



SEAVIEW SHARKWATCH

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

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Welcome May, 2019!

We are so glad you are here! You may have heard this comment when your child arrives at school! We are so happy to greet them each and every day. Thank you to our families encouraging our students to get ready the night before, so mornings are a bit easier.

It seems cliché to say that this school year has absolutely flown by. However, it is now May and we only have two months left of the 2018/2019 school year. Even though only a short time is left, we have multiple opportunities for involvement and participation coming up in May and June.

- Beginning Wednesday, May 1st, 5th grade students will be going to camp at Camp Killoqua.
- All month long we will be practicing and taking the SBA: Smarter Balanced Assessment. Please make sure your child is on time to school those days, has plenty of rest at night, and eats a healthy breakfast. All of our students and teachers have worked diligently to prepare your child for this test. We want our students to “show what they know” on those days. Please encourage your child to do their very best.
- Leader in Me, Leadership Day, is May 22nd. This event showcases our student leaders sharing their leadership roles to our Edmonds School Board, Community Sponsors and Partners.
- Thursday May 23rd is our Open House where all families are welcomed into your child's classroom to see student growth. Our Art Docents are presenting our Student Art Show is open 5:30-8:30pm in the gym where artwork is displayed from different lessons throughout the year.
- Our School Carnival is May 31st from 4-7pm, this is a family event that you won't want to miss!
- Seaview has a lot of student talent and on June 6th we will have our “Talent Show” at 7pm in the MPR. Please come on out and support your child and school in this fun night.

These are just a few of the exciting things on our calendar for the remaining months of the year. Please come out and get involved with us. Learning does not end just because we finish our state tests. We will continue to involve your child in deep, rich learning experiences every day leading to summer break starting on June 27th.

I hope to see you at some of our activities!

Sincerely,

Heather Pickar, Principal

Leader in Me Parent Information (Source: [Leader in Me Parent's Guide](#) and [The 7 Habits of Highly Effective Families](#))

Habit 7: Sharpen the Saw means to have balance in your life. There is a story of a man who was sawing down a tree and not making a lot of progress. When a passerby asked him why he didn't stop sawing to sharpen his saw, he remarked that he was too busy sawing. Habit 7 reminds us that we are more productive when we are in balance – body, brain, heart and soul. Just like four tires on a car, if one area is being ignored or overused, the rest will feel the results. For young children, the car analogy is one they understand; a car could not go on fewer than all four tires. Explain the four parts of each person (body, brain, heart, and soul) and how important it is to take care of each part to make them all work better.

Younger-Child Activities:

1. Develop a Sharpen the Saw activity center in your home. Include arts-and-crafts supplies, learning games, puzzles, classical music, books, etc.
2. Discuss various ways to Sharpen the Saw in all areas. Ideas might include: body (playing outside, riding your bike), brain (balancing reading with TV watching or making smarter choices about what you watch), heart (making a list of what makes you happy and doing something on the list every day, spending time with special friends and family), and soul (starting a journal).
3. Read inspiring books such as:
 - ❖ Don't Let the Pigeon Stay Up Late By Mo Willems
 - ❖ Owl Moon by Jane Yolen
 - ❖ The Snow Day by Ezra Jack Keats
 - ❖ Henry Hikes to Fitchburg by D.B. Johnson
 - ❖ Me, I Am! By Jack Prelutsky

Habit Eight: Find Your Voice and Inspire Others to Find Theirs.

I Statements:

- ❖ I have found something that I am good at and really like doing.
- ❖ I am proud, but do not boast. Instead, I use my expertise and knowledge to help and inspire others.
- ❖ I have discovered my true nature and gifts, then I use them to envision what I can achieve.

YOU ARE INVITED TO OUR OPEN HOUSE

Thursday, May 23rd

Classrooms open- TBD

PTA Art Show-5:30pm-8:30pm-Gym

We look forward to seeing you!

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. There is **no lunch** served the last day of school, June 26th, however breakfast will be served as usual.

LOST AND FOUND: Please take time to check the lost and found area in the Multipurpose Room. We have an over- abundance of jackets, sweatshirts, lunch boxes and other articles of clothing. All unclaimed items will be donated to the district clothing center-Clothes for Kids-at the end of the year.

FIELD DAY!

Field day this year will be Monday, June 24th for Primary students and Tuesday, June 25th for Intermediate students. As usual, we will need a lot of volunteers to help out with the events. I will be sending home a volunteer letter at the end of May for volunteers to sign up. If you think you will be available, please consider helping. We appreciate any help we can get and it is a lot of fun!

Thank you, Mrs. Jackson P.E. teacher

DRESS CODE – Seaview and Meadowdale Middle Schools: Clothing worn to school (**including any school activity/event**) should be comfortable and appropriate for the learning environment.

Clothing/appearance should not detract from the learning environment nor should it be offensive to others. Clothing **MUST** cover all undergarments and midriffs. Clothing which promotes drugs, alcohol, tobacco, gang affiliations, nudity, or profanity **IS NOT ALLOWED**. Further clarification is listed below:

1. Clothing and jewelry with writing or designs that depict prejudice, unlawful acts, gang-related colors or symbols (including bandanas and jewelry), tobacco, drugs, or alcohol are prohibited. Jewelry that can be used as a weapon is prohibited.
2. Attire that is sexually suggestive or extremely brief such a low cut garments, strapless or off the shoulder tops, bare midriffs, torn garments, see-through clothes, short shorts or skirts that present an issue or modesty will not be allowed.
3. Clothing that reveals underwear or bare midriff is prohibited. Pants **MUST** be worn above the buttocks, not lower than the hip. Skirts and shorts **MUST** be fingertip length or longer.
4. Shirts that extend to the edge of the shoulder (“sleeveless”) are appropriate attire; Spaghetti strap tops, halter tops, crop tops, off the shoulder tops are not.

If I students choose not to follow the dress code, students will be asked to put on a sweatshirt or contact home.

PTA News

Remember to show your appreciation for all Seaview Educators who help guide our children.

Teacher appreciation week is May 6th - May 10th.

Come see what is happening at the next **PTA General meeting on May 14th, 2019** from 7:00-8:00pm.

MAY CALENDAR

2	PTA Meet & Greet-kin – 7:30am	22	Leadership Day – 8:30am-11:00am
6	New Parent Tour – 8:00am	23	Open House/Art Show
6-10	Teacher Appreciation Week	23	PTA Meet & Greet – 3 rd – 7:30am
8	Bike to School Day	24	Early Release-11:00am
9	Equity Team Meeting – 2:30pm	27	NO SCHOOL – Memorial Day Holiday
9	PTA Meet & Greet-1 st – 7:30am	30	PTA Meet & Greet – 4 th – 7:30am
14	PTA Meeting – 7:00pm	31	PTA Carnival – 4:00pm-7:00pm
16	PTA Meet & Greet – 2 nd – 7:30am		
16	SVE Singers Concert – 7:00pm		
17	LIM Assembly – 1:35pm		



GayLynne Ullerich
Bicycle Extravaganza
Saturday June 8, 2019
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 and

The Edmonds Bicycle Advocacy Group.

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!

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 2019-2020 school year. This does not include 6th grade students. Thank you.

- My student(s) **will not** be returning to Seaview next year.
- _____ My student will be attending _____ (in the Edmonds School District)
- _____ My student will be attending _____ (outside the Edmonds School District)

Student(s) name

Current Grade

Parent Signature

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

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Spring 2019 Online Testing Schedule

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
May 6 Ramadan begins	7	8		
13	14 ELA CAT testing	15 ELA PT testing	16 ELA PT testing	17
20 SCIENCE testing	21 MATH CAT testing	22 LEADERSHIP DAY	23 MATH PT testing (5-6) OPEN HOUSE	24 Early Release
27 Memorial Day Holiday	28 Make ups if needed	29 MATH PT testing (3-4)	30 Make ups if needed	31
June 3	4 Ramadan ends	5	6	7