

DRAGON TALES

Olney Elementary PTA Newsletter

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Important Dates!

- June 11 5th Grade Memories Ceremony
Sherwood High School, 6pm
- June 15 Last Day of School; Early Dismissal



CONGRATULATIONS OES CLASS OF 2018!

Your time as a caterpillar has ended; your wings are ready!



Fifth Grade Memories Ceremony

Monday, June 11th at 6:00 pm in the Ertzman Theater at Sherwood High School. Students should be dropped off in the school's bus loop by the doors next to the bell at 5:35 pm. Parents are welcome to arrive at 5:40 pm to enjoy a picture montage before the ceremony.

Yearbooks

There are a limited number of extra yearbooks. Students will be given the opportunity to purchase them this Wednesday morning (June 13). The cost is \$25 and checks should be made out to "OES PTA."

Retirement Celebration for Ms. Bombara

Ms. Bombara will retire, after 30 dedicated years to MCPS, at the end of the year. Mrs. Glawe and Mrs. Chichester invite you to stop by and say farewell to Ms. Bombara on June 13, 2018, from 3:50-4:30 pm in the OES all purpose room. This will be an informal opportunity for students and their families to say goodbye.

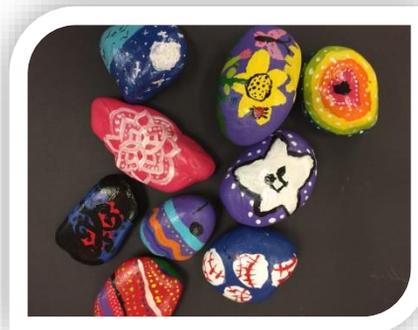
Thank you, Ms. Bombara, for all you've done for our Dragon families. We will miss you!

5th Grade Art Project

Over the past couple of weeks, the 5th grade classes have been working on a special project in art class. Each student has painted a stone to express how they are unique and how they can contribute to the world. The rocks will be installed in one of the school courtyards along with a sundial as part of the Class of 2018's gift to OES.

We want to thank Mrs. Henderson and all of the parent volunteers who helped make this project happen.

A special thanks goes to [RELS Landscaping](#) for donating the stones!



You can follow us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/OlneyPTA/>

PTA Website: olneyespta.org

You Can Make A Difference: Get Involved in the Olney Elementary PTA

It feels great to participate! Your child spends a lot of time at school, and it's great to share some of their school-related experiences. While volunteering your time, you'll also see your efforts pay off in smiles of your children and their friends.

Volunteering makes a big difference. From fundraising to programming, the PTA is a vital part of the school community and your involvement can have a lasting, positive impact on students.

It's a terrific way to get to know other parents. Add some new friends with a shared interest to your circle and help foster connections between families in your community.

Your help is always welcome. Whether you're participating on a committee, helping to run an event or providing support in the classroom, there are always ways to pitch in.

You can put your talents to good use. There are many ways to contribute, some of which are sure to complement your strengths, interests or professional skills.

Have a great idea? Volunteering gives you opportunities to get your ideas out there.

Volunteering provides another way to get to know teachers and school staff. Involvement in the PTA can help you better understand the staff's needs and ideas. And it's a great way to keep up-to-date on school issues.

The PTA has a variety of positions available for next year.
If you are interested in learning more about how you can help,
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