



THE NEHALEM NUGGET

NEWS BITS FOR NEHALEM FAMILIES



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BE SAFE . . . BE RESPECTFUL . . . BE RESPONSIBLE

June 2018

Important Dates

Friday 6/1/18

Neah-Kah-Nie High School
Graduation 7:00 pm

Monday 6/4/18

Last Swim—Henderson Class

Tuesday 6/5/18

Last Swim—all other Classes
Parent Council Meeting 6:30 pm

Wednesday 6/5/18

5th Grade Swim 1:15 pm

Friday 6/8/18

Field Day begins at 12:00 pm

Monday 6/11/18

School Board Meeting -6:30 pm

Tuesday 6/12/18

Last Day of School
Dismissal at 12:00 pm

Individual Student Rewards
-That add up to whole school
rewards-

WAY TO GO'S # 2,810 FEATH-
ERS # 129
RESPECT BUCKS # 1,625

Whole Classroom rewards

FEATHER PARTIES

DeGandi: Full length movie (2 feath-
er parties)

Whole School Reward

Ice cream Treat during Field Day

Seagull to Celebrate

Roman Hewett, Lydia Davis,
Jayden Tuom, Grace Nielson-
Lambert, Emma Buchanan, Trini-
ty Schenk-Williams, William Bowen,
Necia Neahring, Britton Holloway,
Finnegan Ware, Lucian Stubbs, Brian
Rauda & Joseph Naylor

END OF THE YEAR SCHOOL EVENTS

TUESDAY 6/12/18

- ⇒ **8:05 A.M** SCHOOL STARTS
- ⇒ **8:30 A.M.** Awards Assembly:
Library, Swim Challenge, Attendance,
5th Grade Appreciation and Presidential Awards.
- ⇒ **10:30 A.M.** Schoolwide BBQ-KG classes first.
Please call the school to rsvp.
Lunch \$ 4:50 (adult) ; \$ 2.70 (children)
- ⇒ **11:50 A.M.** Bell ringing for 5th grade students.
- ⇒ **12:00 P.M. DISTRICT wide Early Release.**

RETIRING/NEW JOBS

- * Virginia Birkby -4th/5th grade teacher will be retiring after this school year.
- * NEW 5th grade teacher Kristina Burdick
- * NEW Instructional Assistants: Susan St. John

2018/2019 CLASS ASSIGNMENTS AND CONFIGURATIONS

Kindergarten—Lydia Felley
Kindergarten/First Grade—Marta Thysell
First/Second Grade—Angel Honts
First/Second Grade—Kate Romanov
Third Grade —Ashley Verhulst
Third/Fourth Grade—Ali Duer
Fourth Grade—Tracy DeGandi
Fifth Grade—Joan Henderson
Fifth Grade—Kristina Burdick

STUDENT PLACEMENT INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

Student placement will be based on Nehalem Elementary staff recommendations derived from our cumulative knowledge of a student's individual learning needs, personal characteristics and our desire to have balanced classrooms. We hope families will trust our professional judgment regarding their student's placement and not try to make requests. Final decision will be made by the building principal based on all of the factors. Due to uncertain summer time enrollment, final class lists will be posted on Friday, 8/31/2018

A MESSAGE FROM THE FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER



This school year, the Family Resource Center has loaned out a record number of swim suits and towels to ensure that all kids are able to participate in the swim program. Unfortunately, many of the suits have not been returned. If you have unfamiliar swimsuits or towels at your house, chances are they belong to the Family Resource Center. If your child has out grown his/her swim suit and there is still a lot of 'wear' left in it, you can donate it to the school and it will be used next year for those who forget, lose, or don't own a swim suit. Towels in good shape will also be put to good use. Thank you.

LOST AND FOUND



All Lost and Found items will be displayed in the gym during the last week of school; June 11th & 12th. The unclaimed items will be donated to local area thrift shops. Please encourage your child to look for missing items - or come and look for yourselves. If you come during school hours, please remember to sign in at the office. Thank you & Happy Hunting.

Attendance Tracker



(Comparing this years monthly attendance with last year)

2017/2018		2016/2017	
September	96.80%	September	95.50%
October	95.6 %	October	95.50%
November	93.5 %	November	93.80%
December	96.6 %	December	93%
January	91.4 %	January	93.50%
February	92.63 %	February	94%
March	92.9 %	March	91.50%
April	91.34 %	April	93.30%
May	92.42	May	92.10%

A NOTE FROM YOUR NES ATTENDANCE FAIRY

How can it be that we are in our last weeks of school?

Parents, please be looking for a yellow sheet of unexcused absences. This needs to be filled out and returned before the last day of school so that I can update your child's attendance. All unexcused absences will be put on their permanent record.

Reminder to parents: Please remember to call the office in the morning if your child will not be attending school. **(A doctors note is required if child is ill or at an appointment.)**

Double Up Food Bucks: A SNAP/EBT Matching Program, returns to Tillamook County farmers markets

Double Up Food Bucks-DUFB (previously known as SNAP Match) is an incentive program that provides low-income households who receive Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) benefits with a \$1 for \$1 match to purchase locally grown fruits and vegetables at area farmers markets. Each week a participant is eligible for up to \$10 in DUFB currency to stretch their weekly food dollars, while also supporting local farmers.

In Tillamook County there is a farmers market in Manzanita, Tillamook, Pacific City and Neskowin. Each farmers market in Tillamook County participates in a SNAP Matching program. That means a participant could receive \$40.00 in match money in one weekend, if they attended all four markets! If you wish to support or learn more about this program please visit foodrootsnw.org or stop by our office on 113 Main Ave, Tillamook, OR.



COMMUNITY INFORMATION

NCRD YOUTH PROGRAMS

Camps: Registration is Open!

- Missoula Children's Theater: 6/18-6/23
- Forest to Sea #1: 6/25-6/29
- Emergency Prep: 6/25-6/29
- Forest to Sea #2: 7/2, 7/3,7/5.7/6
- Gardening and Cooking (K-2):7/23-7/27
- Gardening and Cooking (3-6): 8/13-8/17

For more information contact Kiley at 855-444-6273 or kileyk@ncrdnehalem.org

Sports: Summer Soccer starts July 9th!

Register by June 22nd!

For more information call 855-444-6273 or email crystald@ncrdnehalem.org

Summer Youth Program:

- Open 7am-5pm Monday thru Friday
- \$10 less than 4 hours
- \$15 for 4 hours or more
- Field trips on Wednesdays starting in July

Registration forms available at the NCRD Welcome Center

For more information contact Susan at susans@ncrdnehalem.org



SWEET SUCCESS FOR SWIM CHALLENGE PARTICIPANTS!!

Seventeen 4th and 5th grade students participated in the 2018 NCRD/Nehalem Elementary Swim Challenge on Tuesday May 22nd. Self-motivation and stamina was demonstrated by all swimmers. It was a proud moment for the NCRD swim instructors. Certificates of achievement and special medals will be awarded to all participants at the June Awards Assembly.

WAY TO GO SWIMMERS!!

Congratulations: Kayla Erickson, Emma Grimes, Raymond Grimes, Danyln Dorsey, Nick Jones Jordynn Burch, Brady Douma, Maya Rodinsky, Ariaah Rajcich, Elizabeth Reyes Avalos, Issac Ferber, Amber Lyons, Bryan Zivanovic, Maya Matthews, Nathaniel Tinnes, Dillon Bennett and Kayla Baker.

SUMMERTIME FUN @ the NCRD/NEHALEM POOL 2018

Summer Swim Schedule begins June 25, 2018

OPEN SWIMS—Monday---Sunday 1:00---3:00 \$2.00 per student 10x punch card \$18.00

SWIM LESSONS: Begin: June 25 --- August 15 ... Monday & Wednesday

Great time to fine tune those swim skills & acquire new ones!! (Amount of lessons optional...drop-ins welcome)

call pool or Sue for times and fees pool#1-855-444-6273 Sue @ 368-6238

COME MAKE A SPLASH WITH US THIS SWIMMER!!

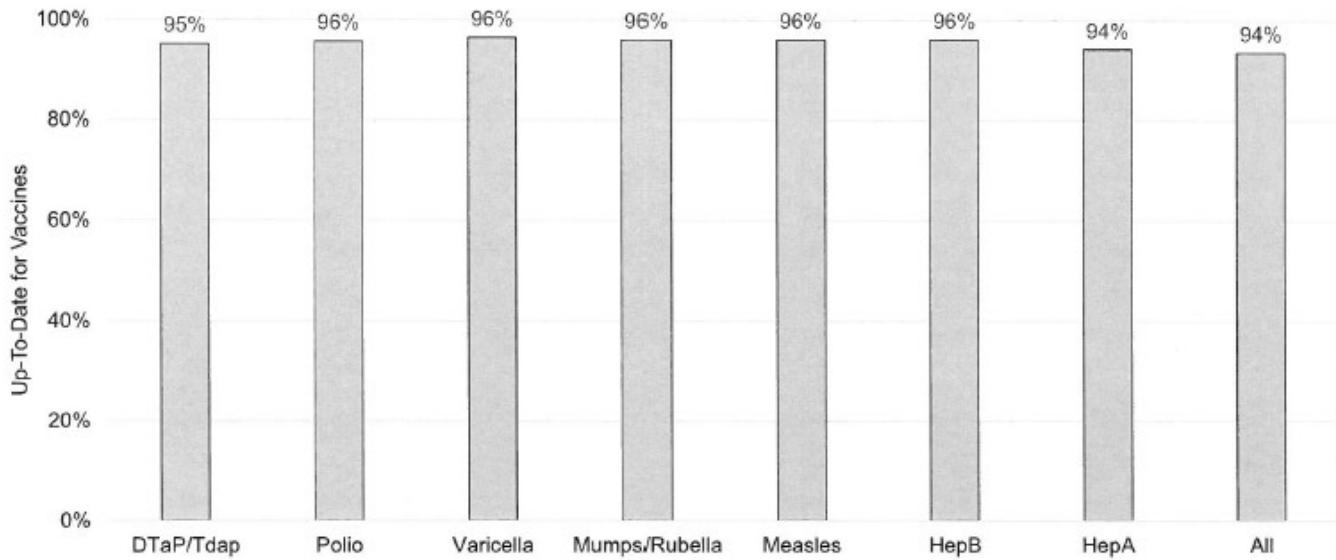
Pool closed for maintenance.....June 9th thru June 24th

Last Friday Night Swim until Fall is June 8th, 2018

Summer Pool Schedules available @ NCRD check us out @ www.ncrd.org

**POOL
NEWS!!**

How many school-age kids* are up-to-date on vaccines in your county?



*Kindergarten through 12th grade

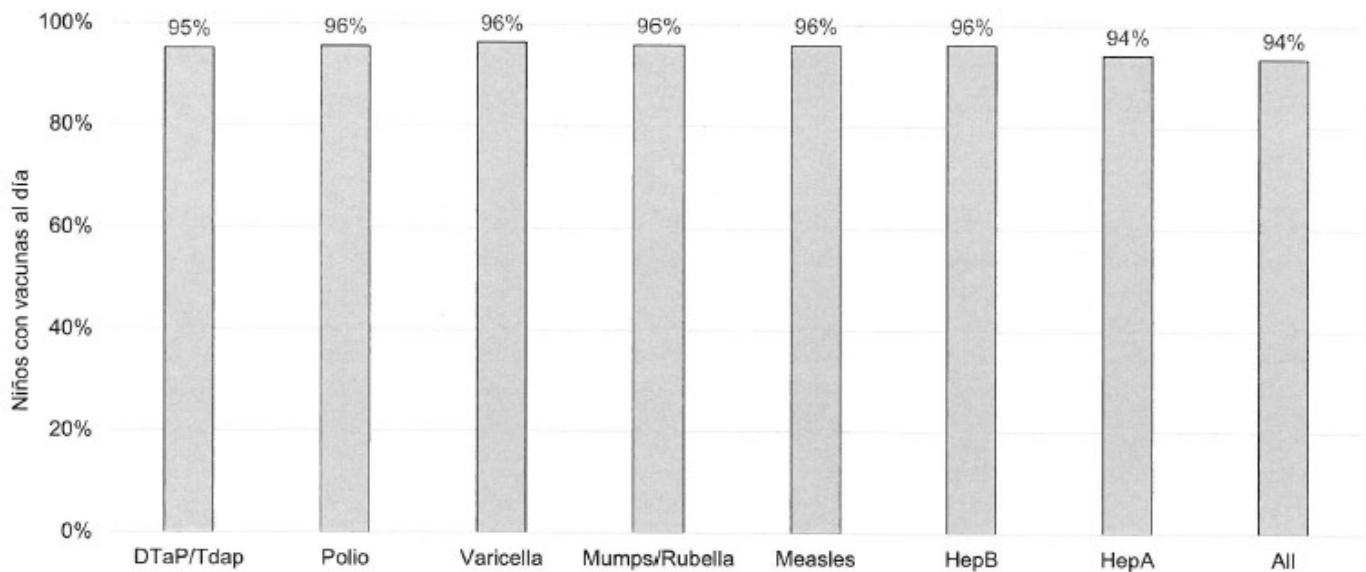
Assessment date: 03/05/2018

Data source: Immunization Primary Review Summary Reports

□ Tillamook County



¿Cuántos niños en edad escolar* están al día con las vacunas en su condado?



*Jardín de infancia hasta el grado 12

Fecha de evaluación: 05/03/2018

Fuente de datos: Informes de Resumen de Inmunización Primaria

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**Nehalem
Elementary
Parent
Council**

Newsletter

JUNE 2018



COME JOIN US!

JUNE 5TH
6:30pm - 7:30pm
NES Cafeteria

Join us



SOLVE

June 2nd

The Parent Council has adopted Nehalem Bay State Park in partnership with SOLVE for local beach clean-up! Join us Sat., June 2nd @ 10am - 1 pm. Teaching our families to respect and take care of our local beaches is a win-win for the whole community! Contact Erin or Jay Woika for more details. Meeting station by the horse stables.



Our Carnival was a great family event! We would like to thank all the people who volunteered their time, donated items and came out to the event!

We would especially like to give a big shout out to Ms. Kathy for braving the head dunk tank! She is such a great sport, and we truly appreciate her support!

We would also like to thank Meagan Sokol from the Cannon Beach Arts Association for her amazing face painting skills. CBAA has many great summer art camp options for our children. Check them out at: <http://cannonbeacharts.org/summer-art-camp>

Together, we raised over \$1,200 that will go toward our school supply budget. YAY!

A huge thank you to the middle school volunteers who helped us set up and run the games, the Carnival Committee and other helpers especially Erin Derr, Wendy Bakker, Crystal Dietrich, Carmen Goodenough, Tricia Lawyer, Denise Weiss and Renae Scalabrin.

We are already excited to start the planning for next year, and we will see you all there!



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Learning Garden

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Nehalem Elementary School Garden

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HOW CAN YOU HELP?

**COME BE A PART OF THIS FUN
GROUP EFFORT!**

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Nehalem ElementaryParent Council

Renae Scalabrin President
renae.scalabrin@gmail.com

Let us give your child a jump start for Kindergarten!

FREE!

Kinder Camp

Students will learn rules and routines to help them successfully navigate being a Kindergartener. Lunch provided daily.

Fun family events will be held to help Kindergarten families connect with one another and become more comfortable with supporting their child's transition to elementary school.

July 30-August 10, 2018

Garibaldi Grade School - Melinda Rumage, teacher

Nehalem Elementary - Kate Romonav, teacher

Register by June 27 with:

Bev Baldwin, Garibaldi Grade School, bevb@nknsd.org 503-322-0311

Karen Wheeler, Nehalem Elementary, karenw@nknsd.org 503-355-3650



NES Seismic Work Continues Summer 2018!

Last summer NES had a 1.5 million dollar seismic upgrade to make our school safer for staff and students. This summer we are getting another seismic upgrade to the gym to continue that work. We will have all new walls and a roof for the gym in the fall. If you are around NES this summer you'll notice our front parking areas blocked off from cars and the only parking will be in the back of the school. Staff are excited about the new gym upgrade as we'll have better acoustics and soundproofing, a new sound system, new paint, better heating and new lighting in addition to all the upgraded safety measures. Come check us out in the fall to see the improvements!

LUNCH ACCOUNTS

In preparation for the end of the school year, **Friday, May 11 2018** was the last day students were allowed to charge lunch. Students **MUST** have funds in there accounts. Please be looking in your student's backpack for any PAST DUE charge notices. All outstanding balances must be cleared up immediately. We appreciate families attention and cooperation as we close out the lunch accounts for the school year.

NEAH-KAH-NIE SCHOOL DISTRICT

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- Grade 4/5 Teacher—Two positions available at Garibaldi Grade School
- Custodian I—Middle school
- 3.5 Instructional Assistant at Nehalem Elementary
- 3.5 Instructional Assistant at Garibaldi Grade School

All applications can be found on our website at:

<https://nknsd.org/departments/human-resources/employment/>

Neah-Kah-Nie School District is an equal opportunity employer.