

September

Oatville Elementary

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Principal

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Principal's Corner Natalie Rust

When parents are involved in their children's education, children do better in school. Parents and the school community can bring great wisdom to the work of the school Site Council if they are truly a part of the decision making process. What is Site Council? The mission of the school Site Council is to provide advice and counsel regarding specified areas of their school's programs and operations.

The Oatville Site Council will be composed of teachers, school personnel, parents, business community and other community groups.

Site Council will meet 5 times throughout the year. If you would like to join Site Council, please email me at nrust@usd261.com. We need some great parents to join our group.

Thank you!
Natalie Rust

Site Council Dates for 2017-2018

September	25th	6pm
October	30th	6pm
November	27th	6pm
January	29th	6pm
March	29th	6pm
April	30th	6pm



Candy Bar Sale

The school currently has World's Finest Chocolate bars on sale in the front office for \$1. Students are also selling cases as a Fundraiser.



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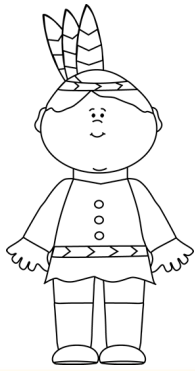
As in the past, USD 261 will be releasing information and photos to the media throughout the coming school year of various activities and programs. Under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, disclosure without prior consent is permitted by law, including the following directory information: name, address, telephone number, and photographs. You have the right to refuse to permit the release of any or all of the above information. If you refuse, you must give written notification to this effect to the Superintendent of Schools for USD 261, 1745 West Grand, Haysville, KS 67060 on or before September 11, 2017. If refusal is not filed, USD261 assumes there is no objection to the release of the information designated or photos.

September Calendar Notes

- 4th**— No School Labor Day
- 8th**— Candy Bar Money due
- 11th**— Wear Red, White, and Blue for Patriot Day.
- 15th**— Lifetouch Pictures
- 19th**— Girls on the begins 3rd-5th grade 4-5:30
- 21st**— PTA Skating Party at Roller City 4:15-6 pm
- 22nd**— NO SCHOOL/ Inservice.
- 22nd**— First day of Fall
- 25th**— Site Council 6pm
- 26th**— PTA Fundraiser kick off
- 29th**— Box Top pick up

Welcome New Staff to Oatville

- Mrs. Whearty — Kdg
- Mrs. Cerre—Kdg
- Mr. Franklin—P.E.
- Mrs. Balzer—2nd Grade
- Ms. Beers —5th Grade
- Mrs. Hill—3-5 Inter-related
- Mrs. Long — Attendance Secretary
- Elaine Townsend— Kitchen



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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

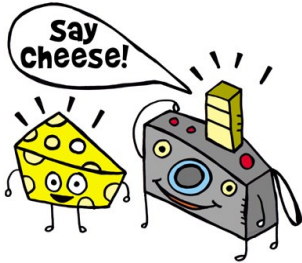
PTA Skating Party

PTA is planning a skating party at Roller City on Thursday, September 21st from 4:15-6 pm.
Please be sure to come into the rink between 5:45- 6:00 pm to check your child out.



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FALL PICTURE DAY



Packets will be sent home in your student's Wednesday folders announcing Fall pictures. Pictures will be taken on September 15th starting at 8:00 a.m. All students will get a picture taken on this day for the yearbook. If you wish to purchase pictures, please return the picture packet with payment on that day.

Wednesday Folders

We will be sending all regular weekly communications home in **Wednesday Folders**. Please be sure to check the contents of the folder each week, sign that you have viewed them, and then return the folder promptly on Thursday.

Please Notify The Office

Please remember to call the office when your student will not be in school because of illness or appointments by 9 am. Our phone number is 554-2290. Also, please sign your child in at the office. If they arrive after 8:25.

Oatville T-Shirts

If your child would like to have an Oatville Elementary T-Shirt to wear on Thursdays to show school spirit please return the order form to your child's teacher by September 15th.

Girls on the Run

Girls on the Run is an exciting new program we are beginning this year. This program will focus on building the confidence and self-esteem in girls 3rd-5th grade. The team will meet Tuesday's and Thursdays beginning on September 19th from 4-5:30 pm. For more information please see handout in Wednesday folders or contact Brenna Miller, school counselor at 316-554-2290.