

Let the Adventure Begin!

August 28-1, 2023

SPO (Starr Parent Organization)



Monday, August 29th @6:00pm--Starr Library

This will be the first meeting of the year. We will discuss the events and ideas for this year.

August Dates:

- 21: August: Parent Meet and Greet!
- 21: August: Kindergarten Orientation Day @1:00pm
- 22: August: First Day of School
- 28: August: Starr Parent Organization Meeting@6:00pm
- 28: August: Wear your Green!
- 28: August: Harvest Mum Sale Kickoff! Sale is (August 28-Sept. 11)*SEE BELOW FOR DETAILS!
- 29: August: Wear your BLUE!
- 30: August: Picture Day *SEE BELOW FOR DETAILS *Dress for pictures.
- 31: August: Wear your PURPLE!
- 1: September: Wear your BROWN!



WE WOULD LOVE THAT THE EVERY GRADE LEVEL PARTICIPATES IN COLOR DAYS WITH OUR KINDERGARTENERS!

Kindergarten Color Days!!

We will begin the year by celebrating a "Color of the Day!" The children will be mastering color identification and learning the color words. Please have your child wear something of that color! It's not necessary to buy anything special and just a touch of that color is fine.

Below is the schedule we will be following:

monday	Tuesday	wednesday	Thursday	Friday
21	22	23	24	25
Parent orientation 1:00PM	First Day of School	RED	orange	yellow
28	29	30	31	Sept. 1
Green	Blue	Smile! It's Picture Day!	Purple	Brown
4	5	6	7	8
No School - Labor Day	Pink	Grey	Black and White	RAINBOW

YEARBOOK

2022-2023 YEARBOOKS!

If you would like to purchase a yearbook from last year, we still have a few. They are \$35. Your student can pick one up in the office.

School Pictures!!!

Pictures will be Wednesday, Aug. 30th.



PICTURE DAY PACKAGES

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**Starr Elementary Picture Day
Wednesday, August 30, 2023**

Your picture will be taken by a professional photographer on a neutral brown background this year, but you can choose from one of four colors in the background as well. This sale is handled on a "Prepay" basis. By collecting order and money on the photography date it saves us both time and money. You may order after picture day, however, there will be a \$5.00 late fee added on. Please fill out the attached envelope/order form completely and return it to the school with payment on picture day! If using a credit card, please fill out the card info and insert into the envelope. Make checks payable to Innovations Portrait Studio. Thank you!

A	B	C	D	E
2 - 8 x 10	1 - 8 x 10	2 - 5 x 7	1 - 5 x 7	2 - 5 x 7
2 - 5 x 7	2 - 5 x 7	2 - 3 x 5	2 - 3 x 5	4 - Gift Wallets
2 - 3 x 5	2 - 3 x 5	4-Gift Wallets	4-Gift Wallets	
16-Gift Wallets	8-Gift Wallets			
\$45.00	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$20.00	\$15.00
F: 1 - 8 x 10	\$15.00	M: Keytag	\$15.00	
G: 2 - 5 x 7	\$15.00	O: Magnet Wallet (2)	\$10.00	
H: 2 - 3 x 5	\$10.00	P: Touch Up (Blemish)	\$15.00	
I: 4 - Wallets	\$10.00			
J: 8 - Wallets	\$15.00			
K: 8 - Small Wallets	\$10.00			
L: Personalized Wallets	\$20.00			

Colors
(If wanted)
Red
Green
Gold
Blue

All personalized items are "Script" Style

Build the package to fit your needs

Total from order form: _____

Check One:

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Print Name as it appears on Card _____

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City _____ State _____ Zip _____

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All packages will be printed from the same pose

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Circle Color (if Wanted):

Green Blue Red Gold

Exact change only - Sales Tax IS included!

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Last Name - STUDENT _____

First Name - STUDENT _____

Teacher's Name _____ Grade _____

Please fill out student information completely. We cannot accept responsibility for misspelling due to illegibility.



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Second Grade Parents/Guardians,

Oregon City School second graders have been chosen to be part of the Eastern Community Branch YMCA "Safety Around Water" program. This program has been made possible with the partnership between the Oregon City Schools and the Eastern Community YMCA with financial assistance from a Y-USA grant and the Oregon Schools Foundation.

What Is Safety Around Water (SAW)?

SAW is composed of swim lessons that reduce the risk of drowning by giving children confidence in and around water. The goal of the program is to teach children to swim, float swim, tread, and exit water.

During this program, all students will be transported to the YMCA during the school day for four swim lessons. The YMCA will provide 2-3 instructors during the swim class to teach swimming and to ensure the safety of all students. Each second grade class will go independent of the other classes. The schedule will be as follows:

Mrs. Kowalski—8/31,9/7,9/14

Mrs. Munger—9/21,9/28,10/5

Mrs. Schroeder—10/12,10/19,10/26

Mrs. O'Connor—11/3,11/10/11/17

On the days of your child's scheduled swim dates, please have them wear a swimsuit under their clothing. You will want to send a towel and underwear for your child to change into after the swim lessons are over. Goggles are optional. If you choose to send goggles, the goggles cannot cover the nose area and they must be properly adjusted before sending. It is also recommended that girls tie their hair back before getting in the pool. Students will then wear the clothing that they wore to school for the remainder of the day. Students will place their wet clothing and towel in a bag and that bag will come home in your child's bookbag. Parents are permitted to watch swim lessons from the lobby viewing area.

Please complete the permission slip below indicating if you'd like your child to participate in the "Safety Around Water" program and return it to your child's teacher. Regardless, all students will go to the YMCA at their class's designated time. If you do not wish your child to participate in the swim lessons, he/she will be assigned to the supervised gym area at the YMCA. You may contact the school with any questions regarding this program. We hope to make this a great learning opportunity for all!

Sincerely,
Mrs. Soltesz

_____ I give permission for my child to participate in the "Safety Around Water" program at the Eastern Community YMCA.

_____ I do NOT give my child permission to participate in the "Safety Around Water" program at the Eastern Community YMCA. However, I know that my child will travel to the Eastern Community YMCA with the class.

Student's Name

Parent's/Guardian's Name



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We are looking for VOLUNTEERS!



STARR READS VOLUNTEERS

Thank you for your interest in volunteering for our Starr Reads program this year! Please use the QR code or the link below to fill out an interest form and you will be contacted after the start of the school year.

Use this link: <https://bit.ly/45lMEUt>
Or scan this QR code:



Questions? Please contact:
Heather Armstrong
harmstrong@oregoncs.org



Physical Education

Dear Parent and/or Guardian,

My name is Jeremiah Przybylski and I will be your child/children's PE teacher this year. This is my 24th year teaching in the Oregon school system and my 16th here at Starr. I would like to take this opportunity to give you a little information about our P.E. program and to let you know what will be expected of your child/children.

Program Goal:

Throughout the year the students will be provided a wide variety of experiences designed to promote healthy physical and social development. It is my goal to develop each child's physical skills and to give them a general appreciation for movement and exercise so that they will leave with the tools necessary to lead a physically active lifestyle.

Dress:

Students should be dressed comfortably and be wearing tennis shoes in order to participate safely in our PE activities. Belts should be worn with loose fitting pants and shorts or tights should be worn under dresses or skirts. Students may not be permitted to participate without appropriate attire.

Instruction:

Grades K-2 will focus mainly on the development of basic movement, skill, and wellness concepts, as well as some low-level team and group activity. Students will practice a variety of ways to travel, change direction and speed, and different ways to balance, jump, and land. They will practice basic skills such as kicking, striking, throwing, catching, and tumbling, and they will be introduced to a few basic fitness concepts. Traits such as a positive attitude, strong work ethic, and good sportsmanship will also be reinforced daily.

Grades 3-5 will spend less time on basic skill development and more time putting these skills to practice through sports and other group activities. These students will also spend more time becoming familiar with fitness concepts and how to apply them.

Discipline:

In order to maintain an environment that is safe and conducive to learning, students breaking the class rules and/or causing a disruption will be issued a discipline referral slip and/or receive negative Dojo points. Students may also be asked to take a 5-minute break from the class activity.

Assessment:

Students will receive grades based on the extent to which they meet the state standards for physical education. Activity observation, skill testing, and written assignments will all be used in the assessment process. Like music, PE grades will be issued after the 2nd and 4th quarters and will be based on a 3-point scale. Kindergartners do not receive a grade in PE. Visit education.ohio.gov to view the state standards for physical education.

Sincerely,

Jeremiah Przybylski
Physical Education Teacher
jprzybylski@oregoncs.org

"When health is absent, wisdom cannot reveal itself, art cannot become manifest, strength cannot be exerted, wealth is useless, and reason is powerless."

Jake & Cooper's Bark Park
announces the first in a
series of informal discussions



Tough Topics in a Safe Space

- J&CBP members bring your dogs
- Non-members bring yourselves
- Everyone bring a lounge chair

Tuesday, Aug. 29
7:00 – 8:00 PM



JAKE & COOPER'S
BARK PARK



2960 Pickle Road
Oregon, Ohio

Questions : JakeandCoopersBarkPark.com

Discussion topic:



**Let's get real about
behavioral health and
different aspects of
chemical addiction.**

Lead by the esteemed

Dr. Robert Smith
M.D., Ph.D., FACNP

Professor and Chair of the
Department of Neurosciences and
Interim Chair of the Department of Psychiatry
The University of Toledo COMLS

We are looking for pictures!

We are looking for our students reading! Please send a picture of your child reading a favorite book. It could be to a buddy, a sibling, family pet, favorite stuffed animal, family member at the park, or anywhere! I would like to post them around the building.

Send them to me: tsoltesz@oregoncs.org





JOIN CUB SCOUTS

 **PACK 216** 

OPEN HOUSE KICK OFF

TUESDAY
AUGUST 29th

6:00PM -
7:30PM

Pearson Park
Sledding Hill

Come learn more about
Cub Scouts!

CAMPING | FISHING | HIKING | COMMUNITY SERVICE
ETHICS | FRIENDSHIPS | LEARN NEW SKILLS | FUN!

Questions? Contact starrpack216@gmail.com

STARR SPIRIT WEAR SALE!!!!

STARR BACK-TO-SCHOOL SALE



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SITEWIDE!**

FREE SHIPPING
ORDERS OVER \$75

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SALE ENDS
SEP 7TH

[Click here to order!](#)

Harvest Mum Flower Sale starts August 28th-Sept.11th!

Information packets will go home on Monday! Please help us support our field trips, guest speakers, and events this year!



Calendar of Starr Events

Some dates and times may change. We may also add some dates.



Starr - 2023-2024 - Final 7_23 - SPO Calendar.pdf

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Starr Bulldog Handbook

Starr Elementary School Student/Parent Handbook



2023-2024

Starr Elementary School
3230 Starr Ave.
Oregon, Ohio 43616
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