

Bridlemile Friday Flyer

5/20/2022

IMPORTANT DATES

May 26th	Band & Strings Concert 6:00PM
May 30th	NO SCHOOL - Memorial Day
June 3rd	ALL Library Books Due
June 3rd	Bike Fest (*rescheduled from 5/19)
June 8th	Junior Rose Parade 1:00pm
June 10th	Last Day of School
June 17th	Report Cards Mailed Home
June 20th	Office CLOSED for the Summer

WHAT'S NEW INSIDE THIS ISSUE

- From the District- 2022 Summer Safety and Enrichment Programming; Nutrition Services Student Meal Accounts
- From the Office- Please return any unopened OHSU test kits to the office; Yearbook Reminder for 5th Grade Families
- From the Nurse- End of Year Medication Pick-up Reminder
- Technology News- **End of the Year Chromebook Return for Grades 3-5- Please see dates below for your classroom's scheduled due date**
- PTA/Foundation News-[Newsletter](#); Bike Fest Updated Information

FROM THE DISTRICT

Bus Route Check Tool: pps.net/routecheck
[PPS Daily Illness Self-Screening Checklist](#)

2022-23 District Calendar

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The school year calendar is also [available on the PPS website](#)

PPS Summer 2022: Safety and Enrichment Programming

Dear PPS Community,

Portland Public Schools is thrilled to announce the PPS Summer 2022: Safety and Enrichment Offerings, which includes opportunities for students to participate in camps, classes and workshops this summer. Our summer programming meaningfully engages students in activities that activate imagination, creativity, learning and play while also providing support to students and families to prevent gun

violence such as case management, youth employment, and flexible funding for wrap-around supports.

We are bolstered by our community partners, many who are culturally specific, who bring these programs to life by providing fun, positive and enriching summer experiences so students can explore, learn and connect.

This year, we included the summer programming in our PPS Multilingual Family Supports website: <https://ppsfamilysupports.com/>. This website provides an experience that is easy to navigate, multilingual, user-friendly and welcoming for everyone. The website includes filters to search summer programming by language, school, and grade. It also has sections with topics including the arts, child care, STEM (science, technology, engineering and math) and employment opportunities for older students. We expect to provide the largest academic and enrichment summer program in PPS—and most likely state—history.

Please visit <https://ppsfamilysupports.com/> to see the full summer programming selection.

We hope you register today!

Nutrition Services

STUDENT MEAL ACCOUNTS, REQUESTING REFUNDS OR MAKING PAYMENTS

If your student no longer attends Portland Public Schools or you no longer want to use SchoolCafe, you can deactivate your SchoolCafe account anytime by logging in and selecting 'Deactivate My Account' under My Profile.

To Families Who Use SchoolCafe to Pay for School Meals:

If there is a positive/credit balance on the meal account at the end of the school year, it will automatically rollover to the 2022-23 school year regardless of which school the student attends.

More information about school meal prices and which schools will be approved for the Community Eligibility Provision where all students eat for free, will be made available this summer.

The options for a positive/credit balance are:

1. Do nothing. The funds will remain in the account for future purchases.
2. Request a refund check. Checks are sent in the mail within 7-10 business days depending on the volume of requests received.
3. Request the funds be transferred to another PPS student's meal account to use for future purchases.
4. Request the funds be donated to a specific school or general fund to pay off negative balances.

To submit an online request for options 2-4, [click here. \(https://forms.gle/j1irrFQcQSkGL9KG7\)](https://forms.gle/j1irrFQcQSkGL9KG7)

If the account has a negative/owing balance from unpaid purchases made from prior school years, it will automatically rollover to the 2022-23 school year. Families have the following payment options:

- Bring cash or check (made payable to Portland Public Schools) to the school cafeteria before school ends, or send a check to PPS Nutrition Services, 501 N. Dixon St, Portland, OR 97227.
- Submit an online payment via SchoolCafe*.

**For assistance submitting a payment for an inactive student, please contact the PPS Nutrition Services office at 503.916.3247 or email nssupport@pps.net.*

NOTE: Payments can be made in installments if the total amount cannot be paid in full. Owing balances will not impact students from receiving school meals.

To Families Who Use to SchoolCafe to Submit a Free and Reduced Meal Application:

- Applications can be submitted on or after July 1, 2022. The application will include the new, 2022-23 income guidelines.
- Students approved for free or reduced meals in the 2021-22 school year will have an additional 30 operating days at the start of the next school to submit a new meal application without incurring meal charges.
- For questions about the meal application process, please contact the PPS Meal Benefits Office at mealbenefits@pps.net or call 503.916.3402.

FROM THE OFFICE

OHSU Take-Home Kit Reminder

Just a reminder if you participate in the OSHU take home testing program and have any unopened kits laying around at home please send them back to school as soon as possible so that we may use them for redistribution. Thank you!

Message from 5th Grade Transition Team- YEARBOOK reminder

Hi 5th grade families and caregivers!

Don't forget to order your student's 5th grade yearbook!!

Please go onto [Cheddar Up](#) to pay for your student's yearbook.

If you already paid via Lifetouch, you should have received a refund and DO NEED to order again.

If you have any questions, please reach out to the yearbook volunteers Rebecca Hunnicutt Farren (rebecca@hunnicuttphotography.com) or Tara Ratliff (taradrat@gmail.com)

Thanks so much!

Moving?? If you are moving or will be attending a different school next year, please let the office know as soon as possible; staff are currently working hard on class placements for next year and it helps the process to know of any changes in advance. Thank you!



Families with incoming Kindergarteners for 2022-23 (class of 2028)

The PTA has created a new Facebook Parent Group for our Bridlemile kinder families to connect. Here is the link to join:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/663771308063161/?ref=share>.



FROM THE NURSE

End of year medication reminder: Medication checked in at school must be picked up by the parent or be destroyed at the end of the school year per district policy. If you have medication(s) in the office for your child that you feel are no longer needed for the remainder of the year, please stop by the office as soon as possible to pick up; this will help us greatly! Thank you!

TECHNOLOGY NEWS FROM MS. DAHINDEN

IMPORTANT: End of the year chromebook housekeeping

Dear families:

If you were issued a PPS Chromebook for distance learning during the pandemic from March 2020-May 2021 (this does NOT include the distribution this year of grades 3-5 CTL chromebooks) Please return the Chromebooks to the Bridlemile office by **Tuesday May 31st** . Thank you.

End of the year Chromebook Return for grades 3-5

Chromebooks and chargers will be turned in at the end of the year. Please make sure your student brings his or her Chromebook and charger to school on the designated day.

Wednesday, June 1st--Mr. Stenger, 5th grade

Thursday, June 2nd--Ms. Morris, 5th grade

Friday, June 3rd--Ms. Yates, 5th grade

Monday, June 6th--Ms. Rischiotto and Ms. Guthrie 4th grade

Tuesday, June 7th--Mr. Augustine, 4th grade and Ms. Hales, 3rd grade

Wednesday, June 8th--Ms. Smith and Ms. Koning, 3rd grade

Thursday, June 9th--Ms. Maddy

LIBRARY NEWS FROM MS. DAHINDEN

End of Year Library Information

As the school year winds down, here are some important dates to keep in mind regarding checking out and returning library books:

May 23rd - May 27th is the last week for students to check out library books.

All library books need to be returned on or before **June 3rd**. Thanks for your help in ensuring that books are returned.

PTA/FOUNDATION NEWS

PTA and Foundation [Newsletter](#)



BIKE FEST

We've rescheduled to give everyone more notice and are crossing our fingers for drier and warmer weather! Bike Fest is returning on Friday, June 3rd from 2:15-4pm. It's time to ride your bike to school and then ride all around after the school day is over! There will be a course around the school and a smaller loop for anyone who just wants to test things out. The slow bike race will be back as will raffle prizes and other activities. We will have snacks available when it's time to take a break from all of that pedaling.

Of course this doesn't happen without some help. We need volunteers to make sure everyone is safe and the events happen without a hitch. A special thanks to Trek, who are providing a mechanic to help service any bikes that need an adjustment or repair so if your bike has an issue bring it by, get it fixed up, and start riding! Use this sign-up (<https://signup.com/go/JAmiRWb>) or contact David (steinnet@gmail.com).

To celebrate Walk + Roll Challenge month there will also be free items including pencils, stickers, masks, comics, and more at Bike Fest. In addition, for anyone who wonders where some of the designs come from for those Bike stencils on the road the answer is students around Portland. You are able to submit your designs through the Bike to Books Digital Design Contest (<https://www.portland.gov/transportation/safe-routes-school/bike-books-digital-design-contest>). If your design is selected the city will install it nearby Bridlemile for everyone to enjoy! Entries are due by June 1st.

Bridlemile Fundraiser Flower Power is on Now - May 25th.

An earth friendly way to support our school while ensuring you have the greatest blooms in town! 50% of all sale proceeds goes directly to the support of Bridlemile students, teachers, faculty and gardens.

All plants and bulbs come with a 100% replacement guarantee!

Purchase directly on <http://bridlemilegardensale.fpfundraising.com/>

For additional questions & information contact Lauren Barton at garden@bridlemileschool.org

COMMUNITY NEWS

Ida B. Wells H.S

IBW Girls Summer basketball

Wells Football Foundation is happy to announce that 2022 Wells Youth Football registration is open! We hope you are as excited about this year's football as we are. Complete info and registration is posted here:

<https://www.wellsfootball.com/>

Lincoln H.S

Lincoln Youth Soccer

<https://www.lincolnyouthfootball.info/> See flier here:

CARDINAL SEASON IS COMING!

LINCOLN YOUTH FOOTBALL

REGISTER NOW

FLAG	ROOKIE TACKLE	TACKLE
KINDER-2nd 3rd - 4th	3rd - 4th	5th - 6th 7th - 8th

EARLY BIRD PRICING IN MAY
TACKLE STARTS AUGUST 8
FLAG STARTS AUGUST 24
DEADLINE TO REGISTER JULY 31ST

FOOTBALL FUN DAY

FREE FAMILY FUN FOR ALL KIDS THAT LIVE IN OR GO TO SCHOOL IN THE LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT ARE INVITED

FREE TO ATTEND
MAY 22ND, 2022
2-4PM
WELLS HIGH SCHOOL FIELD

AGES 5-14 CO-ED
T-SHIRT AND SNACKS INCLUDED

FIND OUT MORE AND REGISTER HERE:
www.lincolnyouthfootball.info



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Community Fliers:

Bustin' Barriers Summer Camps for Kids Experiencing Disability

Saturday Academy [Summer STEAM Camps & Classes](#)

Portland Metro [Fire Summer Camp](#)

Benson Tech Youth United [Multi-Sport Summer Camp](#) (FLIER UPDATED)

Adapted PE Field Day (K-8 flier)

Cognizart [360 Arts Summer Camp](#)

Verselandia! (April 28, 2022 Flier)

OSU STEM Academy [AWSEM Club Spring Dates](#) (English) (Spanish)

VIBE of Portland [Art Camps, Classes, No-School Workshops](#)

VIBE of Portland [East Winds Summer Camp](#)

OSU [Summer Reading Program](#)

Multnomah Early Childhood Program (English) (Spanish) (Vietnamese)

Portland Parks & Recreation Preschool [2022-2023 Registration](#)



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