OCTOBER

Oatville Elementary

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Natalie Rust
Principal

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From the Desk of Principal Rust

Dear Oatville Parents/Guardians:

The school year is off to a great start. PTA hosted their first meeting in September and have a lot of activities planned for the year. Parent volunteers are always needed for activities and sign-up sheets will be coming home when that help is needed. Thank you PTA for your support.

Congratulations to our students that participated in State Assessments last year (grades 3,4,5). All grade levels scored above the district and state benchmarks in reading and math. Individual scores will be mailed out through the Administrative Office so stay tuned for more information as it develops. High achievement is a direct reflection of the parent involvement and teacher dedication at Oatville. I'm very impressed with the quality of instruction that occurs on a daily basis at Oatville. The teachers are very dedicated in providing students with instruction based on their needs. They spend a lot of time testing the students throughout the year, and it is evident that the data is used for instructional growth purposes.

Please note that the Fall Parties will be at 9:15 a.m on October 20th. Students are welcome to wear their costumes to school and will also be having a costume parade. It is helpful to go ahead and send your child to school that morning and then parents join at check-in beginning at 9:00 am. More information will be communicated closer to the time because some plans for check-in will depend upon the completion of the new parking lot. Also, healthy snacks would be appreciated (breakfast casseroles, veggie trays, cheese/crackers, trail mix…). Most sweets, will be bagged up and sent home. A big thank you to all the room parents and volunteers for the help with the classroom parties.

Thank you for being involved in your child's education and checking WEDNESDAY FOLDERS!! I love this organizational system that is in place! Please feel free to email me or stop by the office to visit anytime. Working together is very important for the benefit of your child. We look forward to seeing you at Parent-Teacher Conferences which will be held on October 24th and 25th from 4:00 pm – 8:30 pm. Please contact your teacher to sign up for a conference slot.

Yours in Education,

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no School

Students will be out of school
Friday, October 21st, 27th and 28th.

FALL PARTIES

Fall parties will be on Thursday October 20, 2016. Parties begin at 9:15 a.m. Afternoon Pre-K parties will begin at 1:15.

STUDENTS MAY WEAR COSTUMES TO SCHOOL!

PLEASE BRING A SACK TO PUT COSTUME IN AFTER THE PARADE!

DATE CHANGE

The music concert scheduled for November 15, 2016 for 3rd-5th Grade has been rescheduled for December 6, 2016 at 7pm.

PTA SALE

PTA currently has gourmet chocolate bars and scented pencils on sale in the front office! Stop by and snag them up! Each are $1.

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Parent/Teacher Conferences are on October 24th– 25th from 4:30-8:30. If you were unable to sign up at Open House, please call your child's teacher by October 14th to schedule a time slot for your conference! After the 14th, please call the office at 316-554-2290.

PTA NEWS

There will be a silent auction during Parent/Teacher Conferences! PTA will have some amazing stuff to auction off! Look for more information in your student's Wednesday Folders!

ITS NOT TOO LATE TO SIGN UP FOR PTA!!! CONTACT THE OFFICE FOR MORE INFO!

October Calendar Notes

7th– 4th Grade field trip to Cowtown
7th– Kindergarten field trip to Apple Jack's Pumpkin Patch
11th– Fundraiser ends
11th– PTA meeting in commons 6-7pm
12th– 5th Grade to Starbase
17th– Site Council Meeting 6-7pm in commons
17th– 5th Grade to Starbase
19th– 5th Grade to Starbase
20th– Fall Parties
20th– PTA Skating Party at Roller City 4:15-6 pm
21st– NO SCHOOL/ End of 1st Nine Weeks
24th– Parent Teacher Conferences/ Book Fair in Library
25th– Parent Teacher Conferences/ Book Fair in Library
25th– Dental Flouride Varnish
26th– Book Fair in Library
27th– NO SCHOOL/ Conference Release Day
28th– NO SCHOOL/ Conference Release Day
31st– Red Ribbon Week Begins (Wear Red Day)

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BOX TOPS WINNERS

The class with the most Box Tops was:

Mrs. Moyer
368 Box Tops

The school collected a total of:

693

Want to Volunteer or Attend a Field Trip?

Please stop by the office and grab a volunteer application! These can take a week or two to approve, so please be sure to get them in well in advance if you wish to attend your child's field trip.

NO ADULT WILL BE ALLOWED TO ATTEND IF VOLUNTEER APPLICATION IS NOT ON FILE!

Site Council Meeting

The Site Council meeting will be October 17th at 6 p.m. in the commons.

Mrs. Davis, in the health room, will be conducting Hearing and Vision checks later this month. If she has any concerns, she will be contacting you. She will also be doing dental screenings and fluoride varnish this month. If you wish to opt out, please send a note with your child to school. Hearing/ Vision checks will be conducted on October 17, 19, 24, 26, 31st and November 1st. Varnish is Oct. 25th

PTA Skating Party

PTA is planning a skating party at Roller City on Thursday, October 20th from 4:15-6 pm. **Please be sure to come into the rink between 6– 6:15pm to check your child out**.

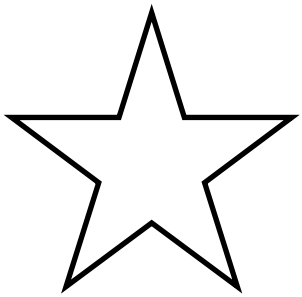
Kindergarten Pumpkin Patch Field Trip

All of Kindergarten will be venturing out to Apple Jack's Pumpkin Patch Friday, October 7th.

HAVE A SAFE AND "SPOOKTACULAR" HALLOWEEN!!!

Star Happenings At Oatville

Shout out to Girl Scout Troop 40307 for coming out to Oatville and picking up trash and pulling weeds! Because of their hard work Oatville is looking amazing! Keep up the SUPER STAR work!



HAVE YOU SEEN???

A **STAR HAPPENING** that you want us to mention? Email Amanda in the front office at **adoss@usd261.com** so we can share it with everyone!!!