



Falcon Flyer

April 2019

From the Principal...

We hope everyone has a wonderful spring break!! It looks like Spring has actually arrived with blue skies and warmer temperatures! Once we return to the classroom in April, we will get right back into learning.

Save the date!! Our 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade students will begin taking the MAP or Missouri Assessment Program Tests the weeks of April 15-May 2. Please help support your child in doing their best on this test by getting them to school on time and ensuring they have a healthy breakfast. We appreciate your support and cooperation in this effort. See below for specific days of testing for each grade level.

We realize many sports and extracurricular activities begin in the spring, but it is still important for your child to have a consistent routine. We believe school work should be a priority for our students and appreciate your help and guidance at home to reinforce the importance of school and learning.

Take note of the changes to our district calendar that have occurred recently. April 10th will be a full day of classes and May 28th will be our final day of school this year and will be an early release day.

Mrs. Diana Demoss

Principal

MAP Testing for 3rd, 4th and 5th Graders

Fairview students in grades 3, 4, and 5 will be participating in the Missouri Assessment Program (MAP) tests from April 15-May 2. Please help students by ensuring they get plenty of sleep, eat a healthy breakfast and arrive on time.

The tests are computerized again this year and students will take the tests in their homeroom or in the computer lab. Testing will occur over multiple days and at different times of the day depending on the grade level. Students will only complete one testing period per day.

The tests completed by each grade are:

Grade 3- Communication Arts and Math— 4 testing periods

Grade 4- Communication Arts and Math – 5 testing periods

Grade 5- Communication Arts, Math and Science— 6 testing periods

Testing days:

Grade 3 - April 15, 17-19

Grade 4 - April 15, 17-22

Grade 5 – April 22, 24-26, May 1-2

April Calendar

3/25-3/29 SPRING BREAK—NO SCHOOL

01 SCHOOL BACK IN SESSION

Lego League Club 7:30-8:15a

02 Quiz Bowl 7:15-8:15a

Lego League Club 7:30-8:15a

03 Quiz Bowl 7:15-8:15a

FT Capitol for 4th Grade

FT Planetarium (Goerlitz/McEvoy)

FT Food Bank 3rd Grade

5th Grade Percussion Club 3:20-4:15p

04 AM Choir Rehearsal 7:30-8:15a

History Club 7:15-8:15a

PM Choir Rehearsal 3:20-4:15

Chess Club 3:20-4:35p

05 Track Walk begins (weather permitting)

Shakespeare's Frozen Pizza Fundraiser Begins

08 History Club 7:15-8:15a

Lego League Club 7:30-8:15a

PTA Track Club begins 3:20-4:20p

PTA Business Meeting 6:30p

Board of Education Meeting 6:30p

09 Lego League Club 7:30-8:15a

11 History Club 7:15-8:15a

AM Choir Rehearsal 7:30-8:15a

3rd Grade STEM Club 3:20-4:20p

NO CHESS CLUB

PM Choir Rehearsal 3:30-4:15p

12 Track Walk (weather permitting)

15 History Club 7:15-8:15a

Lego League Club 7:30-8:15a

PTA Track Club 3:20-4:20p

16 Quiz Bowl 7:15-8:15a

Lego League Club 7:30-8:15a

17 **Shakespeare's Frozen Pizza Orders DUE**

18 History Club 7:15-8:15a

3rd Grade STEM Club 3:20-4:20p

All Choir Rehearsal 3:25-4:30p

Chess Club 3:20-4:35p

19 Track Walk (weather permitting)

22 Lego League Club 7:30-8:15a

PTA Track Club 3:20-4:20p

23 Lego League Club 7:30-8:15a

24 FT Wetlands 2nd Grade

5th Grade Percussion 3:20-4:15p

25 3rd Grade STEM Club 3:20-4:20p

NO CHESS CLUB

All Choir Rehearsal 3:20-4:30p

26 Track Walk (weather permitting)

FT Rockbridge State Park 3rd Grade

29 All Choir Rehearsal 7:30-8:15a

Lego League Club 7:30-8:15a

PTA Track Club 3:20-4:20p

5th Grade Middle School Orientation @

each middle school 6:00-8:00p

30 Lego League Club 7:30-8:15a

Choir Concert 6:30p (6:30p—5th

Grade families and 7:15p—4th Grade families)

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Fairview Elementary School



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A note from Columbia Public Schools Administration

In order to be considered for an **elementary school transfer** for the following fall, a student's parent **must file a written request by April 1** with the Office of Student Services. Student transfers from one elementary school to another are discouraged, but are granted under certain circumstances.

Parents who think they have sufficient reasons for requesting a school transfer should contact their school office to obtain a transfer request form or visit the CPS district website at:

<https://www.cpsk12.org/Page/614>

Attendance Reminders

Per state requirements, attendance is reported to the minute, students who are tardy (after 8:20 am), taken out for appointments or checked out before 3:20pm will be shown absent for the time not at school.

If your student will be late or absent, please notify the school by:

sending a note the day before,
if possible

calling the office at 214-3590
before 9:00am

or by e-mailing Jsonnenberg@cpsk12.org before 9:00am.

If the Fairview office does not receive notification of your child's absence you will receive an automated message and/or a call from the office about the absence being unexcused.



Fairview is participating in the Ronald McDonald House Charities Pull Tab Pandemonium during the month of April. This year's goal is 100 pounds.

This will be a friendly competition between grade levels. Each drink tab will add weight to the grade level total. The weight of large pull tabs (pet food, fruit, veggies, meat) take weight away from the grade level total. **Tab**s will be collected in the lobby before school on **Friday April 12th, 19th and 26th.**

Fairview Elementary Website:

<http://www.cpsk12.org/fve>

Fairview Attendance:

Jsonnenberg@cpsk12.org

CPS District Website:

<http://www.cpsk12.org>



Summer SUNsation 2019

**Monday, June 3-Thursday, June 27
** At Fairview ****

Get ready for Columbia Public Schools'
Summer SUNsation!

Fabulous Courses, and FREE!

We make summer make a difference! **Summer SUNsation** is designed for young thinkers who want the perfect mix of academic enrichment, recreation, and new experiences. Kids will enjoy great times with friends and exciting, hands-on projects and activities.

Enrollment packets were sent home in February. The final deadline for ensuring enrollment and transportation services is Wednesday, April 12, 2019

For online application, go to: <http://cpsk12.schoolwires.net/site/Default.aspx?PageID=153>

Students who submit enrollment forms after April 12th are enrolled only if space becomes available.

Columbia Public Schools Fee Based Programs Summer Enrichment Program

This is a tuition-based program

Summer School for students in Kindergarten thru 8th grade will have one session only from July 9-July 26 @ **Fairview Elementary**. Don't miss your chance to take a fun and exciting class this summer! For more information go to: <https://www.cpsk12.org/Page/10568>

Preschool Summer Enrichment Program

For students ages 3-5 can attend two different sessions at Center for Early Learning North, 2191 Smiley Ln.:

Dates for the first session are June 10-June 27; Second session dates are July 9- July 26.



Music

Variety shows are right around the corner. Your child may share an act with their class during their music time on the following days:

B day music classes—
Wednesday, May 1st

C day music classes—
Thursday, May 2nd

D day music classes—
Friday, May 3rd

A day music classes—
Monday, May 6th

Third Grades Hot Cocoa Sale

The third grade team would like to thank everyone for their support with our Hot Cocoa Fundraiser. After all of our expenses were covered, we were able to donate \$348 to the Food Bank. We can't wait to see how our food and cash donations from our food drive are being used to help other people. We will be able to help more people during our field trip on April 3rd when we volunteer our time and package food for the Food Bank. Stay tuned next month to find out what we helped with at the Food Bank!

PTA News

The Fairview PTA would like to say a big thank you to everyone involved in the classroom parties this year!

Please mark your calendars for our upcoming meetings:

Business meeting April 8th 6:30p

Business meeting May 6th 6:30p

If you are interested in playing a more active role in PTA by holding an office or volunteering on a committee, please contact Yvonne Gibson gibsonfamily3@gmail.com or Stephanie Wyatt Wyatt_x3@yahoo.com

Fairview Track Club

Fairview Track Club will be starting on Monday, April 8th. If you haven't signed up, it's not too late. To sign up go to: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScp-mVagofZ1suT2y_SB-bje_JCKevlwuR1i2vWLEIFZIAF5A/viewform?usp=sf_link

Fairview 5K Fun Run/Walk

Don't forget, Fairview is having their first 5k on Saturday, April 20th. It's not too late! Please let your neighbors, family and friends know about the 5K! It's not just for Fairview! Watch for information for online registration to come. To print a paper form, go to <https://www.cpsk12.org/Domain/16>

Fairview will not be having their JDRF Diabetes Walk this year. Instead, the PTA will be making a donation from money raised by the 5K. The 5K will be followed by Fairview Clean Up Day! Please bring your work gloves and help us clean up the Fairview campus!

Lost and Found

During the fall and winter months the lost and found seems to fill up quickly. Please stop by and claim any items that belong to your family. We go through the items on a regular basis looking for labeled clothing so that we can return it to students. Please help us by labeling jackets, coats, etc. so we can return them to the correct owner.

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SHAKESPEARE'S FROZEN PIZZA FUNDRAISER

Forms will be going home on Friday, April 5th and are due in the Fairview office by Wednesday, April 17th.

Winter and Rain Gear Drive

We will be collecting clean, gently used winter and rain gear in the office through the rest of the school year! Help us transition to a place-based school by donating items to make sure our kids are prepared to go outdoors in all weather! We're specifically looking for winter coats, snow pants, snow boots, gloves/mittens, rain coats and rain boots.