

BARESVILLE MESSENGER

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May - June 2012

**Schools
Closed
Monday, May 28**

**EARLY
DISMISSAL
12:30 P.M.
JUNE 6 AND 7
LAST DAY
OF SCHOOL
JUNE 7**

**FIRST DAY
OF SCHOOL
FOR THE
2012 - 2013
SCHOOL YEAR
WILL BE
AUGUST 28**

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NEWS FROM DR. LAMBE

Dear Baresville Families,

It's hard to believe that this is the last Baresville Newsletter for the 2011-2012 school year! What a wonderful year it has been!

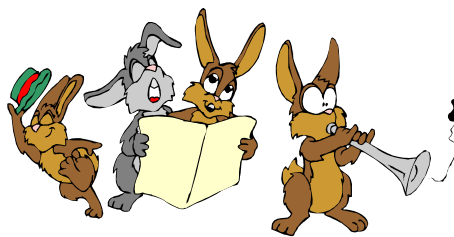
This time of year gets very busy so please pay special attention to the calendar of events for information and happenings, as well as any notices that come home. We are looking forward to Grandparents' Day, the Baresville Bash, the Race for Education, Gym-o-ree, and many other activities to keep the kids engaged during these last months of school.

We will be busy over the summer months refining our report cards and curriculum, cleaning the school building, and planning for another outstanding year next school year.

Thank you for all you have done to make this a successful year for your child at Baresville. We are fortunate to have such positive relationships with our families. I hope that everyone has a very happy and safe summer.

Sincerely,

Dr. Kathleen Lambe



BARESVILLE MUSIC FEST

The Music Fest will be held on May 14 at 7:00 P.M. at Baresville. It is a concert with Grade 5 Chorus, Grades 4 and 5 Band and Orchestra each performing music they have practiced and rehearsed for many months. This is a culminating activity that all participating music students are expected to attend, similar to a final test. Please come out and listen to the great music that our Baresville students have been working on for so long.

SCHOOL BOARD VACANCY

Our Superintendent, Dr. Barbara Rupp, has posted a vacancy for our South Western School Board. Interested persons should contact Dr. Barbara Rupp either by phone, 717-632-2500 or by email; barb_rupp@swsd.k12.pa.us **Deadline is by June 1st.**

PROPER DRESS REMINDER

As we start having beautiful summer-like days, it is important to remind your child of proper dress while at school. All clothing should be appropriate for our school setting. Please avoid belly shirts, spaghetti straps, short shorts, or other clothing that may interfere with learning in the classrooms. Be advised that if your child chooses to wear sandals or flip flops to school, they can be hazardous while on the playground. This type of footwear is **strongly discouraged** in the school setting to help avoid injury to our students. Please see page 8 of the Elementary School Handbook for the dress guidelines. Parents are encouraged to help their child make appropriate choices with warm weather apparel.

Also, please make sure your child is wearing sneakers on their Physical Education day.



KINDERGARTEN NOTICES

NO School for Kindergarten Students:

Our current kindergarten students will not have school on **Tuesday, May 29, 2012**. The South Western School District will be conducting Kindergarten Visitation Day on this date. Kindergarten students who registered for the 2012-2013 school year will be invited to visit school on Tuesday, May 29, 2012.

SCHEDULE FOR THE LAST TWO DAYS OF SCHOOL:

On the last two days of school, June 6 & 7, the length and time of your child's kindergarten session will be modified according to the following schedule:

AM Class - 7:45 a.m. to 9:45 a.m.

PM Class - 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

The full day Kindergarten class will be dismissed at 12:30 p.m. on June 6th & 7th.

CAFETERIA INFORMATION Kitchen Tidbits



Parents, if your student is in the free meal program and is receiving a negative balance memo/letter, that negative balance needs to be paid. This negative amount is the cost of breakfast (s) and/or lunch (es) that a student had prior to being accepted into the meal program or a la carte items that were purchased. Thus, parents are obligated to pay that negative amount. As in previous years a notice will be sent home sometime after Memorial Day as to how much money your student will need in their cafeteria account until the end of the school year.

GYM-O-REE DAY

The 34th Annual Gym-O-Ree will be held on May 18. It will begin at 9:00 a.m. at the South Western stadium on Bowman Road and ends at 12:00 p.m. The rain date is May 21. Have your child bring a plastic water bottle to stay hydrated in the heat. Remember to apply sun screen when getting dressed at home and send along a hat if needed. Good luck to all our 4th and 5th grade students!

Free

Skin Screening



"Spot Check"

**Let us check skin spots
that concern you.**

Wednesday, May 16, 2012
6 -8 pm

Location: Thomas Hart Family Practice Center
York Hospital

Registration Required:
Call 851-3500

Sponsors: Thomas Hart Family Practice Center
and
The York Cancer Center

BARESVILLE FOOTBALL

BARESVILLE FOOTBALL NEEDS YOU!

Interested football players entering 4th, 5th, or 6th grade, please visit <http://sites.google.com/site/baresvillefootball> or email baresvillefootballpresident@gmail.com for information.



PTA NEWS

Thank you to everyone who has volunteered their time and efforts to the PTA. Once again, with your help, we were able to have a successful year and offer many wonderful programs to the students of Baresville.

We hope that you and your family will join us for the year end celebration, the Baresville Bash on May 19. There is also still time to send in your Race for Education forms, if you have not done so yet. The Race is a healthy fundraiser that will take place on May 8 and 100% of the money donated will stay at Baresville for the students!

The new Executive Board members for the 2012-2013 school year are: President – Shelly Watson, Vice President- Amy Seiberling, Treasurer – Rachelle Seads, Secretary – Laurie Miller. We congratulate them on their new roles and wish them much success in the new school year!

NEWS FROM THE LIBRARY



CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK IS COMING!

Children's Book Week will be celebrated in library class during the week of May 7. Students will have the opportunity to decorate a door hanger for their bedroom to let the family know when they are reading. Look for colorful door hangers that are decorated and personalized by your student. Each student will also be coloring their own "School Is Cool" bookmark to use for their quiet reading time at home. These special gifts were purchased for each student by our Baresville PTA. Thank you PTA for your support of the library and reading!

LIBRARY NEWS

BOOMER'S BOOK CLUB NEWS!



Baresville students can earn a ticket to a York Revolution Baseball Game by reading four books, having their "Boomer's Book Club" bookmark initialed by their teacher and taking it to one of the following baseball games:

Sunday, May 13 at 5:00 p.m.

Monday, June 11 at 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, June 19 at 6:30 p.m. OR

Monday, July 2 at 6:30 p.m.

Happy Reading and Go REVS!

PTA BOGO Book Fair

Buy 1 Get 1 Free!!!!

Stock up on reading materials for the summer break.

The PTA will be holding a "Buy One, Get One" Book Fair for parents May 21 - 25. The Book Fair will be held in our bus lobby. Come on out and get some great summer reading for the family.

Book Fair date and times:

May 21 2-5pm

May 22 10-3pm

May 23 10-3pm

May 24 2-7pm

May 25 10-6pm





SCHOOL COUNSELOR ZONE

Mrs. Jill Shirey

Baresville Elementary School

717-633-4870

CAREER DAY VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED AT BARESVILLE!

Do you have some time to share your career with our 5th Grade students?

We are planning a career day at Baresville in order to give our 5th grade students the opportunity to explore various fields of employment and perhaps spark a few dreams for their future. We are looking for volunteers who would be willing to describe their job including the positive and negative aspects of it. Any type of employment is encouraged, and would be beneficial for our students to hear about, for we are eager to present a variety of career opportunities.

We are currently looking for volunteers who could speak to our 5th grade students during the morning hours on Wednesday, May 30th.

*In preparation for our career day in May, our 5th graders will be involved in a career unit. They will be taking an interest survey that will help determine their "career cluster", choose a job to research, and then create a résumé.

Detach here, and return to your child's teacher by May 11, 2012.

Career Day will be held during the morning hours on May 30th.

1. Your Name _____

2. Child's Name _____ Child's Teacher _____

3. Phone Number (Home) _____ (Cell) _____

4. Address _____

5. Occupation to Share _____

*If you know of someone who has an interesting occupation and would perhaps be willing to participate in our career day, please include his or her name and phone number below.

Additional Comments:

Summer 2012 Swimming Lessons

Week 1: Monday – Friday, June 18th – June 22th

Week 2: Monday – Friday, June 25rd – June 29th

Daily Schedule

11:10 – 12:00pm Red Cross Levels I, II, III

12:10 – 1:00pm Red Cross Levels III, IV, V, VI

50 minutes per day for one week

25 students per class (space available in all time periods)

Swimmers must be 6 years old before or on June 16th.

Registration

May 21 – May 31 from 8:00am – 4:00pm in the EHMIS office.

June 4th from 7:00pm to 8:00pm in the EHMIS pool lobby.

Please direct any questions to Michelle Good at 717-229-2930 (leave a message) or email at

michelle_good@swsd.k12.pa.us

Late registration may be made the week before classes begin in the EHMIS office if space is available.



SUMMER PLAYGROUND

Dear Parents and Guardians,

I am pleased to announce the South Western Recreation Commission will once again provide supervised playground activities at Baresville, Park Hills, Manheim, and West Manheim Elementary playgrounds this summer from June 18, 2012 - August 2, 2012.

The playground will be staffed with qualified supervisors who are education majors at local colleges and universities. The staff will be offering different activities each day. The program is offered to children who live in Penn, West Manheim, and Manheim Townships and who are currently in grades kindergarten through fifth.

Baresville, Park Hills, Manheim, and West Manheim Elementary playgrounds will be supervised Monday through Thursday each week from 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. except for the week of July 4th. Due to the July 4th holiday, the playgrounds will be open on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 1:00-4:00 p.m., on July 2nd-6th and will be closed on Wednesday, July 4th.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Brian M. Cromer
Program Director



BARESVILLE DATES TO REMEMBER

Wednesday, May 2, Day C

ACES Day - (All Children Exercising Simultaneously)

Parent Report Card Information Meeting
9:00 A.M. & 6:30 P.M. at Manheim Elem.
Good Deeds Club

Friday, May 4, Day A

Grandparents' Day
After School Bowling

Tuesday, May 8, Day C

Race for Education Day

Wednesday, May 9, Day D

School Board Planning Meeting, Admin at
7 P.M.

Friday, May 11, Day B

Kindergarten Mother's Day Tea

Monday, May 14, Day C

Gr. 4 & 5 Music Fest, BA Multipurpose Room,
7:00 P.M.

Wednesday, May 16, Day A

Good Deeds Club

Thursday, May 17, Day B

Grade 3 Field Trip

Friday, May 18, Day C

Grades 4 & 5 Gym-O-Ree
Grade 1 Bike Rodeo
After School Bowling

Saturday, May 19

PTA Baresville Bash

May 21 - May 25

PTA Spring Book Fair - BOGO - Bus Lobby

Monday, May 21, Day D

Grades 4 & 5 Gym-O-Ree (Rain Date)
Grade 1 Bike Rodeo (Rain Date)

Tuesday, May 22, Day A

Project Harmony Day - wear PH shirts or
black and white

Wednesday, May 23, Day B

School Board Meeting, Admin, 7 P.M.

Thursday, May 24, Day C

Grade 5 Band Workshop

Friday, May 25, Day D

Baresville Spirit Day - wear your BA shirts or red
Kindergarten Nixon Park Field Trip
Grade 5 Dutch Apple Field Trip
After School Bowling - Last Day

Monday, May 28

Schools Closed

Tuesday, May 29, Day A

No School for Kindergarten Students ONLY
Visitation Day for Incoming Kindergartners

Tuesday, June 5, Day B

PTA Meeting, Library at 6:30 P.M.

Wednesday, June 6, Day C

Early Dismissal Day - 12:30 P.M.

Modified Kindergarten Schedule:

AM Class 7:45 a.m. to 9:45 a.m.

PM Class 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Thursday, June 7, Day D

Baresville Spirit Day - wear your BA shirts or red
5th Grade Farewell at 10:30 A.M.

Report Cards Distributed

Last Day of School - 12:30 P.M. Dismissal

Modified Kindergarten Schedule:

AM Class 7:45 a.m. to 9:45 a.m.

PM Class 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

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First Day for 2012 - 2013
Tuesday, August 28