

# Fort Meigs Elementary School

Weekly Family Newsletter April 26, 2024

#### Good morning, families!

We are completing the last full week of April and we are in the home stretch of the school year with only nineteen (19) days of school left in the year!

This week our 3rd grade students completed their Ohio State Testing and, despite a few make-ups, can officially put the state requirements for testing behind us. We are super proud of our students for their focus and work on the tests. Historically, results will be returned over the summer months.

As we enter the last month of the school year there will be several events happening building-wide and within specific classrooms over the last few weeks of school. Please do not hesitate to reach out for clarification with classroom material or whole building events. I wish you and your family a wonderful weekend. As always, should you have any questions please feel free to reach out to the building! Thank you for letting me be your principal.

Peace, Mr. Marjoe Cooper Principal, Fort Meigs Elementary School mcooper@perrysburgschools.net 419.872.8822, ext. 3702





#### **Important Dates:**

- April:
  - o 29-May 3 Book Fair (see details below)
- May:
- 1 Doughnuts with Grown-ups (last names L-Z)
  - Doughnuts and shopping at the book fair, 8:00 8:45 a.m.
- 2 Doughnuts with Grown-ups (last names A-K)
  - Doughnuts and shopping at the book fair, 8:00 8:45 a.m.
- o 6 4th grade Growth and Development lessons
- o 8 Spring flower delivery date
- o 10 Super Neat Wow Student Science Assembly
- o 16 Field Day
- o 20 Jacket Way Assembly
- o 23 4th grade clap out and last day of school



### 4th grade Clap Out Information:

• One of my favorite traditions here at Fort Meigs is the celebration of our 4th grade students during our last day of school clap out. We plan to continue this tradition this year on May 23. Fourth grade families should be on the lookout for an email that will detail the specifics of the day in next week's family update (May 3). For your reference the clap out will begin at 3 p.m. Again, stay tuned for more details next Friday.

# From the Clinic: Attention Parents of Students who had medication at school this year:

• Parents or guardians of students who had prescription medication this school year should be receiving an email with instructions and school medication documents to print and complete for next fall. Parents or guardians need to pick up and sign out all remaining medication (prescription and over the counter medications) stored in the school clinic by the end of the day on Thursday, May 23th 2024. Clinic staff will properly dispose of any medication left in the clinic at the end of the day on Friday May 24th, 2024. Medication can not be stored through the Summer. If you have any questions, please reach out to Mrs. Lintner in the clinic.

Professionally, Corinna Lintner, RN <u>clintner@perrysburgschools.net</u> 419-872-8822 ext. 3708



# **Doughnuts with Grown-ups and Spring Book Fair:**

- Our spring book fair is next week! As we did in the fall, students and families will have the opportunity to visit the book fair during our doughnuts with grown-ups days on Wednesday and Thursday. Further, students will NOT be visiting the book fair during the school day as a whole class but rather those students who bring money will be welcome to shop on their assigned day. Your child(ren)'s teacher has further details regarding when the class will have the opportunity to shop. Please reach out to staff, as needed.
- With that, Doughnuts with Grown-ups will be taking place next Wednesday and Thursday. As the flier indicates, and due to the number of students and families we have, we will need to split the alphabet into two days. Please adhere to the assigned day and times for your visit and shopping. This will avoid overcrowding and keep the experience moving.
- Last names (L-Z) will be on Wednesday, May 1.
- Last names (A-K) will be on Thursday, May 2.
- We send a sincere THANK YOU to our Boosters for allowing the book fair and doughnuts to happen for our families.





## **District Available Supports:**

- Items in this section are NOT updated on a weekly basis but serve as a home to find things quickly, as needed.
- Perrysburg Schools have several resources available to families who may need assistance in the areas of technology, internet, and meals. Below are the links that families should use in a case where assistance may be needed. Please feel free to click on the links to access the material. Should you have any questions please feel free to reach out.
- The Salvation Army is offering help for the Holidays to those families that may be in need. Please see the application/flier here: <u>Salvation Army Application</u>.
- Technology Economic Hardship Request.
  - o <u>Technology Economic Hardship Request</u>
  - Free Internet Request
  - Food Distribution
- Safer Ohio School Tip Line 844-723-3764
  - This is a free service that accepts calls and texts 24/7 and allows anyone to anonymously share information with school officials and law enforcement about threats to safety.
- Crisis Text Line text "4hope" to 741 741
  - People of all ages may reach out by text 24/7 to communicate with someone trained to listen
    and respond in a method that is free, private, secure and confidential. Data usage while texting
    Crisis Text Line is free and the number will not appear on a phone bill with the mobile service
    carrier.

## **Social Media Connections:**

- You can follow me on Twitter here: @FortMeigsCooper.
  - I often post student pictures, upcoming events, school happenings, school delays or cancellations, etc. on this page.
- Our Fort Meigs Boosters have a Facebook page you can access here:
  - Fort Meigs Parent Boosters Facebook.
  - You can also follow our Boosters on Twitter at @FtMeigsBoosters along with their Instagram at Fort Meigs Parent Boosters (@ftmeigsparentboosters) Instagram photos and videos
- Mrs. Joanne Cook, Fort Meigs Art Teacher, posts student work and accomplishments on this Facebook page:
  - Mrs. Cook's Classroom Facebook
- Please check the <u>Community Events</u>, <u>Clubs</u>, <u>etc.</u> or click "Flyers" under the Parent tab on the district website (www.perrysburgschools.net) for information about community events, clubs and more! Information is updated weekly.