

Neah-Kah-Nie Middle School

May 2024

From The Principal

Dear Neah-Kah-Nie Middle School Families.

As we step into the month of May, we're greeted with the warmth of spring (and rain) and the excitement of new opportunities for our students. This month's newsletter is dedicated to partnering with you to ensure our students thrive during the assessment season.

This past week, 8th grade students took the science test, and next week all students will take the English Language Arts assessment, followed by the next week all students will take the math assessment.

State testing is an integral part of our educational system, providing valuable insights into our students' academic progress and helping us identify areas where they may need additional support. While we understand that testing can sometimes cause stress for both students and parents, please know that we are committed to creating a supportive and encouraging environment for our students during this time.

As we prepare for these assessments, we want to emphasize the importance of support, encouragement, and collaboration between home and school. Here are a few ways families can provide assistance and encouragement:

- If at all possible, please schedule any appointments outside the school day.
- Encourage your student to get a good night's sleep.
- Celebrate achievements by acknowledging your student's hard work and perseverance.
- Emphasize the importance of effort and improvement rather than solely focusing on the outcome of the assessment.

This time of year is not only filled with state assessments. We have many fun activities to look forward to. You will find more information on that below.

Warm regards,

Lori Dilbeck NKN Middle School Principal

Important Dates To Remember!

MAY 6 - Professional Development NO SCHOOL

MAY 7 - MAY 10 - ELA SBAC Testing

MAY 11 - Thorns Game FT - 8th grade only

MAY 13 - MAY 17 - Math SBAC Testing

May 17 - DAY OF SERVICE

MAY 22 - 5th Grade Family Orientation Night (5:00-6:00)

MAY 27 - Memorial Day NO SCHOOL

MAY 29 - 5th Grade visitation

MAY 31 - Secret Garden Spring Dance (All Grades) 6:00pm - 8:00pm.

Cost \$5.00 OR 15 Sand dollars \ Food and drinks available \$.50 - \$2.00

Important Dates to Come......

Tentatively Forecasted for June

June 13 - Last day of school - early release

Cell Phones At School

We understand it's important that you have a way to reach your child, but just a reminder about cell phone usage at school.

- Students should not carry their phones or have them during class. They need to be turned off and kept in their locker during the school day (including breakfast and lunch).
- If a student needs to make a call, they are allowed to use the phone during morning break and lunch (and of course for an emergency situation).
- Students may use their phone and/or watch on the bus (to and from school), but upon arriving to school, phones and watches must be turned off.



Neah-Kah-Nie Middle School Presents...

The 4th Annual

Enrichment Program

Register Below

Neah-Kah-Nie Middle School Presents...



Neah-Kah-Nie Middle School is excited to offer a FREE 1 week summer enrichment program for our students entering grades 6-8. Students will have the opportunity to participate in a wide variety of activities including: art, athletics, nature exploration, team-building, field trips, and more. Transportation and lunch will be provided at no cost to participants.

Dates: Monday, August 19th - Friday August 23rd. Times: 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Register online using this <u>link</u> or contact the Middle School Office at 503-355-2990. Email <u>angied@nknsd.org</u> if you have any questions. Space is limited, so reserve your spot now.



La escuela intermedia Neah-Kah-Nie presenta..



Programa de enriquecimiento

La escuela intermedia Neah-Kah-Nie se complace en ofrecer un programa de enriquecimiento de verano GRATUITO de 1 semana para nuestros estudiantes que ingresan a los grados 6-8. Los estudiantes tendrán la oportunidad de participar en una amplia variedad de actividades que incluyen:arte. atletismo, exploración de la naturaleza, formación de equipos, excursiones y más. Se proporcionará transporte y almuerzo sin costo para los participantes.

Fechas:Lunes 19 de agosto - viernes 23 de agosto. Veces: 8:00 a. m. - 2:00 p. m.

Registrese en línea usando <u>este enlace</u> o comuniquese con la oficina de la escuela al 503-355-2990. Correo electrónico angied@nknsd.org Si tienes alguna pregunta. El espacio es limitado, así que reserva tu lugar ahora.



English

Middle School Summer Enrichment Registration

Sign in to Google to save your progress. Learn more

* Indicates required question

Student's First & Last Name *

Your answer

Summer Robotics Camp

This is for CURRENT 23/24 Middle School Students Only



What is 4-H?

Head, Heart, Hands, and Health are the four Hs in 4-H, and they are the four values members work on through fun and engaging programs.



Middle School Attendance Office

If you should need to contact us for attendance purposes, please email us at msattendance@nknsd.org. Please include the following:

- · Students First and Last name
- Reason for the absence
- Date or time they will return

We are not always by our phone, so by emailing us it will help keep your student's attendance up to date!



We understand that students miss school due to illness, appointments or personal reasons, but we want to partner with you to make sure your student is as successful as possible. Students with strong attendance are more likely to succeed in school and in future employment. All absences impact student performance, and they miss out on valuable instructional time.



Lot's of food and celebration



Pinata Fun!



Karli running the cotten candy machine!

Middle School Track Schedule

Neah-Kah-Nie Middle School

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2024 Track

Date	Location	Time	
4/12 Fri	Tillamook	3:30/4:00	
4/16 Tues	Seaside	3:30/4:00	
4/24 Wed	Warrenton	3:30/4:00	
5/3 Fri	Jewell	3:30/4:00	
5/11 Sat	ST Helens(Districts)	10:00 AM	

- Field Events/3000m start at 3:30/ Running events @ 4:00
- Districts coaches meeting @ 9 AM

May Breakfast / Lunch at NKN Middle School

MAY 2024 NEAH-KAH-NIE MIDDLE SCHOOL

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
*+		V	Blueberry Muffin	Biscuit & Sausage	Pancakes 3
		001	Tater Tot Casserole	Tillamook Cheese	Chicken Strips over Rice
			Chef's Salad	Burger Deli Sandwich	Deli Sandwich
Professional Development NO SCHOOL	Drofossional 6	Breakfast Sandwich	Banana Bread	Pancake on a Stick	Strawberry Bagel
	Chicken Quesadilla	Wing Wednesday Buffalo & BBQ	Chicken Burger	Meatball Sub	
	Deli Sandwich	Deli Sub	Tuna Sandwich	Big Dipper Bento	
	Breakfast Bar	Biscuits & Gravy	Strawberry Smoothie 15	Breakfast Burrito	Oatmeal Rounds
Cheesy Breadstic & Marinara Deli Sandwich	Cheesy Breadsticks	Taco Salad	Chicken Alfredo	Hamburger Gravy &	Chicken Cheesy
		PB & J	Deli Sandwich	Mashed Potatoes Deli Sandwich	Broccoli Bake Cheese Quesadilla
	Waffles	Breakfast Bagel	Breakfast Pizza	Yogurt Parfait 23	Cinnamon Rolls 24
	Corn Dogs	Taco Tuesday	Spaghetti	Pulled Pork Sandwich	Fish & Chips
	Deli Sandwich	Chef's Salad	Deli Sub	Cobb Salad	Deli Sandwich
Memorial Day No School	Mamarial Day	French Toast 28	Breakfast Bar	Biscuit & Scrambled Eggs	Pancakes 31
		Burritos	Orange Chicken & Rice	Sloppy Joe & Tots	Pepperoni Pizza Sticks
	Deli Sandwich	Chef's Salad	Chicken Salad	Little Dipper Bento	

A variety of fresh fruits and vegetables are available daily on our offering bar. All of our bread and pasta items are whole wheat or whole grain. Gluten free options are available. Every day choices of 1% and fat-free milk are offered. Whole grain cereal is an option for breakfast.

Menu items are subject to change if needed.



NKN Local Wellness Program

WHY DO WE HAVE A LOCAL WELLNESS PROGRAM?

Our Wellness Policy focuses on the whole student by assisting in the development and education of their physical, emotional, intellectual, social and nutritional health and wellbeing.

WHAT HAS NKN BEEN DOING TO PROMOTE STUDENT WELLNESS?

- · Daily Physical Activity
- FREE nutritious meals every day
- District School Nurse
- Full time counselors at all buildings
- · Annual Health Fair
- · Health and Wellness Center



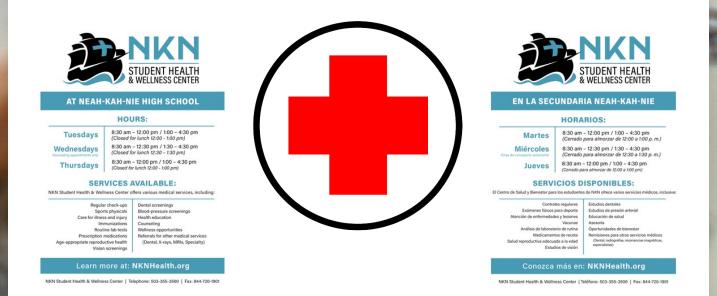
For more information visit the Neah-Kah-Nie Wellness webpage:

- Triennial assessment results
- · NKN Local Wellness Board Policy
- Oregon requirements for Local School Wellness Policy
- Contact details

From the Nurse - Denise Weiss

If You Have Medications On File At School - PLEASE READ!!

- All medication must be picked up by the last day of school.
- Any medications left in the office at the end of the school year will be discarded.



Calling All Wrestlers.....

