

MooseTracks - March 2018

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Important Dates

- Fun For all - March 3
- Kindergarten registration - March 6 and 7
- Late Start - March 13
- Spring Break - No School - March 19-23
- Good Friday - No School - March 30
- Late Start - April 10
- Late Start - May 1
- Book Fair - May 7 to 11
- Arts Festival - May 10
- Special Persons Day - May 11
- Fun Run - May 18 - 2:40
- Monty 5K - May 19 - 9:00 am
- 5th grade Graduation - May 25 at 11:00 am
- Memorial Day - No School - May 28
- Fun Day - May 29
- Last day of school - 5th grade clap out 3:00 - May 30

March Kindergarten Registration for Fall 2018

Bexley offers all-day kindergarten for all students who turn five years of age on or before August 1, the year of enrollment. New students to kindergarten should be registered at the elementary school of attendance. The child does not have to accompany the parent/guardian to register.

To support efficient on-site registration, families with the last names ending with A through L are invited to register March 6, and families with the last names ending with M through Z are invited to register March 7:

March 6, 2018 (Tues.)

9:00 - 11:00 am

1:00 - 3:00 pm

6:00 - 8:00 pm*

March 7, 2018 (Wed.)

9:00 - 11:00 am

1:00 - 3:00 pm

*Evening registration (March 6, 6:00-8:00pm) is available to families unable to register during day time hours.

It is important to have all children registered at this time. If you are unable to make these dates, please call Dr. Gage, the school principal, for assistance: 614-237-4226.

Fourth grade Little Free Pantry

Our fourth graders have been working with artist Megan Green on a service-learning project to support our new Little Free Pantry. Students have created small crafts to inform our community about the Little Free Pantry (LFP) and food insecurity in Central Ohio. Students will be offering their creations this Saturday March 3rd at the Fun-For-All. Items may be purchased or traded for a donation of a food item for the pantry. All proceeds will go to the LFP. Our fourth grade classes have set a goal to raise enough with this project to keep the pantry stocked throughout the summer. Thank you to the PTO and the Larky family for their support of this project.

Lost and Found

Please put your child's name on all jackets, lunch boxes and backpacks. We have an overwhelming amount of items ending up in lost and found and cannot return them to your child's class without their name on their items.

Original Works® Fundraiser

Students have created a work of art to be sent to Original Works® for our annual fundraiser benefitting Artists-in-the-schools. Packets with your child's artwork and an order form will be coming home in the next week. If you wish to

purchase items, they will be delivered to Montrose in time for the Spring Arts Festival and Special Person's day. Please contact Mrs. Reiser with any questions Emily.reiser@bexleyschools.org

Destination Imagination

Montrose teams did very well at the Destination Imagination tournament last Saturday. Montrose had seven teams competing in the challenge categories: *Fine Art, Engineering, Service Learning, Technical, Scientific, and Early Learning (aka Rising Stars)*. We are so proud of our students for their hard work and creativity. We would like to thank the Bexley City Schools for their support and all the parents who volunteered to be team managers and tournament appraisers. If you are interested in participating next year, please contact Emily Reiser, visual art specialist and Carrie Corlew, gifted and talented specialist.

Lego Club

Lego club will be starting soon. It will be held after school on Mondays in the Montrose library. Look out for a sign-up form coming home with your child in the next week. Mrs. Reiser is in need of Lego figures if any families have some that are no longer in use.

Bexley Educator of the Year

Nominations for Bexley Educator of the Year are due March 15.

<http://bexleyeducationfoundation.org/event/educator-year-nominations/>

38th Annual Education Appreciation Banquet

The Bexley City School District Board of Education and Parent Teach Organizations invite you to join us in celebrating our district and staff!

May 1, 2018

Reception: 5:30 p.m.

Dinner & Awards: 6:00 p.m.

Capital University's Capital Center
2360 East Mound Street

Columbus, Ohio 43209

Dinner is prepaid ONLY. \$20/person.

Check must be received by April 6 to ensure enough food and seating.

No reservations can be accepted at the door.

Mail check to:

Bexley City School District

Mary Davis

348 South Cassingham Road, Bexley, Ohio 43209

Call 614.231.7611 ext. 5214 with questions

Friend of Education Nomination

- Individual who has made a significant contribution to public education in the City of Bexley
- Not a current employee of Bexley City Schools
- Non-educator in the Bexley City Schools
- Person who goes beyond the ordinary to give of his/her time to our schools
- Nominated by either an educator or non-educator

Procedure:

Three nominees will be chosen from the submitted applications by a Selection Committee from the PTO Council and forwarded to the Board of Education for final selection. Don't hesitate to nominate someone because you are not sure if they fit the criteria -- the Selection Committee wants all the input possible.

Download the [Friend of Education Nomination Form](#)

Home And School Connection

Download the March edition of the [Home & School Connection](#).

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