, please check your home for books that have an EAGLE barcode on the front cover (near the spine edge) and watch backpacks for overdue notices. Also, before returning books to the public library, please look at the barcode label on the front book cover to help us reduce the number of EAGLE library books that are inadvertently returned to the public library.

Library Recommendations for Summer Reading

Check out the [Summer Reading Recommendations](#) on the EAGLE School website (under the Parents tab).

Summer Volunteering in EAGLE Library

Need to catch up on 2018-19 volunteer hours or want to get ahead for 2019-20? Please contact Ellen at ellen@eagleschool.org if you're interested in volunteering any amount of time (hours outside of the work day are welcomed).

Student Council



Box Tops for Education

The classroom totals are in! Congratulations to the grades that brought in over 400 box tops! Those groups will receive their prize of Jolly Ranchers during homeroom. Thank you to everyone who contributed. Student Council truly appreciates your support.

Nest: 126

Int: 615

5/6: 410

Pri: 400

3/4: 222

6/7: 183

UP: 416

4/5: 440

7/8: 275

Volunteer Opportunities

Lunchroom Volunteers

If you would like to volunteer to supervise our students in the lunchroom, there are several opportunities to do so this month, beginning tomorrow, Friday, May 10. You may sign up directly using [SignUpGenius](#). Thank you for all of your help this year! Contact Jimlene Pleva at jimlene@eagleschool.org with questions.

General Information



Summer Enrichment at EAGLE: July 8 – 19: Now Open to Friends & Siblings

Last chance to sign up for our week-long summer enrichment courses! **Mini Room Construction** (building 3D rooms) needs a few more participants in order to run and is now open to students entering grades **3/4 – 7/8**. Course descriptions and registration forms are available on our [website](#). Completed forms are due May 17.



Important Deadline Approaching

Building and field trip fees, as well as tuition for semester and annual payment plans, are due **May 31**. Invoices were included in registration packets that were mailed to all new and returning families last Friday. In addition, all registration forms are also due in the Main Office by **Friday, May 31**. Semester reports will not be released to students on the last day of school until all requested items (payments/forms) have been submitted. Also, please note that after **May 31** your contract for the 2019-20 school year will be binding. Questions about tuition and fees? Email wade@eagleschool.org. Questions about registration? Email jimlene@eagleschool.org.

Transportation Reimbursement

Madison, Oregon, Verona, and Monona residents—whether driving to EAGLE or using the bus—can file for transportation reimbursement from their public school district. Contact your district office for more information on how to file. To assist you in filling out the required form (obtained from the district office), please note that students will have attended school 89 days in the first semester and will attend 86 days in the second semester, for a total of 175 days.

Public school transportation contacts:

Madison: *Michael LaCount, (608) 442-2898*

Verona: *Patti Fenske, (608) 845-4331*

Oregon: *Marc Fink, (608) 835-4032*

Monona: *Rachel Jaeb, (608) 316-1912*



EAGLE School Bus Planning Underway for 2019-20 School Year

It is time to start planning for next year's EAGLE bus! If you are currently using the bus or interested in doing so next year, please fill out this short [online survey](#) by May 31. The survey takes about two minutes to complete and will help us plan routes for the coming year. For returning riders, please let us know if you would like to change your bus stop, and we will make every effort to accommodate your [request](#).

The cost per family is ultimately based on the number of riders, and as in the past, families may choose to sign up as AM only, PM only, or full-time riders. While we expect that the bus will not be able to serve every family, we have seen the routes expand in recent years and will do our best to accommodate requests.

Later this summer, details about bus costs and routes will be emailed to families who register for the bus. For more information or to view this year's (2018-19) routes and rates, visit <http://eagleschoolbus.weebly.com/>.

Bus-related questions may be directed to our volunteer bus coordinators, Denise Martin, Sara Guyer, or Nadav Shelef at eagleschoolbus@gmail.com. Thank you for supporting the EAGLE Bus Program!

Study Club Payments

Study Club balances must be paid in full by the end of the year in order for semester reports to be released to your children. Please be extra diligent in reviewing the remaining May and June Study Club billing reports. If you have billing questions, please contact Jimlene at jimlene@eagleschool.org.

Click [here](#) to access the Study Club sign-up for the remainder of the school year.

Remember to Order Lunch

To place a Panera lunch order for Friday, May 17, log in to EAGLE School's [PraxiSchool Parent Portal](#) before Sunday, May 12, at midnight. We encourage you to click on "My Ordered Lunches" for each student and check for missed orders, doubled orders, and correct quantities.