

OB WEEKLY NEWS

Morning Arrival

Thank you for your support with helping our students enter the building independently. We are proud of the way they are heading to class and getting their morning started. If you do want to walk your child(ren) to their classroom, we ask that you are out of the building by 8:50 a.m. This will allow teachers to get their day started on time. If you need to meet and talk with the teachers please call or email them to set something up. We encourage a strong home/school connection.

Safety-Please remind your students to walk on the sidewalk.

Old/Used Newspapers Needed!

The Art Studio is in need of old/used newspapers to wrap artwork in. Please send in your used papers so we can put them to good use!

Safe Touch Classes Next Week

Next week all of our students will be participating in Safe Touch classes facilitated by Jewish Family and Children Services instructors with the student's teacher in the room. We are afforded this wonderful service through the [St. Louis Children's Service Fund](#). You can learn more about the program and learn how to talk to your child about this important topic by clicking [here](#). Opt out forms were sent home earlier this week. You only need to return the forms if you **DO NOT** want your child to participate. If you have questions, please contact Hayley Arnold or Kristine Carey our school counselors.

PTO NEWS

Second Grade Social on Tuesday, September 17

Join other second grade families for an evening of fun and games in Stacy Park from 6-7 p.m. PLEASE NOTE THE EARLIER TIME!! Come meet old friends and get to know new friends while enjoying a game of kickball. Feel free to bring a picnic dinner and enjoy treats from the ice cream truck.

Dance-A-Thon: Friday, October 4 during P.E. and After Party Celebration 5-7 p.m.

It's that time of year again...it's officially Dance-A-Thon season! Our annual Dance-A-Thon fundraiser is only three weeks away. The big event is October 4, but our dancing, celebrating and fundraising kicks off TODAY! Dance-A-Thon is the largest fundraiser of the year for the OBPTO, providing about 50% of our yearly operating budget. Be sure to check your child's backpack this afternoon for information on how to participate.

September

17 2nd Gr. Social @ Stacy Park, 6-7 p.m.

26 Picture Day!

Quarterly Newsletter goes home

27 NO SCHOOL- PD Day

October

4 Dance-A-Thon 5-7 p.m.

9 Walk in the Park (during PE)

We can't wait to dance it out, win prizes and raise funds in support of our awesome school. Be sure to save the date for our Dance-A-Thon "After Party" celebration (Friday, October 4, 5-7 p.m.) on the OB blacktop. The evening will include a DJ, special performances, food trucks, and great OB family fun. Let's DANCE IT OUT!

SAVE THE DATE for Fall After School Enrichment Classes!

The six-week program will begin the **week of October 28**, and run on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays after school. Please look for a registration packet to come home in your student's folder on Friday, Oct 4. This semester is very exciting as we have a great selection of classes with a good mix of previously popular as well as new topics! For more details about being a parent volunteer and earning credit toward a free class for your child or if you have any other questions about the After-School Enrichment Program, contact Stephanie Dahl at stephanie.dahl@bayer.com.

THANK YOU!!

Thank you to Lauren Meyer and the Frontenac Tennis Club for organizing the Tennis Carnival on September 7. And thank you to all of the OB families who participated- your participation resulted in a \$300 donation to the OBPTO. Thank you!!

Ladue Board of Education Meeting- September 23.

Hear about what is going on at the district level by attending the Ladue Board of Education Meeting on Monday, September 23. Meetings begin at 6:00 p.m. and are held at Ladue Horton Watkins High School located at 1201 S. Warson Road St. Louis, MO 63124.

Follow the OBPTO on Facebook and Instagram

Keep up with events and activities sponsored by OBPTO: Follow us on Facebook at Old Bonhomme PTO, and on Instagram @obpto.

OBPTO Contributions Accepted

Please consider making a donation to support the work of the Old Bonhomme Parent Teacher Organization. The OBPTO spends an average of \$150/per student each year to support a variety of activities and events. Please support the OBPTO by donating via check or online at <https://bit.ly/2MZPYyV> through MySchoolBucks. (No fees charged for MySchoolBucks use.)

Use Amazon Smile and support the OBPTO

The next time you buy something on Amazon, use Amazon Smile instead and support the OBPTO. Designate the OBPTO as your charity of choice and every time you buy something from Amazon Smile, .05% of sales will be donated to OBPTO. It is simple and easy!

Go to <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/20-4310750> to get started today.

LEF News

13th Annual Community Breakfast

Saturday, Oct. 12 | 9-11 a.m. at Ladue Horton Watkins High School

Featuring Dr. Jim Wipke, Superintendent and Honoring Ms. Reva Weinberg Davis, Retired Social Studies Teacher (1975-2004) and LMS Science Olympiad Volunteer

[Click here to register](#)

Please email lef@ladueschools.net for sponsorship opportunities.



SEPT. 28

8:30 a.m.

LADUE HORTON WATKINS
HIGH SCHOOL

Fun Run/Walk

PRESENTING SPONSOR:



NEW THIS YEAR ... the run will take place at the new Dr. Charles McKenna Athletic Plaza and will start and end on the new track.

Register now online at WWW.LADUEFOUNDATION.ORG to:

Secure Your Spot | Guarantee Your T-shirt Size | Avoid \$5 Price Increase After September 13!

**Early-Bird
Registration
Available Until
September 13***

\$25/person (Ages 13+) • \$15/person (Ages 2-12) • Free (Under age 2)
**price will increase \$5/person after September 13*

Questions regarding the run or the LEF should be directed to lef@ladueschools.net or (314) 983-5334.

After the run/walk,
the festivities will continue
at the finish line with
awards, music, food, and drinks.

**Info Packet & T-shirt
Pick-up Options**

BEFORE RACE DAY
at Albarre' Jewelers (9211 Clayton Road)
Thursday, Sept. 26 — 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Friday, Sept. 27 — 2:30 to 5:30 p.m.

ON RACE DAY
at McKenna Plaza (LHWHS North Entrance)
Saturday, Sept. 28 — 7:45 to 8:15 a.m.

