



HOME OF THE VIKINGS

District Mission: Toledo Public Schools' mission is to produce competitive college and career ready graduates through a rigorous curriculum across all grade levels by implementing Ohio's New Learning Standards with fidelity.

District Vision: Toledo Public Schools strives to be an 'A-rated' school district whose graduates are college and career ready.

Oakdale Elementary

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Title 1 School
December 2022

Sixth Grade Camp



We are excited that sixth grade camp is back! All camp payments are due by January 12, 2023. The cost is \$170.00. You may send in payments or pay in full. Students will receive a receipt for all payments. The students will have a ton of fun and many memories will be created. If you have any questions, please email our sixth grade teachers, Ms. Chytil at rchytil@tps.org or Mrs. Bohland at bbohland@tps.org.

NO MORE RECESS





Recess ended on Tuesday, November 22, 2022. Recess will resume in March.

Assistant Principal's News



ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents:

Merry Christmas  and Happy New Year  !
Stay safe and spread kindness. Enjoy time with your loved ones and creating new memories. I look forward to seeing the students and families in 2023!

NO SCHOOL



WINTER BREAK

**Tuesday, December 20th through
Wednesday, January 4th**

Safety Patrol



Greetings from the Oakdale Safety Patrol!
We are honored to help serve our school community each morning and afternoon and do our part in keeping the students at Oakdale safe. A few reminders to parents and loved ones to end the year safely. Please be sure to drop off your student in the Oakdale side parking lot.

Students who eat breakfast or do walking club can then take the sidewalk around to the gym side doors. Students are not allowed to enter the building early or reenter after the final bell, so please be sure in the colder months to help your student dress for the weather. **In addition, all of our patrol members are school-aged students who are trying their best to keep all students safe, please be respectful to their position when dropping off or picking up your students.** Any issues or shout-outs of praise for a team member please email us at: rchytil@tps.org

Thank You,
Oakdale Safety Patrol

Nurse's News

The American Academy of Pediatrics recommends all children ages 6 months and older be vaccinated for influenza this fall, as vaccines remain the best way to prevent severe illness and keep kids in classrooms.

Any questions please call me at 419-671-7350.
Nurse Marcy

**When Your Child Is Absent...**

Call the school attendance line at 419-671-7351 to report your child will not be in attendance. Please speak slowly and clearly. Please include your name, your child's name, your child's teacher or room number, the date, and the reason for the absence. If the school does not receive a note upon your child's return to school, the absence will be unexcused. Please send any medical documentation along with the note. More than **10** absences require a doctor's note.

Messages for Students

Please communicate with your child/children all after school pick up information, who to go home with, etc. before they leave for school in the morning.

The office gets very busy during the day, and the secretary does not have a lot of time to forward messages to students. There are the cases when a real emergency arises, and that is totally acceptable.

Please try and make doctor appointments outside of school hours if possible. Students are arriving later and later to school and are missing instructional time in class.

Welcome to Mrs. Howard's Counselor Corner

Please read my letter about "The Season of Joy" that is attached to this newsletter.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. TPS PROUD!!! (see attachment)

Walking Club

Walking Club will be every Tuesday and Thursday from 8:30-8:45 in the gymnasium. Remember the more you walk, the more incentives you can earn!

DAILY HEALTH ASSESSMENT

- Families are being asked to perform a daily health assessment, which includes whether the student has any of the following:
- Fever (100 degrees or higher), chills, fatigue, muscle or body aches, headache, sore throat, congestion or runny nose, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, new olfactory disorder, and new taste disorder.
- If the student is sick, the parents please keep the student home. **If the students begin to exhibit any signs or symptoms of COVID19 they will be sent home immediately.**

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

Fresh fruits and vegetables program began in November. The students are given fresh fruit and vegetables on Tuesday and Thursday of every week. The students are really enjoying them!



Christmas Musical

The Christmas Musical "The ELVES' Impersonator" will be presented at Oakdale on December 13th at 1:30 for grades Pre-K-8. Parents of cast members are invited to attend to see your child perform.

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.



There is NO SCHOOL on January 16, 2023 in observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Visitors



Visitors to the building are discouraged and are encouraged to make an appointment. We have a new visitor identification system that will require all visitors to the building to present a state/federal ID. Please understand that this is a new district policy. No exceptions will be given.

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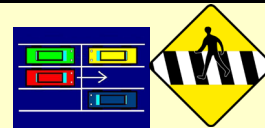


Volunteers are needed for the Penguin Patch. **The Penguin Patch runs from 11/28-12/2.** If interested, please contact Ms. Krista, PTO President at 419-806-3700 or email her at kwilcox81575@gmail.com

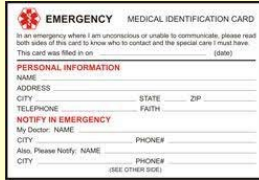
*January sale will be a Coupon booklet (more information forthcoming)

*There will be some pop up sales to help children with camp fees

Parking Lot and Crosswalk



The parking lot patrol is out there to assist you at school arrival and dismissal time. The same traffic pattern and drop off/pick up areas are being maintained. Your cooperation and kind words are always appreciated. They are always looking for volunteers to help out. Parents waiting for students must wait outside the building and in the designated waiting area behind the cones. Please refrain from early pick up of students between 3:00-3:15 p.m. This is very disrupting to the teachers as they prepare the students for dismissal.

Emergency Medical Cards (EMC)


EMERGENCY MEDICAL IDENTIFICATION CARD

In an emergency where I am unconscious or unable to communicate, please read both sides of this card to know who to contact and the special care I must have. This card was filed in on: _____ (DATE)

PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME _____
 ADDRESS _____
 CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
 TELEPHONE _____ FAX _____
NOTIFY IN EMERGENCY
 My Doctor: NAME _____ PHONE# _____
 Also, Please Notify: NAME _____ PHONE# _____
 CITY _____ (SEE OTHER SIDE)

If you have not filled out an EMC, please do so ASAP and return to the office.

Emergencies happen and we must have current information to get in contact with you. It is essential for your child's safety! No students will be allowed to go on field trip without an EMC.



Dear Parent/Guardian:

If your child needs to be picked up for an appointment a parent/guardian can **ONLY** pick up the child. If parent/guardian cannot pick up the child, the parent/guardian must provide a written note with name of person picking up the child and person must have their ID AND be on the emergency contact list.

Dates to Remember

Order your Spirit Wear by November 30th!!! Forms are in the office.

GO VIKINGS!



12/13-Christmas Program at Oakdale

12/20-1/4-Winter Break

11/28-12/2- Santa Shop/Penguin Patch for PTO

1/16-Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day