

# Rockwell June Newsletter

Dear Rockwell Families,

Thank you to the OCS Community for passing the school budget! We greatly appreciate your continued support which enables our district to be a great place for your children to learn and grow.

As you will read in this newsletter, Rockwell has many fun events planned for the students in June. I have spoken to the entire school that these events are privileges. If a student's behavior does not meet our expectations, a privilege may be taken away as a consequence.

It is so nice to finally have the weather change. It is just beautiful. The nicer weather brings us to the end of the school year with end of year activities. We ask that the children wear sneakers at recess due to the chance of bees in the grass. Also please remember to review the district dress code.

The Scholastic Book Fair will be at Rockwell from June 7-10<sup>th</sup>. It will be open each day from 9:00 to 11:00 AM. It is a great way to stock up on books for summer reading. We thank the PTO for hosting this event.

Rockwell students will be treated to the BOCES Planetarium on June 13<sup>th</sup> and June 15<sup>th</sup>.

Rockwell School will host a **Game Day on Friday, June 17<sup>th</sup> out on the playground**. We ask parents to meet your child's class on the playground. The schedule is as follows:

Kindergarten: 10:00-11:00 AM

Second Grade: 11:15-12:15 PM

First Grade: 1:15-2:15 PM

The children will enjoy playing games together and enjoy a cold drink and treat provided by the PTO.

Our second graders will be visiting Wheeler School on June 13<sup>th</sup>, where they will tour the building and meet the third grade teachers and staff. This is a wonderful opportunity for the children to familiarize themselves with Wheeler and relieve a little anxiety they may have.

On June 14<sup>th</sup> we will be holding our **Flag Day Celebration and Parade. (Weather permitting)** We ask the parents to wait outside for the students to come out around 9:30 AM. We will then parade down Macon Street, over one block on Laursen Dr. and then back to school on

Thompson Rd. to Rockwell Rd. We are so happy to bring back the parade and to celebrate our Nation's flag.

The UPK and the 4410 Preschool Programs will celebrate the moving up of the students on June 23<sup>rd</sup> out on the front lawn of the school. We ask parents to please bring a lawn chair to sit on. This wonderful events begins at 10:00 AM.

Rockwell School continues to register for incoming Kindergarteners and Preschoolers. If you have a child school eligible or know of someone eligible, please register your child and share this information with family and friends.

Report cards will be sent home on June 23<sup>rd</sup>. The teacher assignment will not be listed on them. Parents will receive a letter in August with the teacher's name and room number.

The Rockwell staff and I want to thank the parents and guardians for being so supportive of our students, teachers and staff during this different school year. We thank you for your patience and understanding, as we have had to do so many things differently. Working together has made this school year almost like "normal" for the children.

Please review the calendar of events.

Kindest regards,

Margie Hart  
Rockwell Principal

## Calendar of Events

### June:

- 3 Morning Program-June Birthdays and Wheeler Chorus
- 7-10 Book Fair from 9:00-11:00 AM
- 8 Grade One Field Trip to Marcellus Park
- 9 Grade two Field Trip to Baltimore Woods
- 10 Morning Program-July Birthdays, Summer Safety and HS Seniors Reading Visit
- 10 Senior Class Walk through Rockwell around 10:00
- 13 Second Grade trip to Wheeler School  
Planetarium visits Rockwell
- 14 Flag day-wear Red, White and Blue  
Flag Day parade- around 9:30 -Please wait outside for us to come out
- 15 Kindergarten Field Trip to the Zoo  
Planetarium visits Rockwell
- 17 Last Morning Program-August Birthdays  
Game Day
- 20 Juneteenth-No School
- 21 Rockwell goes to the HS to see the Wheeler Play (AM)
- 23 Combined Preschools Moving-Up Ceremony at 10:00-Front Lawn
- 24 Half day of School-Dismissal at 11:30 AM