

Upcoming Dates

Dismissal schedule K through 5: M, T, Th, F 3:15 P.M. and W 2:35 P.M. 4/27 Purple up day 4/29 Grade 5 Field Trip Flanders Nature Center & DARE Graduation 4/29 Grade 2 Field Trip NHS Agriscience 4/30 Town wide Earth Day celebration 5/11 Grade 5 Career Day 5/16 A Place Called Hope Rehabilitation

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MES PTO News

Donate used clothing and shoes to the Earth Day Clothing Drive: Drop off items outside MES gym entrance April 21-23. Volunteers Needed: Sign up here to help Mrs. Strell at the Earth Day Celebration on April 30th at Hollow Park! *DATE CHANGE* April 21 @ 3:30 pm -April General PTO Meeting Join us on the MES playground (weather permitting) or in the Flanders Room to discuss the May fundraiser and plan for next year. Agenda April 29-5th grade slideshow photos due! May 3-Reg 14 Budget Referendum Vote!! *TIME CHANGE* May 5 @ 3:30 pm -May General PTO Meeting @ MES May 6- Mother's Day Plant Sale-Sign up to volunteer here MAY 12- Our adults-only fundraiser at the Woodbury Brewing Company & online silent auction is back!. Buy tickets here.

Happenings Around Mitchell

Item we are collecting for the month of April for Woodbury Food bank are: pasta sauce, canned white potatoes, canned yams/sweet potatoes, instant potatoes and pork and beans. Thank you for your generosity.

Good afternoon!

I hope everyone got to enjoy the spring break in some way! I know that we were all ready for a break and now we are all back and ready to put our best foot forward!! Just some reminders as we enter into the last part of the year:

- Please contact Wendy Carey, All Star Transportation with any bus stop changes (students riding the same bus with a different bus stop)[wendy.carey@allstartransportation.com]
- A class placement letter will be coming out today so please read carefully and respond if necessary.
- 3. The next few months will be very busy with smarter balanced testing and multiple activities. Please look to the upcoming date sections to be advised as to all of the happenings at Mitchell.
- 4. Smarter balanced testing begins with NGSS test for 5th graders on May 5th with all of the smarter balanced testing occurring for grades 3,4,5 the weeks of 5/9, 5/15 and 5/23.
- 5. On April 27th we will be participating with schools all over CT in Purple up day to celebrate and honor students that come from military families. Please see the attached flyer regarding more details.
- 6. On Saturday April 30th we will be participating in the town wide Earth day celebration. See the PTO notes for more information!

As always please reach out if you have any concerns or questions!