



SEAVIEW SHARKWATCH

Seaview is a community school that nurtures children encourages responsible citizenship and inspires lifelong learning in an environment of mutual respect.

June 2018
Principal: Heather Pickar
Assist. Principal: Julie Echols
Editor: Leslie Bennett

Seaview Elementary
8426 188th St. SW
Edmonds, WA 98026
Office-425-431-7383
Attendance line-425-431-3517

Dear Families,

It is hard to believe that the end of the school year has arrived! 10 months have passed very quickly! The year's end always brings with it a tremendous sense of accomplishment. So many things have been accomplished this year! From the September Shark Run to the 6th Grade Moving-On assembly (which will happen on June 21st) – our students have been involved in an extraordinary number of activities. The Outdoor Classroom received two Capital Project Matching Grants this year and our very successful SOCA auction was a huge success because of our families, staff and community participation and support. We will continue Stage 1, including clearing, pathways and mini amphitheater in September. Stay tuned for how each of us can be part of the exciting development as we enhance our students learning! If you would like to purchase a paver with your family name on it, please contact the office for information.

Of course, we should not forget the tremendous amount of learning which has taken place during the year. Throughout all of these activities our students have demonstrated great leadership!

Our school has been successful due to the wonderful collaborative partnership between students, staff members, and parents. Our students are meeting high standards of performance due to the excellent teaching from our wonderful staff and support from our parents. We must recognize our students for their perseverance, hard-work, and effort displayed throughout the school year. We are thankful to our volunteers who have assisted in our classrooms, fieldtrips, Art Docents, Math Mentors, after-school activities including Yoga, Language Class, Chess, Knitting Club, WATCH DOGS and many more!

Habit 7 – Sharpen the Saw

As June has arrived and summer approaches, it is a perfect time to focus on Habit 7 – Sharpen the Saw. Sharpen the Saw means preserving and enhancing the greatest asset you have...you! It means having a balanced program for self-renewal in the four areas of your life: Body, Mind, Heart, and Soul. Summer is a great time to focus on the Heart aspect of Sharpening the Saw as relationships are what this is all about. I hope that all families are able to use the summer months to spend time together with family and friends and support the heartfelt relationships that are most important in our lives. Remember, every day provides a new opportunity to connect with others and learn new things. Get out there and sharpen that saw!

Open House

It was great to see so many families on Thursday, May 24th for our annual Open House, Art Show and Leader In Me Gallery Walk. We hope you enjoyed our Passport, which led you through each grade level demonstrating student leadership, work and accomplishments! It was great to see students excited to show off their classrooms, their classroom work, and their art. A huge thank you goes out to the Art Docent Committee for creating a wonderful display of art for the community to enjoy. We hope you enjoyed our Leadership displays. Our gallery walk included classroom grade level displays as well as opportunities for K-6 and adult leadership. There were student instrumental performances in our courtyard, families were encouraged to tour all classrooms, and students shared with adults about how they are involved here at Seaview. Our student store was open for the last time this year. This ASB and 6th grade leadership opportunity may have created future entrepreneurs in our community!

Special Thanks to our PTSA board!

Being on the PTSA Executive Board takes a great deal of time and energy while providing wonderful support to our school. Please be sure to share a special appreciation to **Suzanne Norring** President, **Ben Allen & Paul Betzold** (Co-Vice Presidents), **Anne Lundberg** (Secretary) and **Stephanie Keller** (Treasurer). Their leadership and energy has been the spark for many of the great programs and activities our Seaview Sharks and families have enjoyed throughout the year. A giant **Thank You** is also extended to all the **Volunteers** that have given their time to support Seaview this year through PTA fundraising or events, or in the classroom working with students and staff.

Next Year

We will notify you of your child's "tentative" classroom placement in an e-mail in late August. Final class placement determination will be made after the 4th day of school in September when we know whether student/teacher assignments need to be adjusted due to registrations and withdrawals that occur during the summer months. Grade level student supply lists will also be sent home with your student's Skyward Family Access information at the end of the school year. The supply lists will also be available on the Seaview website.

The YMCA is again planning to offer on-site care at Seaview next year. We are excited to offer this opportunity and look forward to being able to provide on-site care for families that need it. Students in this program will be able to access after school opportunities such as Chess Club, Art classes, Move60, Boeing Club and other after school activities before going to the YMCA program after school. If you want more information about this program or want to enroll please contact Anne Shirey, Youth Enrichment Program Administrator @206-363-0446 or ashirey@seattleyymca.org

Enjoy your summer vacation! We look forward to seeing our “Seaview Shark” families on **Wednesday, September 5, 2018.**
Heather Pickar, Principal

WANT TO BE A WATCHDOG?

Are you a dad, step-dad, grandfather, uncle, brother, or a father figure? Are you interested in volunteering one day a year to support your Seaview student? Come learn about our interest in the WATCH DOGS program. Please check in the office for more information. One day can make all the difference!

LOST AND FOUND

Please take time to check the lost and found area in the Multipurpose Room. We are overflowing with jackets, sweatshirts, lunch boxes and other articles of clothing. All unclaimed items will be donated to the district clothing center at the end of the year.

2018-19 KEY CALENDAR DATES

First Day of School: Wednesday, Sept. 5 (*please note it is Wednesday, not Tuesday*)

Thanksgiving Break:** Nov. 21-23

Winter Break:** Dec. 24 – Jan. 4

Presidents’ Day Break:** Feb. 18 - 19

Spring Break:** Apr. 1 - 5

Last Day of School: June 20

Snow Make-up days*, if needed, and in order of use: June 21, May 10, June 24, 25, 26

**Dates listed are the days when school is not in session. Saturdays and Sundays are not listed.

FOODSERVICE REMINDER

Remember to take into account field trips when purchasing lunches for the remainder of the year, however any remaining funds will carry over. Meals will be served on the last day of school.

Edmonds School District

Unfortunately, vandalism occurs on District property each year and we see an increase of these incidents around the Independence Day holiday. Please remember that no fireworks are allowed on District property. If you notice any suspicious behavior, please call 911 and report it. Thanks for looking out for your neighborhood schools.

JUNE CALENDAR

7 5th/6th Gr. Band Concert-7:00pm

8 PTA Carnival-4:00pm-7:00pm

9 Bike Extravaganza-10:00am-1:00pm

11 5th/6th Gr. Orch. Concert-7:00pm

12 Safety Patrol to Wild Waves

12 PTA Meeting-7:00pm

18 Equity Team Meeting-2:30pm

19 Primary Field Day

20 Intermediate Field Day

21 Early dismissal-11:00am

21 EOY Assembly-8:15am

21 Last day of school!

SEAVIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

To help us develop next year's class lists, please return this form if your student(s) **WILL NOT** be returning to Seaview for the 2018-2019 school year. This does not include 6th grade students. Thank you.

- My student(s) **will not** be returning to Seaview next year.
- Attending another school in the Edmonds School District (school name _____)
- Attending a school outside the Edmonds School District (school name/location _____)

Student(s) name

Current Grade

Parent Signature

PLEASE RETURN FORM TO THE OFFICE ASAP ONLY IF YOU ARE MOVING



GayLynne Ullerich
Bicycle Extravaganza

Saturday June 9, 2018
10:00am to 1:00pm
Seaview Elementary
8426 188th St. SW Edmonds, 98026

*We will be running a bicycle rodeo sponsored by
Cascade Bicycle Club.*

We will be offering free minor tune-ups.

*Bring your own bike and helmet or, borrow a bike and
helmet from the "bikes in schools" program.*

We will also have a bike exchange.

*Bring in a bike that is too small and exchange it for a
bigger bike (if available).*

*We will also accept bicycles for donation
(without an exchange).*

We have a few helmets to give away for free!

For more information contact: Amy Rust rusta@edmonds.wednet.edu 425-431-3497
Lib Rust rustl@edmonds.wednet.edu 425-431-2928

