



OSPREY NEWS

APRIL 1ST, 2022

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Dear Malletts Bay School Families,

Students have done a fantastic job as we have gradually begun to unwind our Covid precautions. Our next steps in this process will occur after we return from April Break.

We plan to gradually reintroduce students to the cafeteria, just as we have done with the playground and also have students board the bus in our bus loop. We encourage you to have your child ride the bus at the end of the day to help our dismissal processes go more smoothly.

Several students are using Snapchat to communicate with each other outside of school hours. Some of these conversations on Snapchat have led to disciplinary problems during the school day. Here is a resource from [Common Sense Media](#) with information for families about Snapchat. Over the next few weeks we'll be sending more information about Snapchat so that you can be informed about this social media platform.

April 11 - 15 will be Spirit Week! Spirit Days will include: Hero Day, MBS Colors Day, Time Travel Day and Match/Mismatch Day!

Finally, thank you to our PTA for putting together our [MBS Yearbook](#) yet again this year! The deadline for ordering yearbooks is Monday, April 25th.

Respectfully,

Ms. Burke



Students Enjoying our Playground this Week!

Upcoming Dates

April 6: Early Release Day (Dismissal at 12:45)

April 11 - April 15: Spirit Week

April 14: April PTA Meeting at 6:00 PM

April 18 - 22: School Recess (No School)

May 2-20th: SBAC Testing Window

May 20th: MBS Fun Run

May 30: Memorial Day (No School)

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Here's how we keep MBS healthy:

- Stay home when ill. It is so important to keep students home who are sick! This helps limit the spread of all illness, even non-covid illnesses.
- Covid can look like allergies or a minor cold. Please, test, test, test when you have any symptoms, are a close contact, or are simply concerned
- Wear a mask when around others and especially if you have any symptoms

The health office is here to:

- Provide tests for at-home testing. Just send me an email (josie.lang@colchestersd.org) and I will gladly send tests home in a backpack.
- Provide in-school antigen or LAMP PCR testing for illness prior to students going home
- Answer any questions you may have!

LOST & FOUND

Take a look at our lost and found piles! Remind your student to check the piles, especially if you see something familiar.

