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Principal's Message

Dear Parents,

We are now in the home stretch! Just two months left of school. We have lots of fun activities coming up for our students. Mark your calendars!

They include:

- Classroom field trips—In May and June
- 6th Grade Olympics—May 31, 2023
- 6th Grade Breakfast and Yearbook Handout—June 6, 2023
- 6th grade Kartrite Trip—June 8, 2023
- 6th grade Celebration—June 9, 2023
- Field Days—June 12-14, 2023 (*June 14 is the rain date*)
 - June 12—Grades K–2
 - June 13—Grades 3– 5
 - June 14— Rain date

Thank you to our 6th Graders for helping make our Field Day a success!
- Closed for Holiday—June 19, 2023
- 6th Grade Moving Up—June 20, 2023 at 6:00 p.m.
- Last Day of School—June 22, 2023

I would like to thank the Plattekill PTA for all of their support throughout the year.

If you have any questions, please contact the school at 895-7250.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Hasbrouck

Cubby Corner

- ◆ 5/2 & 5/3– Gr. 3-6 Math State Assessments
- ◆ 5/5 - No school for students - Superintendent's Conference Day
- ◆ 5/8 - PTA Meeting 6:30 p.m. BOE Budget Presentation at 7:00 p.m.
- ◆ 5/11- 5 /16 - Book Fair
- ◆ 5/16 - School Budget Vote 12:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
- ◆ 5/17 - BOE Meeting—Plattekill Elementary @ 7:00 p.m.
- ◆ 5/26 - 5/29- School Closed Memorial Day Weekend



KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION FOR SEPTEMBER 2023:

If you have a child or children who will be enrolling in Kindergarten next fall, now is the time to register them. To register, parents or guardians should visit <https://www.wallkillcsd.k12.ny.us/registration> and complete the online forms. Children who turn five on or before December 1, 2023 are eligible to enroll in Kindergarten beginning in September 2023. If you need assistance or have any questions, please contact the Registrar at 845-895-7105.

PBIS - Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports



Some fun Spirit Days are ahead of us. On May 25th we will have Red, White, and Blue Day in honor of Memorial Day. Look for the month of June to have some great Spirit Days to end the year.

Also, we would like to say thank you to our 5th and 6th Student Job Helpers! They have gone above and beyond in assisting in areas throughout our school. From PAWS Store Assistants, to Buddy Readers and Bus Dismissal Buddies, Library Assistants, PNN Studio, Hall Monitors, and Office Assistants—these students are PAWSOME. Way to go Plattekill!

May PTA News!

Thank you for a very successful **Spring Fundraiser** with Gertrude Hawk! Your continued support enables the PTA to continue to fund all of our programs and give-backs during the year!

Speaking of give-backs, the first week in May is **Teacher and Staff Appreciation Week!** The PTA has organized some fun, luau-themed, surprises to say 'Mahalo' (thank you), and will be highlighting them on our Cubby Central Facebook page. Don't forget to encourage your kids to send in a note of thanks as well!

Books bring us together at the spring **Scholastic Book Fair**. The fair will be open May 11-16, and volunteers are needed to help make this a success. This is a fantastic way to stock up on summer reading material (share the eWallet with family)! If your child participated in PARP (Pick A Reading Partner), they have already received their \$5 prize certificate to be used towards the purchase of a book. Please email us at plattekillpta@gmail.com if you're able to lend a hand.

PTA is proud to sponsor the **6th Grade Olympics** by supplying custom t-shirts for all participating Plattekill students. This event takes place on May 31st. Go Plattekill!



VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT: Cheyenne Nava, Mom of Izalia (3rd) and Christian (K)

What is your favorite PTA event to volunteer for?

My favorite PTA event to volunteer for is the harvest festival because it's a lot of fun and nice to try and help put together something the kids love so much.

What would you say to someone who is thinking of volunteering?

Volunteering is great because everyone in the PTA is so sweet and grateful for any help you can give. Also, getting to know other parents in the school and getting the extra time to get to work with them and their children has been a great way to know who is around my own children a majority of the time. It does "take a village" and volunteering has shown me there is a great community of parents at Plattekill looking out for our kids and always looking to lend a hand.

Looking ahead:

5/1-5/4	Teacher Appreciation Week!
5/8	PTA Meeting w/BOE 6:30 p.m.
5/11, 5/12, 5/15	Book Fair 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
5/16	Book Fair 8:30 a.m. – 8:30 p.m.
5/16	WCSD Budget Vote 12:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
5/31	6 th Grade Olympics
6/6	General PTA Meeting – Budget Vote & Election