

Cougar News



#### IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Mon. 5/29 - NO SCHOOL-Memorial Day

Tues. 5/30 - DIBELS 2nd Grade Field Trip, 4:00 Elementary Band Fun Day @ SHS

Wed. 5/31 - 2D NWEA

Thurs. 6/1- 2G NWEA 5th Grade Step Up Day

Fri. 6/2 - DIBELS 9:00 MUG & MUFFIN

Mon. 6/5 - 5:00 City Track Meet May 26 , 2023 School Hours: 8:15 am - 3 pm



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#### Absences:

When your child is absent. Please call the school office (603) 332-2146. Leave your name, your child's name, the child's teacher's name and reason for absence. If we do not hear from you, district policy states we will call you. This is for your child's safety.

If your child is late you need to sign them in at the office.

Lunch Menu Link

**Table Talk:** Why do we have Monday off? What is the meaning of Memorial Day?

East Rochester School Expectations						
BE SAFE						
I will make safe and appropriate choices.	I will demonstrate behavior that is considerate of the community, the school and myself.					
BE RESPONSIBLE						
I will be on time to fulfill my daily commitments.	I will be actively engaged in my learning by asking questions, collaborating and seeking solutions.					
BE RESPECTFUL						
I will be truthful and accountable for my choices.	I will show respect and encourage the right to teach and the right to learn at all times.					





#### Is your child registered for Kindergarten yet?

The sooner the better.

Classrooms are filling up. Please don't wait until the last minute and run the risk of not having your child in their neighborhood school.

> Please call us if you have any questions. We look forward to seeing you.

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## The 2023 Summer Meals Program will provide meals from June 26th - August 18th

## Summer Meals

Sites open to all children aged 0-18. No registration or signup required.

#### Dover

Dover High School 25 Alumni Dr. Rutland Manor 1 Abbey Ln. Whitecliffs Apartments 510 Martha's Way Redden Gardens 2 Adelle Dr.

## Rochester

Spaulding High School 130 Wakefield St. Amazon Park 105 Whitehouse Rd. Cold Springs Manor 10 Cold Spring Manor Riviera Motel 479 Gonic Rd.

## Somersworth

Somersworth Housing Authority 25 Bartlett Ave.



## Parent Newsletter: May 26, 2023

#### **Notes from Nurse Amanda**



• May is bike safety month! Here are a few tips to stay safe out there!

• Wear a properly-fitted helmet. It is the best way to prevent head injuries and death.

• Ride on the sidewalk when

you can. If not, ride in the same direction as traffic as far on the right-hand side as possible.

- Use hand signals and follow the rules of the road. Be predictable by making sure you ride in a straight line and don't swerve between cars.
- Wear bright colors and use lights, especially when riding at night and in the morning. Reflectors on your clothes and bike will help you be seen.
- Ride with your children. Stick together until you are comfortable that your kids are ready to ride on their own.
- Click here for more Bike safety tips!
  - Reminders:

• Consent forms for school medical services are required for children to receive any type of medical treatment from school personnel.

• Children with any **fever greater than 100.4F** must be home from school and remain home until fever-free for 24 hours without the use of fever-reducing medications.

 Please notify the school nurse if your child or someone in their household has been diagnosed with Covid.

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In Ms. Croft's Kindergarten we made homemade bread and churned our own butter for the culmination of the Colonial Times unit. They were yummy!!



The Eastside Math Team had 7 students from East Rochester School and 1 student from Nancy Loud School compete with several other schools in the district in the Mathalon. Greyson Lampron received Ist place for individual scores and all students received a certificate and did an amazing job!



LOST & FOUND The end of the school year is only three weeks away. Please have your students check the Lost & Found

for missing items!



Attention 5th Grade Parents and Students...



# Rochester Middle School 5th Grade Step-Up Night

Date: Thursday, June 1, 2023 Time: 5:30-7:00 PM Location: Rochester Middle School





Hello ERS Families! May is end-of-year benchmark testing month. Throughout May, all students in grades K-5 will be administered the DIBELS end-year test to assess reading fluency and other basic literacy skills. Over the course of the month, all students in grades 1-5 will also be taking the NWEA math and reading tests (see calendar below for your child's specific NWEA testing days). Please help your child be best prepared to demonstrate his/her

ever-strengthening academic skills by reminding him/her of the following tidbits for testing success:

Get a good night's sleep so you are rested and ready to

show all you know!



Eat a good breakfast so you have energy to do your best!



WIM Keep a positive attitude--you CAN do this, and you wILL!

And don't forget these Test-Taking Tips:

62 Test-Taking Tips



Read the question first! Guide your reading--know what you're looking for!

## Break if down!

split words you don't know into syllables so you can read them more easily!

Eliminate ridiculous answers! Get rid of answers that don't make sense! Prove it! Look back in the text to find the evidence for your answer!



Twice is nice! Double-check your answer!

#### End-Year Benchmark Testing Schedule May-June 2023

<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>
7	<b>8</b> 4th NWEA Rdg 8:45am	<b>9</b> 5th NWEA Rdg 8:45am	<b>10</b> Early Release 1st NWEA Math 8:45am	<b>11</b> 1st NWEA Rdg 8:45am	<b>12</b> DIBELS	13
14	<b>15</b> ERS Field Day	<b>16</b> 2D NWEA Rdg 8:45am	<b>17</b> 3T NWEA Rdg 8:45am	<b>18</b> 2G NWEA Rdg 8:45am	<b>19</b> 30 NWEA Rdg 8:45am	20
21	<b>22</b> 3T NWEA Math 8:45am	<b>23</b> 4th NWEA Math 8:45am	<b>24</b> 30 NWEA Math 8:45am	<b>25</b> 5th NWEA Math 8:45am	<b>26</b> DIBELS	27
28	<b>29</b> Memorial Day No School	<b>30</b> DIBELS	<b>31</b> 2D NWEA Math 8:45am	<b>1</b> 2G NWEA Math 8:45am	<b>2</b> Mug & Muffin: Preventing the Summer Slide 9:00am	3
4	5 DIBELS	6 DIBELS	7 DIBELS	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17