

# OB WEEKLY NEWS

## Old Bonhomme Gives!

Old Bonhomme is a community that gives and gives and gives! Thank you for making our annual Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. celebration rewarding and successful. We had so many families donate snack items. We had beautiful hand knit hats made by our fourth graders and warm cozy blankets made by our OBE families. We had meaningful cards and snack bags decorated by our community. We had many families deliver goodies to area shelters and retirement communities, and our fabulous show choir sang for our seniors. We also had families play games and connect with our seniors. We are so grateful for the many hands and hearts that made this honorary day of service perfect! Thank you OBE Community!

## Nurse News

It is cold and flu season, and we have seen several cases of **Influenza B** here at Old Bonhomme. If you or your child has not yet received a flu shot, it's not too late! Contact your doctor right away, because it takes two full weeks after the shot to be fully protected.

Just a friendly reminder that children should not return to school until their fever has been gone for a full 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medications such as Tylenol or Motrin.

If your child complains of feeling ill before school in the morning, please check their temperature. Children with a temperature of 100.0 or higher should not attend school.

Also, the nurse is in need of donations of new or gently used boys underwear and socks. Thank you!

## Box Tops for Education

It's the easiest way to earn money for our school: just use the Box Tops mobile app to scan your store receipt. It automatically finds participating products and instantly adds 10¢ Box Tops to our school's earnings online. Click the link below for more info and start collecting now!

<https://www.boxtops4education.com/app...>

## January

- 28** Kdg. trip to Magic House
- 29** OB Dine Out @ CPK
- 31** Quarterly Newsletter goes home

## February

- 3** PTO Mtg. 7-8:30 p.m.
- 4** 3rd Gr. Social 6:15-7:45 p.m.
- 7** Passport Night, 6-8 p.m. (with 2nd Gr. performance)
- 12** Walk in the Park (during PE)
- 13** Valentines' Day Parties, 2:40-3:40 p.m.
- 14** NO SCHOOL- Prof. Dev. Day

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## PTO News

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### **Passport Night:**

Please join us for Passport Night on Friday, **February 7**, from 6-8 p.m. Old Bonhomme's annual Passport Night is a fun event celebrating our diverse community and featuring second grade musical performances, food, drink, music, and culture from around the world. Questions? Please contact Stephanie Afful at [settle2afful@hotmail.com](mailto:settle2afful@hotmail.com) or 314-276-9467.

### **Third Grade Social & Community Service Activity:**

#### **Tuesday, February 4, from 6:15-7:30 p.m. in the Old Bonhomme Gym**

Join fellow third grade families for this informal social and community service event to make blankets for a local animal shelter. Students, parents and siblings are all invited. Come and go as you like. Snacks and craft materials will be provided.

Those interested can also help deliver blankets and have a tour and petting session with the animals at 9 a.m. on Saturday, February 8, at the [St. Louis County animal shelter](#).

[CLICK HERE to RSVP](#) so we can get an estimated headcount (but feel free to join even if you aren't sure until the last minute!)

Questions? Contact Sarah Miller, [sarahmiller0130@gmail.com](mailto:sarahmiller0130@gmail.com) or Natalie DiNicola [natalie.dinicola@hotmail.com](mailto:natalie.dinicola@hotmail.com)

### **MINGLE & MUNCH WITH THE OB BUNCH!**

#### **February 22, from 6-9 p.m. at Fallons on Olive.**

Click [here](#) for more information, tickets and payment.

Interested in hosting a sign up party to be included for the Social? Contact Jennifer Scissors at [jscissors@gmail.com](mailto:jscissors@gmail.com)

Get together with other parents to "host" an activity. Hosts cover the expenses of the party and all funds raised come back to benefit OB.

Previous ideas have included: cookie/book/recipe exchange, Cinco de Mayo fiesta, Game Night, Wine Tasting, Poker Night, etc.

### **Dine Out Fundraiser at CPK on 1/29**

Want to help raise money for Old Bonhomme while dining out with your family? On Wednesday, January 29, California Pizza Kitchen at 10590 Old Olive Street Road will be donating 20% of your check back to the school. Keep a look out for the flyer in Peachjar and PTO Email blast. Questions, contact Sarah Miller at [sarahmiller0130@gmail.com](mailto:sarahmiller0130@gmail.com).

### **The OBPTO Needs You!**

Each year, the OBPTO must recruit new board members to fill positions of those members who have timed out in their role or moved on. We would love to hear from or chat with anyone in our community who is interested in joining our board for the 2020-2021 school year. More information and nomination forms will go home in the upcoming weeks, but if you have an interest or know someone who would be a great candidate for the OBPTO board, feel free to reach out to Sharon Parks at [parks\\_sharon@yahoo.com](mailto:parks_sharon@yahoo.com)

## **Spring 2020 Events**

With the start of the new semester, we want to draw your attention to the great events that we have planned for the next few months:

1/29	Dine Out Fundraiser at CPK
2/3	OBPTO Meeting
2/7	Passport Night 6 - 8 p.m.
2/22	OBPTO Adult Social at Fallons 6 - 9 p.m.
Late March	Spring After-school Enrichment Classes Start
4/7	Fundraiser @ Flying Spider 10 a.m.- 12 p.m.
4/17	Science and Innovation Night 6 - 8 p.m.
5/1	Spring Fling 5 - 7:30 p.m.
5/4 - 5/8	Scholastic Book Fair

## **The Ladue School District's Annual Chili Supper and Basketball!**

Friday, February 21, 2020, 5-7 p.m., Ladue Horton Watkins High School Cafeteria, Sponsored by LHWHS Parent Association and the Dads Club. All LECC, Elementary, Middle, and High School families are invited! Look forward to:

- Chili Supper (Food, Drinks, Dessert)
- Entrance to Girls Freshman, Junior Varsity, & Varsity basketball games,
- Activities, entertainment, and fun!

Wear your blue and white!

Please RSVP by February 19, 2020: [reaganminkler@gmail.com](mailto:reaganminkler@gmail.com) 314-494-3158. Pay online at [www.laduehighpa.com/chili-supper](http://www.laduehighpa.com/chili-supper).