

## 5/1/2020

#### **IMPORTANT DATES:**

May 4 Student Placement Survey Due

June 1 Kindergarten Registrations Due (Register on-line here- PPS K enrollment)

June 5-Sept 1 SUMMER BREAK

Sept 2 First Day of School Grades 1-5
Sept 8 First Day of School Kindergarten

## What's New Inside This Issue

New Message from the Principal

• District News-Link to latest Covid-19 updates

• Link to Weekly Counselor's Corner, Latest Video from Stephanie

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Bridlemile Families,

I hope this message finds you all safe, healthy and doing well. This week kicked off with our parade and what a special community event it was! It was such a wonderful way to connect, while continuing to practice social distancing with our students and families. It was great to see everyone! Our teachers and staff miss all of our students and families very much.

This week was another productive week for our students. They are certainly hitting their stride and acclimating to the structure of the online learning platforms. Students are working hard on their learning at home and we want to acknowledge that effort. Be sure to reach out to your child's teacher if you feel you need any additional support or guidance around assignments/lessons. We are here to support you during this challenging time, so please don't hesitate to reach out if you need it.

Forecasting is underway for our 5th graders. Students slated to attend West Sylvan had forecasting done this week and Robert Gray will be done in mid-May. Teachers and counselors will be coordinating with students in 5th grade to complete forecasting so expect to hear more from them soon.

Additionally, we continue to plan for 5th grade promotion. We will have more information in the coming weeks about promotion and honoring our exceptional 5th grade students, so stay tuned.

In other news, I'd like to make you aware of a few important items:

- On <u>Monday, May 4th</u> office staff will be contacting families who have medications at school to schedule a no contact delivery/drop off. Our goal is to have all medications delivered by the end of Monday.
- Additionally, if a family is in need of a textbook to complete any assignments, then
  please email the office staff at bridlemile-office@pps.net and they will coordinate a
  time with you to pick the textbook up at the front entrance of the school.
- At this time the district is *not allowing* students/families access to retrieve personal items. When social-distancing orders are eased, then the district will establish a date and process for families to retrieve personal items.

It is hard to believe that the month of May is upon us! I will continue to keep you posted of any new developments as we approach the end of the school year. Please continue to take good care of yourselves during this very challenging and difficult time. I hope you all have a wonderful weekend filled with plenty of rest and enrichment for you and your family.

Warmly,

**Brad Pearson** 

# Bridlemile Distance Learning Specials Schedule

Day	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Subject	Technology	Music	PE	PE	Library
Teacher	Mr. Stenger	Ms. Barlow	Ms. Morris	Mr. Urke	Ms. Dahinden

## FROM THE DISTRICT

For the most updated Coronavirus information go to <a href="mailto:pps.net/coronavirus">pps.net/coronavirus</a>

#### Child Care

For families who need child care services, please go to the PPS <u>COVID website</u>, there is a link for emergency child care options.

#### **SNAP BENEFITS FOR FAMILIES**

Households financially impacted by the Coronavirus (COVID-19) may be able to qualify for The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP). SNAP offers food benefits to eligible, low-income individuals and families. Find out if you are eligible and how to apply for food benefits.

https://www.oregon.gov/DHS/ASSISTANCE/FOOD-BENEFITS/pages/index.aspx

## FROM THE OFFICE

 Just a reminder that the Student Class Placement surveys need to be submitted by Monday, May 4, 2020.

To access the placement survey click here: <a href="https://forms.gle/GtbG14DmEQwGAc3Y8">https://forms.gle/GtbG14DmEQwGAc3Y8</a>

 Kindergarten Registration 2020-21: The building may be closed but registrations can be done on-line. Click <u>here</u> to register your incoming kindergartener. The deadline is currently June 1<sup>st</sup> but we encourage everyone to register early! If you know of any families with incoming kinders, please help spread the word!

## **COUNSELOR'S CORNER**

This week's newsletter: 5/1 Counselor's Newsletter

For your student(s) to watch: Counselor Time with your host: Stephanie

Video edition #4: Take a break and sing Baby T-Rex with Hatch the Dinosaur.

https://drive.google.com/open?id=1Y-ExXfyJzwnc9ZDq0NaeltTWVfGNFvqO

## **PTA NEWS**

Hello Bridlemile,

The website will be updated this weekend with needs for next year lead chairs and board positions.

In the weeks to come we will email an ask of volunteers to help assist with the items needed for the Outdoor Playground. There are items that can be made at home for the playground and we will send a list of those needs. There might be a great project on the list to do with your student!

If you or a community member are needing assistance with food/personal items, click on this link- <u>Covid Resources</u> for additional resources available to you.

We will continue to post updates on our website! www.bridlemileschool.org

Warmly, Your PTA

## **FOUNDATION NEWS**

Dear Parents-

We are so thankful for our community support during this time as we navigate this new environment. The Foundation is working to ensure that we have flexible funding to address community needs as we head into next year. As we are unable to take on any more school fundraising this Spring, we would like to encourage those of you who have already graciously donated this year and have companies that match your donations, to please finalize that matching paperwork so that we can take advantage of those additional funds. If you have any questions or need an itemized receipt, please reach out to me at kcornuelle@orrick.com.

For those of you who signed up for Spring and Summer easel parties as part of the auction benefit this year, we are obviously postponing these events due to the shelter-in-place order and the current Covid-19 risks, but we will be following up with you as to the rescheduled dates as soon as we have more direction and certainty.

Please stay safe and healthy. Despite being physically separated, we still have a strong school community that supports all of us.

Thanks so much, Kristin

## **SCHOOL CLUSTER NEWS**

Lincoln

Registration for Lincoln Youth Football in the fall (flag or tackle) is now open. Register now! Payment isn't needed until we know the season is happening! Click 'pay offline' at checkout, you will be guaranteed early bird pricing that lasts only through May. <u>click here to register</u>



## Wilson

The Wilson Youth Football Board has been monitoring the latest developments surrounding the Coronavirus (COVID 19). We feel for all the communities and families affected. We also know that we are stronger together and our kids need sports now more than ever. We stand together as a Football Community and look forward to seeing our athletes on the field again soon! We are happy to announce that Early Bird Tackle Football Registration for Fall 2020 is Open! - don't miss out! Membership for 2020 includes access to many off season camps, discounts on merchandise, registration for the 2020 season, all equipment rental and much more. Each player will be provided a helmet, shoulder pads, football pants, & jerseys to use for the season. Cleats & other protective gear (gloves, arm pads, etc) are not provided with the membership fee. Your player will join our coaches who are already planning for an fun and exciting year helping your player learn how to play safe and be a leader on the team and in the community! Join us for our 20th Anniversary year! Don't let cost be a deciding factor for you and your family. We want you to join us and will work with you to make football a reality for your family. Scholarships: Partial and full scholarships are available to families who qualify. Please contact registrar@wilsonyouthfootball.com for more information. Payment Plans: The membership fee can be split into 3 monthly payments up until August 1st. Any memberships completed after this date will be allowed to create a limited payment plan or pay in full. Email: <u>registrar@wilsonyouthfootball.com</u> if you have any questions related to membership.

Michael Warren
Wilson Youth Football



<u>School Website</u> 503-916-6292

Friday Flyer Archives: School Website

PTA/Foundation: <u>Parent Resources / Bridlemile</u> PTA Website: <u>https://bridlemileschool.org/</u>