

Albert Schweitzer Gazette

Principal's Message...



April, 2015

Dear Schweitzer Families:

Spring is finally here and with warm weather comes more time outdoors. We are so happy that our students will have the opportunity to spend recess outside in warm, fresh air. Again, please make sure they are dressed appropriately for the warmer weather that sometime changes throughout the day.

Please take note of the upcoming PSSA schedule and be sure to send your child each and every day with a good nights sleep and healthy breakfast for optimal performance.

Thank you for sending your children to school on time and ready to work! We appreciate your commitment to excellence. School attendance clearly matters! We are excited to begin the last marking period of the school year refreshed and ready to do great things!

Warm regards,

Mr. Clarke Stoneback

Acting Principal

NESHAMINY HEALTH FAIR

WEDNESDAY APRIL 8, 2015

HERBERT HOOVER ELEMENTARY
SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

6 - 8 PM

FREE ADMISSION!

**HEALTHY CHILDREN LEARN BETTER /
SCHOOL NURSES MAKE IT HAPPEN**

Join us for

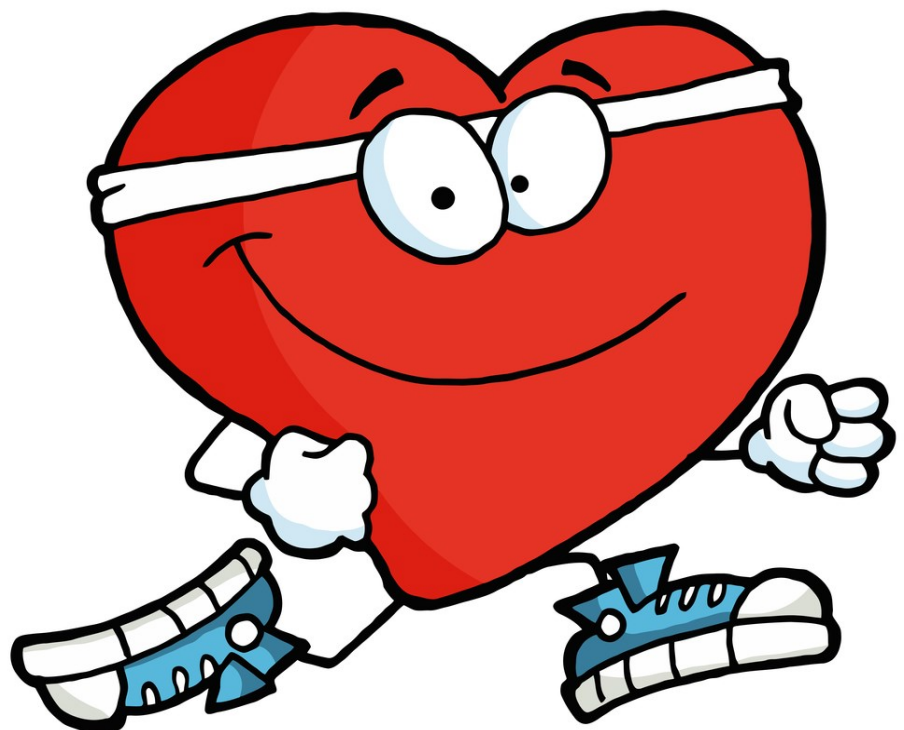
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Albert Schweitzer School “Art Show”

When: Thursday April 30th

Time: 6:00 to 7:00 pm

Where: Throughout the entire school!!

“The arts give us the opportunity to educate the whole child.....to allow every child a chance to raise his or her self-esteem and become a lifelong lover of creativity.”

This Spring Art Show is organized to showcase your child’s artistic talents as they have progressed throughout the year!

We are very proud of the accomplishments our students have made and look forward to sharing these with you. See you there!!



Mother’s Day Flower Sale



On **Friday, May 8th**, the Albert Schweitzer PTO will be holding its annual Mother’s Day Flower sale.

4” potted plants, assorted varieties,
Hanging Baskets, assorted varieties,

Payment Methods:

CASH

Checks: Made payable to Albert Schweitzer PTO

Credit Card: VISA/Mastercard/AMEX/Diners Club/Paypal

Rehearsals & Concert Reminders

REHEARSALS

Rehearsals for ORCHESTRA began on Thursday March 12. They are scheduled to start at 8am so please drop students off at the back of the building at the car rider door by the gym.



CONCERT

The Schweitzer SPRING CONCERT will be held on
Monday, May 11th at 7:30 pm in the
Carl Sandburg Auditorium.

LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION...



We are excited to announce that Albert Schweitzer Elementary School will be holding its Fifth Annual "Talent Show" on Tuesday, May 26, 2015 from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm in Sandburg Auditorium.

If you have any questions, you may contact Mrs. Phillippe, President of the PTO via email at claudiaphillippe@gmail.com

Operation Helping Hand - FOOD DRIVE

A BIG thank you is extended to all students who brought in food donations to help support members in our Bucks County community.

These donations are critical in helping provide emergency food for our Bucks County people in need.

Donations are organized through the United Way of Bucks County in Fairless Hills, PA.

Our donations were an overwhelming success !!!



SPRING BREAK RENOVATIONS

During spring break, Reynolds Energy Services will be removing the drop ceiling tiles and some grid in all Schweitzer and Hoover Elementary School classrooms. Four feet of ceiling tile and grid along the exterior wall will be removed after the children are out for break to allow for work during the spring break and during nights/weekends after spring break. During the break, the ceilings will be removed, general cleaning above the ceilings will occur, and work will begin in the ceiling space. At the end of spring break, the classrooms will be cleaned thoroughly and ceilings will remain out in these areas until the end of the school year. Any work that occurs in the building after spring break will occur only on nights and weekends, when students are not in the building. Any time work occurs in the spaces, cleaning will occur prior to the return of students and teachers.

On behalf of the building improvement team members, we appreciate your patience as we work to maintain the project schedule and build a better Neshaminy. Please direct any questions to Mr. Stoneback.

SAFETIES OF THE QUARTER

The following students were recognized and rewarded for their responsible behavior as members of our Safety Squad.

They were treated to breakfast with Mr. Stoneback and Mrs. Pulak where they enjoyed bagel, fruit, drinks and great conversation.

Thank you to these students for your continued support of Albert Schweitzer Elementary School.

*Logan Chew
Khushi Patel
Christina Sottnick
Ehlan Maaz
Maggie Murphy
Michael Gryn*



April School Events



April 1,2,3	SPRING RECESS—SCHOOL CLOSED
April 8	PTO Meeting - 6:00 pm - Library
April 8	NESHAMINY HEALTH FAIR
April 10	Kindergarten Trip to Please Touch Museum
April 13-16	PSSA READING—Grades 3,4,5
April 17	TECH TROT—Earth Day
April 20-22	PSSA MATH—Grades 3,4,5
April 22	EARTH DAY
April 23	Take your child to work day
April 24	PTO Baseball/Softball Day
April 24	SCHOOL STORE
April 27-28	PSSA SCIENCE—Grade 4
April 29	Franklin Institute Trip (Exner, Bullick, Negrotti and Marquis)
April 30	ART SHOW 6:00—7:00 PM

PSSA TESTING SCHEDULE

Students in grades 3-4-5 will be taking the PSSA tests for Reading and Language Arts during the week of **April 13th through April 16th.**

Grade 3-4-5 will take the Mathematics PSSA tests from **April 20th through April 22nd.**

Grade 4 will take the Science PSSA tests on **April 27th and 28th .**

Testing will occur in the morning, so please do your best to have your children to school on time and well rested.



ST. PATRICKS DAY CONTEST

OUR SERVICE LEARNING CLUB HELD A CONTEST TO WEAR GREEN ON ST. PATTY'S DAY AND THE WINNERS ARE:

FUNNIEST - **DENNIS REED**

CUTEST - **SAMANTHA DUNKOWSKI**

MOST CREATIVE - **TEAGAN GROEGER**



**Celebrate
EARTH DAY
APRIL 23, 2015**



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