

# ARBOR VIEW EXPLORERS

## THE COMPASS May 11, 2018

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### UPCOMING EVENTS:

#### Monday, May 14 - E

- 6:30 - PTO Meeting

#### Tuesday, May 15 - A

- 5th grade MAP Science

#### Wednesday, May 16 - B

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#### Thursday, May 17 - C

- 8:45 - EMS Jazz Band and Show Choir

#### Friday, May 18 - D

- Field Day - activities begin at 9:15

#### On the horizon...

May 23rd - 1st annual Variety Show @1:00

May 24th - Awards Assembly @1:00

May 25th - 5th grade "graduation" and celebration - school dismisses at 11:30

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[www.elkhornweb.org/arborview/](http://www.elkhornweb.org/arborview/)

Subscribe to our calendar here:

<http://www.elkhornweb.org/arborview/calendar/>

#### Twitter

Arbor View is officially on Twitter! Give us a follow @ElkhornPS\_AV in order to stay up to date with events, news, and highlights from the classroom.

### *FROM THE PRINCIPAL:*

Arbor View Families,

Upcoming events for your calendar(visitors are welcome):

May 23rd - 1st annual Variety Show @1:00

May 24th - Awards Assembly @1:00

May 25th - 5th grade "graduation" and celebration

#### Autograph t- shirt link

Please consider supporting District DI teams by purchasing an autograph t-shirt.

<https://cishirts.com/shop/stores/arbor-view>

#### Book Swap

We are still collecting books for our Book Swap. Please bring in up to 3 "Gently Used Books" at your reading level to your classroom teacher through May 18<sup>th</sup>. Then on May 22<sup>nd</sup> students will have a chance to swap their books for "New to You" books.

**YEARBOOKS HAVE ARRIVED! If your child ordered a yearbook, please look for it to be sent home on Friday(May 11th). Any questions please contact [yearbook.arborview@gmail.com](mailto:yearbook.arborview@gmail.com)**

#### Online Registration Coming for 2018-2019 School Year

For the 2018-2019 school year, EPS will implement a new online system for updating student information and completing forms. Look for more information regarding this process over the next few months.

#### Field Day Information -

**Field Day is this Friday, May 18th. Activities start at 9:15. We will end the day with the all school tug of war at 2:15 followed by popsicles. Feel free to come at anytime during the day and stay for as long as you'd like.**

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## From the Nurse...

### ~ Medication Pick-up ~

The school is not able to store medication over the summer. So please remember, all student medications must be picked up by a parent/guardian, from the health office by May 25th by the end of the day, or it will be properly disposed of.

### ~ Medication for the 2018-2019 school year ~

If your student requires any medication (over-the-counter and/or prescription) while at school, each medication must have a Medication Authorization form (link below) signed by the parent and a physician, before we can administer. All medications must be unexpired and provided in the original packaging and/or pharmacy container. For prescription medication, please only provide a **maximum of 30 day supply** at a time.

Link to print blank medication authorization form:

<https://www.elkhornweb.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/03/Medication-Authorization.pdf>

Link to print blank self-carry asthma/anaphylaxis medication:

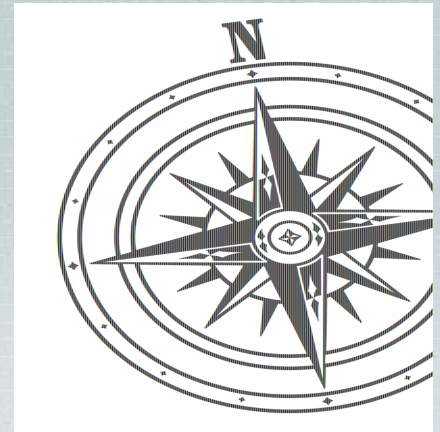
<http://nebula.wsimg.com/30e77791e1e3ec0212bd429715dd787b?AccessKeyId=32029651ABFAD3DBF315&disposition=0&alloworigin=1>

### ~ Students with Asthma, Severe Allergies, Diabetes, and/or Seizures ~

If your child has asthma, severe allergies, diabetes, and/or seizures, please submit an emergency action plan signed by your physician. Plans must be updated annually. Blank forms can be obtained at the school office, clicking on link below, or your physician's office can use whatever form they prefer.

Link to print blank Asthma/Anaphylaxis Action Plan:

<http://nebula.wsimg.com/cfbaa74b1585069c3e62e082be27a34c?AccessKeyId=32029651ABFAD3DBF315&disposition=0&alloworigin=1>



### **Free Summer Learning Resources -**

Take a look at the link to explore some free summer resources.

<https://www.education.ne.gov/tl/summer-learning-programs/>

## **District Information – May 2018**

### **Last Day of School Information**

The last day of school for EPS students for the 2017-18 school year will be Friday, May 25<sup>th</sup>; all students will dismiss at 11:30 a.m.

Looking ahead for important dates for next school year? The EPS calendar for 2018-2019 can be found here: <https://www.elkhornweb.org/calendar/>

### ***Apps Parents Should Know—Apps that Encourage Outdoor Activity***

With the end of the school year in sight, parents are beginning to think about new and exciting ways to keep students busy, without losing them to the constant temptation of mindless technology use. The following apps allow individuals to utilize their tech instruments, while also being recommended by Common Sense Media ([www.commonsensemedia.org](http://www.commonsensemedia.org)) for encouraging outdoor activities.

n *Plum's Photo Hunt*: this free app, sponsored by PBS, is a great way to engage elementary-aged children and their parents in outdoor activity. Users are given a list of objects and observations that can be found in nature of which to take photos. Finding things like signs of animal life, tiny things in nature, and patterns found in nature gives children a sense of adventure while learning new exploratory skills and improving their observation skills.

n *Geocaching*: Geocaching is a great family activity that inspires outdoor activity in conjunction with family time. The app gives users a list of GPS locations where others have stashed hidden treasures, and provides hints and directions on locating it. While geocaching is a great family activity, it is suggested that users always have adult supervision and is not recommended for individual use by children.

For more ideas on apps that encourage kids to get up, get out, and explore, check out <https://bit.ly/1RrdBs9>.

*Elkhorn Public Schools Policy 507.13—Internet Safety Policy was written in compliance with the Children's Internet Protection Act. Tech Savvy Parent tips are intended to inform and educate parents of technology that may be available to their students. Tips may feature apps that are educational as well as those that may be a cause for concern to parents.*

## **Staff updates for 2018-2019**

Each new school year will bring changes to the makeup of a school staff, especially in a growing building like ours at Arbor View. I'd like to communicate the following changes and additions to our staff.

Specials -

**Art** - Kalle Wellendorf will be staying at Arbor View full time next year to teach K-5 art. **Mrs. Wamsley**, our current Kindergarten and 1st grade Art teacher will be teaching K-5 art at Hillrise full-time next year. They are steadily growing and need her there.

**Music** - Angie Frey will be teaching at Arbor View full time next year to teach K-5 music. **Mrs. Christensen**, our current Kindergarten and 1st grade music teacher is leaving the district to attend seminary school in Pennsylvania.

**PE** - Erik Kohl will join the Arbor View staff to teach K-5 PE (he is currently teaching for Lincoln Public Schools) - Mr. Kohl will be the new head boys basketball coach at Elkhorn High School. **Mr. Edwards**, our current Kindergarten and 1st grade PE teacher will be teaching K-5 at Hillrise full-time next year. They are steadily growing and need him there.

\***Mrs. Burney** is staying with the district and will be teaching all of K-5 PE at Westridge Elementary. Although we are sad to see her go, we know Westridge is her home. I know she's enjoyed helping to establish Arbor View and has spent many years with a lot of our families while teaching at Westridge and Arbor View.

**Preschool** - Claire Johnson will join our preschool team as a third classroom teacher.

**Preschool** - Alexa Krumwiede will join our preschool team as a speech/language pathologist.

**Preschool** - Barbara Hahn, our current speech/language pathologist, will be joining our district's Birth to 3 program. Working with this program is a true passion of hers. We are also sad to see her go, but happy she is still impacting the lives of students in Elkhorn.

**Preschool** - Nancy Nielsen will join us as speech/language pathologist.

**1st grade** - Meredith Hester will be leaving us to move closer to home in Kentucky. We wish her the best and thank her for all she's done for Arbor View students and families the last two years as well as her work previously at Hillrise Elementary.

**1st grade** - Miss Haley Snyder will join the staff in Miss Hester's absence. Miss Snyder was actually Miss Hester's student teacher here during the first semester.

**2nd grade** - Stephanie Sholin will join us as a third teacher in 2nd grade next year

**Resource** - Carly Mendlik will be joining the teaching staff at St. Patrick's here in Elkhorn. She will be teaching 5th/6th Language Arts. We are also sad to see her leave, but we know she's following a passion of hers.

**Resource** - Kailey Heuertz will be joining the special education department in her first year of teaching. She student taught this year at Skyline Elementary so she is familiar with Elkhorn.

# Make a difference with the Elkhorn Public Schools!

The Elkhorn Public School District is currently hiring teacher assistant/paraprofessionals for the 2018-2019 school year in our early education, elementary, and secondary settings. EPS is seeking caring and collaborative individuals with a desire to help students achieve.

- Family friendly hours – follows the school day and calendar
  - Competitive pay (\$14.20/\$14.70)
  - Rewarding working environment

Apply at [www.elkhornweb.org](http://www.elkhornweb.org) Employment: Support Staff Non-Certified: Teacher Assistant

Congratulations to the following students for being selected to perform in  
Arbor View's 1<sup>st</sup> Annual **Variety Show!**

\*in no particular order

- Emmerson Bartling, Bella Willis, Lexi Randles, and Neeley Harnisch
- Milla Asenov
- Hayden Maas
- Trevor Potter
- Grady Harnisch
- Sophia Nerz and Olivia Maas
- Cadence Erwin and McKynzie Casteel
- Abbie Schiefelbein
- Samantha Griffin
- Ben, Leo, and Megan Schiffbauer
- Chase Engel
- Addy and Sam Beller
- Presley Williams
- Alice Jones and Alyssa Wickett
- Samuel and Vincent Jones
- Lea and Sara Naujokaitis
- Jazlynn and Jordan Koneck-Schejbal, Jackson Campbell
- McKenzie Harnisch, Delany and Allyson Brott
- Ava Connelly and Lulu Burford
- Lily Jaworski
- Ella McHugh and Olivia Rivera
- Tess McHugh
- Cale Bartunek
- Ella Bartunek
- Nora Wittgren
- Juniper Widhalm
- Kourtney Reverts
- Jayden Blank- Jimenez
- Bethani Campbell
- Levi Nowaczyk
- Madelyn Abbott
- Ethan Abbott

Please join us on Wednesday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> at 1:00 pm if you would like to experience the *Art of Performance*.

# YOU'RE INVITED TO **SAVE 50% ON** **CWS KIDS DAY**

**GAME 5 - MONDAY, JUNE 18 AT 1 P.M.**



## **JOIN US AT THE BALLPARK TO CELEBRATE AND SAVE**

*You are invited to attend CWS Kids Day for Game 5 on Monday, June 18 at 1 p.m. CT. For a limited time, you can receive 50% off the single game general admission ticket price making tickets just \$7.50! Hurry, this offer is only available at [NCAA.com/CWSTickets](http://NCAA.com/CWSTickets) until Friday, June 8.*

**Use Promo Code: *ELKHORN***

### **CWS Kids Day will feature:**

- **NCAA Readers Become Leaders top readers recognition**
- **Face painters, balloon artists and kids entertainment**
- **Mascot appearances and a special in-game mascot race**
- **Police Athletics for Community Engagement (PACE) Kids Game Ball Delivery**
- **Special kids video content and music throughout the game**
- **Plus, CWS Fan Fest™ presented by Capital One always offers free activities for all ages**

A maximum of six discounted tickets are available per household. Tickets are non-guaranteed seats in the outfield sections 125-136. Tickets are intended for Game 5; however, if capacity issues prevent fans from entering, tickets will remain valid. Offer available while supplies last. This ticket not eligible for reserved seat upgrade. Please review all offer details regarding non-guaranteed general admission tickets prior to purchasing.

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