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Everything you need to know about Bay Harbor Elementary is found on our website:

http://bayharbor.hssd.k12.wi.us/

May/June Lunch and Breakfast Menus Click here

## Please note the following Lunch Menu Changes: \*May 31st (due to Field Day):

Trix Yogurt
String Cheese
Multi Grain Sun Chips
Applesause
Raw Veggies
Ranch Dip Cup

#### \*Menu change on Monday, June 3rd

Portesi Cheese Fries Pizza Sauce Broccoli Banana Salad Bar French or Ranch Dressing Birthday Fruit Ice Strawberry Milk

# \*Note - On Tuesday, June 4th, no Sun Chips will be served

### Important Dates to Remember: MAY

30 - 1st Grade to Barkhausen, 2nd Grade to the Wildlife Sanctuary, 3rd Grade to Weiss Museum 31 - Field Day!

#### JUNE

- 1 Mother/Son Kickball Game at Idlewild 10:30 am 4 - 4th Grade Class Field trip to Madison, Bay Harbor Day - Wear your Bay Harbor Apparel (today, not Wednesday)
- 5 End of Year Kindergarten Celebration 2:30
- 6 LAST DAY OF SCHOOL! EARLY RELEASE

### What's Happening at Bay Harbor?



"Changing of the Flag"
Ceremony. On Tuesday, May 28th, a new American flag was raised up on the flag pole in front of the school and the other flag which was showing signs of wear and tear was taken down and will be disposed of in a proper and dignified manner. Jay VanZeeland. Mr. Siech and some

of our Student Council Members helped out with this ceremony as the rest of the students and staff looked on.

#### Field Day! This Friday, May 31st



In the Take Home Folders today will be an important note for parents/guardians about Field Day. Click here to read.

#### Mother/Son Kickball Game!



Saturday, June 1st, 10:30 - 1:30 Calling all Mom's! Please join us with your boys for a competitively fun game of kickball for our final Family Fun Event of the year! Rain or shine, the game will take place on Saturday, June 1st at

10:30 am. We will be playing at Idlewild Park, on diamonds 1 & 2.

If you have any questions please contact Sandi Beaver 920-217-8296. Thank you!

#### **Attention 4th Grade Parents...**



You are invited to your son/daughter's music class for a **Recorder Concert**. Click here for more information

**1:20**, Report cards sent home with students, Memory Book Signing

#### **Community Corner**

- Day Out with Thomas and Friends the Go Go Thomas Tour 2013 at the National Railroad Museum June 12-16, 2-12 www.nationalrrmuseum.org Click here for Fiver
- FIELDS A program of Brown County UW-Extension presents Cathedral Pines
   Archeological Exploration and Old-growth Hike Saturday, June 8 (9:00 am 4:00 pm). Meet at Brown County UW-Extension by 8:45 a.m.
   https://www.co.brown.wi.us/departments/7department=68d3c3d55278 click here
  - for flyer

    Fly A Kite Fest Saturday, June 29 (10 am 4 pm) at the Arnie Wolff Sports

Complex, 3240 Humboldt Rd. For more information and updates visit

www.fcrnew.org or call 920-432-8899. Click here for more info
 Suamico Recreation Department Wants to Help You Make this Summer FUN! Summer is coming! Start planning today to make the most of it with the many recreational activities the Suamico Recreation Department has planned. Try something new like Horseback Riding, Lego®, Youth Sailing, British Multi-Sports Camps, and Stand-up Paddleboarding or check out our Gymnastics, Tae Kwon Do, Soccer Camps or Tennis programs. For more information on any of

the programs listed above please check out our website at www.suamico.org.

#### **SAFE SUMMER TIPS**



Summer months bring longer days, more opportunities to be outside and vacations. This leads to changes in routines, which is a risk factor for suffering an unintentional injury. According to Safe Kids Worldwide, the rate of unintentional injury escalates during the summer months. Keeping kids safe during summer months can be challenging. However, following these 5 tips could improve your chances of an injury-free summer.

- Each year many children are serious injured by lawn mowers.
   Power lawn mowers have proved to be the most dangerous.
   Learn more
- Drowning is the second leading cause of injury-related death for children ages 1 to 4. Incidents of drowning increase during summer months. Learn more.
- Allowing children to play with fireworks is dangerous. Sparklers can burn at 2,000 degrees, which is as hot as a blowtorch.
- More than 320 children die each summer due to heat stroke from being left in hot cars. Most of these children are younger than age 3. Learn more.

Injuries at playgrounds account for more than 205,000 emergency department visits each year. Learn more.

Children's Health Alliance of Wisconsin chaw@chw.org

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#### **Bay Harbor PTO**



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#### **Golden Awards**

Click here to see the winning classrooms from week ending Friday, May 24th!



#### End of School Year News School Supply Lists for 13-14

Click here

**2013-2014 Class Assignments** will be mailed to your home by the third week in August. Please notify the school office at 662-8800 if your address has changed since the beginning of the 2012-2013 school year to ensure you receive your child's placement.

#### Lost and Found items

Please check out the "Lost and Found" area before the school year is out if you think your child may have lost something at school. All unclaimed items will be donated.

**Report cards** will be sent home with students on the **last day of school** rather than being mailed a week later. Please check your students backpack on the last day of school for their report card.

#### Medication at School - end of school year

If your child currently has medication at school (prescription over-the-counter, cough drops, epi pen, inhaler, etc), it will need to be picked up on the last day of school. If this is not possible, please call the office to let us know when you would be able to pick it up. Any medication that would still be on hand at school by the end of June will be disposed of.

#### **Memory Books**

If you ordered a Memory Book for your child, they will be sent home on the last day of school in order for them to be signed by classmates which will take place on the last day of school.

We do have a few extra for purchase at a cost of \$13.50 if you would like to buy one now. They will be sold on a first come, first served basis. Please contact the office if you would like to purchase one.

#### School Kidz School Supply Kits

If you ordered a "School Kidz" School Supply Kit for 13-14, they will be delivered to Bay Harbor on August 20th. After that date you will be able to pick them up at school. There will be a reminder about this in the Class Placement letter that will sent home in mid August.

#### The Parents' Guide to Student Success



The *Parents' Guide to Student Success* <a href="http://www.openstreetsgreenbay.com">http://www.openstreetsgreenbay.com</a> was developed by the National PTA in response to the **Common Core State Standards** in English language arts and mathematics. Created by teachers, parents, education experts, and others from across the country, the standards provide clear, consistent expectations for what students should be learning at each grade in order to be prepared for college and career. National PTA® created the guides for grades K-8 and two for grades 9-12 (one for English language arts/literacy and one for mathematics). The *Guide* includes:

- Key items that children should be learning in English language arts and mathematics in each grade, once the standards are fully
  implemented.
- Activities that parents can do at home to support their child's learning.
- Methods for helping parents build stronger relationships with their child's teacher.

#### **Counselor Corner**

May, 2013

Hello Parents and Families!!

As the end of the approaches, I'd like to share our Life Skills news with you. Our students have recently learned about how to keep their bodies safe and healthy. They have also learned about healthy communication, Big Voice, friendship, and personal safety in recent weeks. The kids enjoy learning about ways to stand up to bullying behaviors! We practiced using assertiveness and how to respectfully stand up for themselves and others using their "Big Voice": "I don't like that, please STOP!"

Life Skills incorporates many useful lessons for social functioning. Social Emotional Learning (SEL) Programs I have utilized throughout the last 5 years at Bah Harbor including: Winner's Social Thinking, Dr. Bailey's Conscious Discipline, and Gibbs' TRIBES, help students to adjust to their surroundings and be efficient learners. The Center for Academic, Social, and Emotional Learning or C.A.S.E.L has found that these programs:

Improve students' social-emotional skills, attitudes about self and others, connection to school, and positive social behavior; and reduce conduct problems and emotional distress.

• Improve students' achievement test scores by 11 to 17 percentile points.

Ultimately, Social Thinking, Conscious Discipline, and TRIBES, which many Bay Harbor teachers incorporate in their teaching, are helping our students to achieve more and feel better about themselves and others while learning.

As summer is right around the bend, please keep in mind the following tips:

- Eat healthy, nutritious meals together as a family (fruits and veggies)
- Exercise with your children—30 minutes daily, 5 times per week
- Kids and Parents: Always wear a bicycle helmet (even on your scooter!)
- Kids: Always ask first and then discuss with your parents know where you are going, when you'll return and who you are with (3 W's)

Have a safe and healthy summer!

Jen Woulf, Bay Harbor School Counselor

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