



Shohola Elementary Newsletter

March 2022



Events in March

- 3/1 K & 1 Concert
- 3/9 PTA Meeting
- 3/11 Teddy Bear Stuffing
- 3/14 & 3/15 3 x 3 Tournament
- 3/18 Candy Bar Bingo
- 3/25 & 3/26 Drama Production
- 3/29 Grade 2 & 3 Concert

April's Events:

- 4/6 Spring Picture Day
- 4/8 PTA Easter Themed Activity Night
- 4/13 Report Cards go Home
- 4/14-4/18 Spring Break

Safety Update:

- In March we conducted the mandated Fire Drill
- Please remember if you are going to visit the school, please enter through the front doors, get buzzed in, and sign-in at the desk.
- If you are dropping you child off for a morning activity, please do not leave until you see you child with the appropriate staff member.
- Officer Scott has completed the 2nd grade DARE lessons

Support Network

- If you or your family is in need of any support, please contact the guidance and nurse's office.
- Feel free to reach out to me as well if there is ever anything I can do to help.



From the Office of Mr. Weston

Reflections from the Principal

Well, March has come and brought with it weather that cleared the snow!!!. Hopefully the mud will soon dry up and we can get outside and play. I am looking forward to seeing the grass turn green, trees bud, and the flowers bloom. While this weather persists, please make sure your kids are dressed warmly to come to school. It gets pretty cool outside at recess, especially with the wind we are getting lately.

In March, I was able to visit the classrooms to continue the Principal Reading Visits. We have read: Dr. Seuss's ABC, There is a Wocket in My Pocket, and Ten Apples Up On Top. For the upper grades, I have been reading Charlotte's Web with the Third Grade, Island of the Blue Dolphins with the Fourth Grade, and My Side of the Mountain with the Fifth Grade. These are classic novels that all elementary students should experience. We read portions of these novels on a weekly basis.

While all of the buses basically arrive to the school right at dismissal, and been pulling out right around 3:40, we must be prepared for weather delays and closures. Please have an emergency plan ready in case we experience some form of change to our usual schedule. All the wet weather and high winds in the Spring can often cause trees to come down and mess everything up. Also, while we have had very few bus referrals, but please remind your children about safe and appropriate conduct on the bus.

I am going to strongly urge our staff to take advantage of the nice weather and run clubs that can be held outdoors. Please be on the lookout for these offerings.

Remember to take some time over break to build some memories with family and friends that will last a lifetime. Don't waste a minute!! You can never get time back!!

Congratulations to the OM teams. They did an awesome job this year!!

Clearance Reminder:

If you wish to volunteer during the school year, you must have up-to-date clearances. This is a Commonwealth Law. For a list of the clearances and the procedures on how to obtain these clearances, visit our District's Website.

PTA

The PTA has a Easter Themed Event on 4/8. We hope you can come out and enjoy the activities. The PTA is a great opportunity to get involved at SES. Any and all help is greatly appreciated. If you haven't joined the PTA, please do so.