

The Dolphin Digest

Ocean Breeze Elementary

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"Where Everybody Matters and Every Moment Counts"

Dear OBE Families,

With Thanksgiving approaching, we, at Ocean Breeze, want to extend our utmost gratitude to families, PTO members, volunteers, community members, and our business partners for all you do for our school. The City of Indian Harbour Beach and its residents are amazing. So in this month of Thanksgiving, we thank you for supporting us and our students.

Shelley Michaud
Principal



**There is NO SCHOOL on
Veteran's Day,
Thursday November 11th**

Dolphin Cove will be closed.



Veteran's Day Celebration

On **Wednesday, November 10th**, we will be celebrating Veterans with a special program beginning at 8:15AM (hopefully under our pavilion). *We invite parents/guardians who are current or former service members, along with veterans who are related to students at Ocean Breeze to attend.*

Parents, please email the names of veteran family members who will be attending with you to oceanbreezeelementary@brevardschools.org.

Please note that you will need to sign-in via our Raptor system which requires an ID and/or a birthdate to sign-in. Therefore, we will be asking for that information at check-in.

We will attempt to live stream the events for non-military families. Stay tuned for a link!

Dismissal

Please remember that we cannot accept transportation changes over the phone (per the Jessica Lunsford Act).

There is a designated bike lane on S. Osceola. All car riders should be picked up in their assigned car loop. Please do not park in the bike lane along the east side of S. Osceola.

**Don't Forget To
Fall Back!
Daylight Savings Time
Ends Sunday, November
17, 2021.**



Thanksgiving Holiday!



*School will be closed
Wednesday, November 24 ~
Friday, November 26*

Dolphin Cove will also be closed.



Congratulations!!

2021-2022



*Teacher of the Year: Brittany Thompson
Employee of the Year: Officer Jen Imperato*

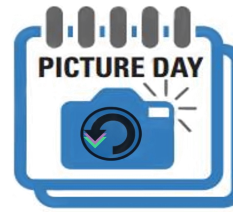
Safety and Security

Each month, we are required to perform safety drills in accordance with our emergency plan. During these drills, we practice our response to a variety of emergency situations including fire/evacuation, lockdowns, etc... We learn from debriefing after each scenario, and use this information to further enhance our readiness and response.



Every Friday is Early Release Day!
Our early dismissal is at 1:10pm.

Please make the necessary arrangements for your child to be picked up on time.



**Wednesday,
November 17**

RETAKES

Important Dates

November 10	Veteran's Day Celebration @ 8:15am	
November 11	No School~Veterans' Day	
November 11	Texas Roadhouse~Drive Through Order Ahead	
November 12	2nd Interim Ends	
November 15	Vision/Hearing Screening for grades K, 1, 3 & 6	
November 17	Picture Day Retakes	
November 19	Interims posted on Focus	
November 15	Food Drive Begins	
November 23	Texas Roadhouse Night-Dine In	
November 24-26	No School~ Thanksgiving Break	
December 7-8	Musical Theatre- Outer Space	
December 17-21	Early Dismissal Days @ 1:10PM	
December 22-Jan 5	Winter Break	January 6 Students Return



Food Drive



**Indian Harbour Beach
Community Outreach
November 15 ~ December 10**

Each year Ocean Breeze participates in the Community Outreach Program with the Indian Harbour Beach Police Department. We will be collecting canned goods beginning November 15~December 10.

Officer Imperato coordinates the drive 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 21 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, etc...)
- 4th Grade* - Soup and Crackers
- 5th Grade* - Canned Fruit & Vegetables
- 6th Grade* - Canned Meats (tuna, beef stew, ravioli, etc...)



Feeding the Community

Gift Card Fundraiser



Ocean Breeze and Texas Roadhouse-Beachside have teamed up to raise some dough!

Scan the QR code below, or go to <https://na.eventscloud.com/obe> to order gift cards and frozen bread! Ocean Breeze receives 10% of all gift card sales and 50% of all Frozen Bread Sales!

Gift cards will be delivered digitally before the holidays and frozen bread can be picked up 11/22-11/24.

