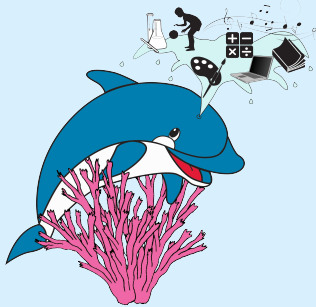


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# Weekly Wave

*The Dayton Oaks School community will provide a safe, nurturing environment that fosters individual potential through academic excellence, appreciation of diversity, and commitment to college and career readiness and life-long learning.*



## IMPORTANT DATES

**Tuesday, April 25**

Report Cards Issued

**Friday, April 28**

Family Bingo Night, 6 - 8 PM

**Thursday, May 4**

Prince/Princess Day – Dress up like your favorite prince or princess

**Friday, May 19**

Professional Learning Day  
Schools Closed

**Thursday, May 25**

Super Hero Day – Dress up like your favorite super hero

**Friday, May 26**

Field Day

**Monday, May 29**

Memorial Day – Schools Closed

## Corals of Creativity

### **SAMSUNG GALAXY NOTE7 ALERT**

Please be advised that due to recent recalls of the Samsung Galaxy Note7 smartphone, these phones are no longer allowed on school property, effectively immediately. The lithium-ion battery in the Samsung Galaxy Note7 can overheat and catch fire, posing serious fire and burn hazard to consumers.

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## Family DolFun Bingo Night

Dayton Oaks PTA presents Family DolFun Bingo Night on Friday, April 28, 2017, in the Cafetorium. Doors open at 5:45 p.m., and the first game will begin promptly at 6:15 p.m. Bring spare change to use as bingo markers, and at the end of the evening feel free to donate your change to the Howard County Autism Society. There will be pizza, hot dogs and drinks available to purchase as well as a Bake Sale. Proceeds from the Bake Sale will benefit the Howard County Autism Society as well. Bring the entire family -- there will be cool prizes for everyone! Seating is limited so be sure to RSVP by going to: [dolfunbingo.eventbrite.com](http://dolfunbingo.eventbrite.com).

## Field Day 2017

This year's Field Day will be held Friday, May 26<sup>th</sup>. Students in grades K, 1, 2, and PreK/RECC will have field day from 1-3 pm and students in grades 3, 4 and 5 will have field day from 10 am – 12 pm. We are encouraging all students to wear team colors on Field Day. If you wish to order a Field Day t-shirt, order forms are being sent home in this week's Thursday Folder. T-shirts will be available in cotton or dri-fit. The deadline to order t-shirts is Friday, April 28.

Grade 5 is **BLUE**  
Grade 4 is **GREEN**  
Grade 3 is **ORANGE**  
Grade 2 is **RED**  
Grade 1 is **PURPLE**  
Kindergarten is **YELLOW**  
PreK/RECC is **MAROON**

We need many parent volunteers to help make Field Day a success. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Lisa Fox at [lisa\\_fox@hcpss.org](mailto:lisa_fox@hcpss.org). In the event of inclement weather, Field Day will be rescheduled for Friday, June 2. Thank you for your continued support.

## School-Wide Read-A-Thon

Get ready for the first Dayton Oaks School-Wide Read-a-thon! We will be celebrating outdoors on Friday, April 21 in honor of Earth Day. The read-a-thon is a school-based learning activity that will provide the students the opportunity to enjoy the outdoors while mixing with friends and siblings from other classes. Hopefully everyone will enjoy the fresh air and good books! Students should bring books and towels or blankets with them to school. We are looking forward to a great event!

## National Math Festival

Saturday, April 22nd is the National Math Festival at the Washington DC Convention Center. There will be many activities for ages 2 through adult. For more information about this event, please visit: <http://mathfest.org/>.

## Walking Club

This is a great activity to volunteer for and get to know your child's friends and classmates. You can sign up for the days that match your schedule and stay for lunch with your child.

Grades 1 – 5 will walk during their recess on March 29, April 5, 19, 26, May 3 and 10. Kindergarten will walk on Fridays at 11 a.m. on March 31, April 7, 21, 28, May 5 and 12.

Parent volunteers are essential to our program. Please sign up to support this fitness activity that over half of our students love. Our success depends on parental support. Come out and join the fun! For more information or to volunteer, contact Beth Brannan at [walkingprogram@daytonoakspta.org](mailto:walkingprogram@daytonoakspta.org).

Your child's Thursday folder was sent home today. Please review for important academic information and general school notes and return on/before Monday. Thank you.

Please visit the Community News and Programs page (<http://www.hcpss.org/community-news-and-programs/>) on the HCPSS website for announcements of upcoming events and programs sponsored by non-profit organizations.

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**School Hours: 9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.**  
**Office Hours: 8:15 a.m. – 4:15 p.m.**

*Every student is engaged and inspired in a rigorous and empowering environment, in order to develop a love of learning, discover strengths, and excel in all endeavors.*