The Dolphin Digest Ocean Breeze Elementary

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Dear OBE Families,

It's hard to believe it's already November. In the spirit of Thanksgiving, I want to take this opportunity to express my gratitude to the Ocean Breeze community for the amazing support and commitment to making our school a wonderful environment for children to grow and learn. I could not have asked for more supportive parents, grandparents, extended family, staff, and community members for our school. In this season of thanks, please take a moment to spend with loved ones and express your gratitude to the important people in your life.

You may notice some changes to our car loop lane and parking areas, as we prepare for our AM drop-off procedure change on November 5th. As a reminder, students may be dropped off beginning at 7:30AM. All students dropped off before 7:50AM will go to the cafeteria for breakfast or to walk and talk. Parents/guardians wishing to eat breakfast with their child must sign-in to our Raptor badge system beginning at 7:30AM. If you utilize the car loop, we ask that you use any available fence opening for drop off. We will be adding car loop stops, however they may not all be in place by November 5th. Regardless of the car loop stop, all students will be monitored as they walk to gate 3 for entry. Gate 3 will be open for parents dropping students off at Dolphin Cove.

Also, beginning November 5th, our student safety patrols will no longer be opening and closing car doors for students due to safety concerns with the additional fence openings. Students being dropped off or picked up in the car loop will be responsible for opening and closing car doors independently. Additionally, we ask that ALL students use the staffed crosswalk and not the one leading to the office to enter school.

Finally, if you haven't already done so, please check out our official OBE Facebook page by searching @oceanbreezelementary on Facebook. We love to highlight all the wonderful things happening at Ocean Breeze on that page!

Have a wonderful November,

Shelley Michaud, Principal



Don't Forget To <u>Fall Back!</u> Daylight Savings Time Ends Sunday, November 4, 2018





There is NO SCHOOL on Veterans' Day, Monday, November 12th

Veteran's Day Celebration

Please mark your calendars for a special event! On **Friday**, **November 9th**, we will be celebrating Veteran's Day with a special program beginning at 8:15 a.m. at our pavilion. If you or a family member are an active or prior member of a branch of the military, we hope that you will join us, so that we may honor you and all those who have served.



Thanksgiving Holiday!

School will be closed on Wednesday November 21~ Friday November 23

Dolphin Cove will also be closed.



Indian Harbour Beach Community Outreach November 26 ~ December 14

Every year the school participates in the Community Outreach Program with the Indian Harbour Beach Police Department. We

will be collecting canned goods beginning November 26~December 14.

The City of Indian Harbour Beach coordinates with Ocean Breeze Elementary on the distribution of the food. Public Works will pick up the many boxes, and city workers and the IHB Police Department will sort and distribute the items. Ocean Breeze has participated in the Community Outreach for 19 years! In order to have a variety of items, we are asking the grade levels to bring in the following items:

Pre-K/Kindergarten – Cereals, Boxed Mixes

1st Grade - Rice, Pasta, Noodles, etc.

2nd Grade - Peanut Butter & Jelly

3rd Grade - Boxed Side Items for Meals (Mac & Cheese, potatoes,)

4th Grade - Soup and Crackers

5th Grade - Canned Fruit & Vegetables

6th Grade - Canned Meats (tuna, beef stew, ravioli, etc.)

	November 2018					
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2 Early Release Day	3
4	5 New Drop Off Procedures Begin	6 Try Green Beans Day in Cafeteria	7 SAC @ 2:45	8 Beginning Strings Demo @ 6:00 PM	9 Early Release Day Veteran's Day Program 8:15 am	10
11	Holiday For All	13	14 Second Interim Ends	15	16 Early Release Day PTO Mtg. 9:30	17
18	19	20 6th Grade KSC Fieldtrip 7:30-5:20	21 Teacher/Student Holiday	Holiday For All	23 Holiday For All	24
25	26	27 Interims Issued	28	Picture Retakes	30 Early Release Day	



Veteran's Day CelebrationWe would like to show our appreciation and recognition of our extended Ocean Breeze family who have served in our military on our "Veterans Star Wall." Please complete the slip below to help us show our gratitude to you and your family.









Please return to classroom teacher

Please allow us to recognize you or family members who have served in our military:

Name: Name:

Branch of Service: Branch of Service:

Rank: Rank:

War Served: War Served:

Name: Name:

Branch of Service: Branch of Service:

