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Highland Drive PSO Weekly Update-April 16, 2018

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April 16th Weekly Update

Greeting

Dear Highland Drive Families,

We are currently collecting new and gently used books for our Book Drive honoring Mrs. Sharon Wiesler. You'll find book collection boxes in the school lobby. Please help us to make sure that books are in good condition when donating used books. We will be sharing more information on an installation date once plans have been finalized at Seneca. Thank you for your support in honoring Mrs. Wiesler.

For more information, please review the [Book Drive Flyer](#)

Save the date for our final PSO Meeting and Volunteer Appreciation brunch put on by the staff of Highland Drive on Thursday, May 17th @ 9:30 am.

Finally, there are a lot of great events happening this week at Highland Drive with **Earth Week activities and our Book Fair/Art Show on Thursday**. We hope to see you throughout the week!

Make it a great week,

Sarah Beebe and Joanie MacRaid

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Important Dates

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Spring Book Fair

Please join us for the Book Fair this Thursday from 6:30pm-8pm. The buy one get one sale is the same night as the Art Show! This great sale can help you stock up on summer reading books. *The books could also make a great donation to the Book Drive in honor of Mrs. Wiesler.*

All students who come to the Book Fair will have an opportunity to participate and win a yummy treat contest. Thank you to all the volunteers in advance and making this family event possible!

Any questions or ideas please contact Amanda or Gina!
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ginastrongstyle@gmail.com

Highland Drive Student Art Show

Let's get WILD about Art!

**You are invited to the Highland Drive Elementary Student Art Show
Thursday, April 19 6:30-8:00pm**

Beautiful art, a free raffle for art prizes, stickers, and fun!
Don't forget to come or you'll be safari.

Suggestions for even more fun: wear green, wear a safari hat, bring binoculars to spot wild animals, wear a t-shirt with a wild animal on it ...or you decide!

**Also, if your able to assist with the Art show, please email
Mrs. Moore at moorej@bbhcsd.org.**

Staff Appreciation Week

Staff Appreciation Week is coming up, and we are looking for volunteers to help donate items for two events:

Salad Bar (Wednesday May 9th):

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f044aa4a829a2fb6-staff2>

Luncheon (Friday May 11th):

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f044aa4a829a2fb6-staff3>

Please contact Tiffany Winschel or Kris Sutton with any questions!

Thanks in advance for all your help!

2018-19 PSO Positions Available!

Please contact Meggan Rawlin (megrawlin@gmail.com)

4/19 Book and Art Fair

4/27 CWC Submissions Due

5/2 Chess Club Tournament

5/7 Staff Appreciation Week

5/17 PSO Meeting and Appreciation Brunch

Volunteer Form

If you are a volunteer that will be with students without a staff member present, including chaperoning field trips, you must complete this form: [HERE](#)

to volunteer for the following open PSO positions for next year:

(1) Chair of Chess Club; and (2) Chair of Highland Island/Earth Week.

Will you Bee the Difference?***

Creative Writing Corner

April Writing Prompt - *You're the Expert! What advice would you give students who will be in your current grade next school year?*

Due Date: Friday, April 27th, 2018

Writing submissions will be displayed for a month along the wall outside the gymnasium doors in Creative Writing Corner. When the submissions are returned, students will receive a little prize to take home.

Writing Submission Guidelines: Younger students may want to write a few words or a picture, while older students may want to write a paragraph or two.

* Please indicate name, grade, and teacher on the entry before turning into your child's teacher.

<http://www.bbhcsc.org/WritingProjectsPSO2017-2018.aspx>

Chess Club

There are two exciting chess-related opportunities for students at Highland Drive. Please Note: ALL students are welcome to participate in these events whether they were a part of the chess club or not and regardless of which grade they are currently enrolled in!!!

1. There will be a BBH Tournament on Wednesday, May 2nd. The tournament is scheduled to be held at the BBH Middle School with a start time of 6:30PM. Students from Highland, Hilton, Chippewa, and Central will be invited to participate!!! A flyer was sent home last week with additional details. A link for registration will be provided starting next week.

2. There will be a Progress with Chess Summer Camp scheduled at the Brecksville Center of the Arts for July 30th through August 3rd.

The camp is open to students in grades K-8. There will be full day (9AM-4PM) and half day (9AM-12PM OR 1PM-4PM) options available. The cost of the full day camp is \$260; half day camp is \$160.

To review more details, you can check out the flyer for more details (<https://progresswithchess.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/03/Brecksville-Camp-18.pdf>).

You can register for the summer camp at: <https://progresswithchess.org/brecksville-summer-camp>

Highland Cafeteria Parent Volunteers are Needed

Please consider volunteering your time to help out in the Highland cafeteria at lunchtime.

We are looking for people who can help children with opening packages in their lunches, cleaning up tables, and generally keeping things calm and organized.

Siblings are welcome to join.

Lunch Volunteer Time - 11:30am - 12:45pm

We are also in need for volunteers in Highland Island during lunch recess to make sure the children behave when around the ducks.

If you have any questions, please contact Jamie Bindra - jpatel440@gmail.com

To Sign up for April:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e054ba5ad28a46-april>

Box Tops for Education

We are down to the final two months for the Box Tops for Education program!!! Let's make this a really BIG month in terms of submissions!!! To assist with your submission, an April collection sheet was sent home last week. Please use this to assist with organizing your Box Tops. **Box Tops are due this month on Friday, April 27th.**

Up for grabs is a Top Contributor Trophy, as well as, a special spring prize. To be eligible for this month's prize, submit at least 25 Box Tops (Students will earn one raffle ticket for every 25 Box Tops they turn in.). Keep in mind that submissions from March, April, and May will go toward our final classroom prize: **an extra recess and Popsicle party!!!**

As the school year winds down, **it is time to dig deep and look through your kitchen products and around the house for anything that might have a Box Top on it;** it is best to turn them in now...before they expire!!! So take a tour of your kitchen, look through your pantry and closets and get those Box Tops turned in this month!!! Also, keep in mind, that your friends and family have Box Tops in their own kitchens...ask them to look for them and save them/send them to you!!!

<http://www.highlanddrivepsa.com/box-tops-how-tos.html>

Sincerely,

Highland Drive PSO

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