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- **Saturday, April 1, 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m., *Sister Act - The Musical* at Orange Preparatory Academy (Tickets at the door)**
- **Friday, April 7, at 6:00 p.m., Saturday, April 8 at 2:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m., *Disney's Jungle Book Kids* at Forest Street School (Presale tickets only)**

Don't Miss Sister Act at Orange Preparatory Academy

Orange High School and Orange Preparatory Academy students shine in the premier of *Sister Act!* Don't miss the final performances at Orange Preparatory Academy on Saturday, April 1 at 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. Admission is \$7 for adults and \$5 for students and senior citizens. See you there!



Pictured: Scenes from Sister Act.

PARCC Testing Begins April 3



Orange Public Schools will be administering the PARCC Assessment beginning Monday, April 3rd. The PARCC Assessment is a state required assessment for grades 3-11. Please make sure your child is on time for school, as testing will begin at that time. **NO ELECTRONIC DEVICES**

are permitted in the testing rooms as it is a violation of state rules. Please also encourage you child to get plenty of rest and to eat breakfast. This is an opportunity for students to demonstrate their hard work and learning. Go Orange!

To learn more about the PARCC assessment visit: <http://www.parcconline.org/>.

Oakwood Avenue School Art Exhibit



On March 8, Oakwood Avenue Community School (OACS) hosted the school's art exhibit opening at the Board of Education lobby. The exhibit featured artwork by students in grades K through 7. The prevailing theme of the work directed by OACS's art teacher, Ms. Helen Kwon, was the development of student portraits. Students fashioned a variety of art in different mediums to develop their portrayals. Present at the opening were Deputy Superintendent Dr. Paula Howard, Principal Robert Pettit and the Supervisor of Visual and Performing Arts Donna Sinisgalli. The evening featured refreshments and music. Mr. Pettit thanked his students for their work, the parents for their support and attendance, along with his dedicated staff. Dr. Howard told an enthusiastic audience how pleased she was with the work displayed.



Pictured: OACS students with D. Sinisgalli, R. Pettit and H. Kwon.



Pictured (above and right): Artwork by OACS students.



March Board of Education Meeting

Oakwood Avenue Community School hosted the March Monthly Board of Education meeting. The school opened with the flag salute led by Asha Charles, the Oakwood pledge led by Mayc Watts and Ruth Callender had everyone on their feet with “Jammin’ Minute” backed by the Oakwood Cheerleaders. The cheers inspired an intense level of excitement in the auditorium.



Pictured: Scenes from Oakwood Avenue Community School’s board meeting presentation.

Principal, Mr. Robert Pettit, acknowledged Oakwood’s parents, teachers and students for their fine work and introduced second grader Elle Scott, an Oakwood Avenue student who was a 2nd place winner in the Essex County Education Association PRIDE Essay Contest. The young essayist read her work, with clarity and confidence, making her school family proud and drawing enthusiastic applause.

Capping off Oakwood Avenue community School’s presentation was a video touting “innovative communications,” stressing OACS’s App, which has several improvements to further keep parents informed and in touch with the school.

Following Oakwood’s presentation, Director of English Language Arts Karen Harris introduced three other winners of the PRIDE Essay Contest. The students won first place for their age group/category:

- Kindergarten: Malachi Mayes - Forest Street School
- 7th Grade: Brandon Cameron - Forest Street School
- 8th Grade: Andrea Puerto Villanueva - Orange Preparatory Academy



Pictured: First place winners in the PRIDE Essay Contest, reading their essays at the board meeting.

The students read their essays, from the youngest, with his heart-warming expression, to the middle grade students with their thoughtful compositions. They were well received by the audience, especially after it was noted that the winners of the contest competed against students from across Essex County.

Student of the Month

Deputy Superintendent Dr. Paula Howard and Board of Education President, Ms. Cristina Mateo, presented students with certificates for being selected Student of the Month (SOTM). On a monthly basis, students are recognized for exemplary behavior, academics and citizenship by their school.

| Name | School |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Vanessa Fernandez | Orange High School |
| Destiny Jones | Career and Innovation Academy of Orange |
| India Henry | Orange Preparatory Academy |
| George Cleveland | Cleveland Street School |
| Katherine Orosco-Pillcorem | Rosa Parks Community School |
| Lindsay Carrion | Park Avenue School |
| Nia Harris | Heywood Avenue School |
| Victoria Nesbit | Forest Street School |
| Marquis Douglas | Oakwood Avenue Community School |
| Anthony Alexander Cambizaca | Lincoln Avenue School |



Pictured (left to right with Board President Mateo and Dr. Howard): Orange High School SOTM with Principal Belton.



Pictured (left to right with Board President Mateo and Dr. Howard): Orange Prep's SOTM with parent and Assistant Principal Cruz; Cleveland Street SOTM with family and Principal Dr. Cummins; RPCS SOTM with parent and Principal Joseph Charles.



Pictured (left to right with Board President Mateo and Dr. Howard): Park Avenue SOTM with family and Principal Alcantara (representing Principal Dr. Hackett); Heywood Avenue SOTM with parent and Principal Alcantara; OACS SOTM with family and Principal Robert Pettit.

Parent of the Month

On a monthly basis, the host school acknowledges the contributions of a dedicated parent, as Parent of the Month.



Pictured: POTM with daughter, Principal Pettit, President Mateo and Dr. Howard.

, Principal Pettit, Barc President Mateo and Deputy Superintendent Dr. Howard. Oakwood Avenue School's Parent of the Month is Mrs. Wanda Watts. She is a parent who demonstrates an unconditional commitment to her community and her children's school. She travels from New York City, where her job is located, to participate in PTO meetings, as well as volunteering whenever she can.

Both of her children, Mayc and Emmanuel, are model

students. The Oakwood Avenue Community School Community appreciates her support, and takes great pride in acknowledging her commitment and service. Mrs. Watts (**pictured right**) was gracious in accepting the recognition and mentioned how please she was with her children attending OACS.



Budget Presentation



Mr. Adekunle O. James, Business Administrator and Board of Education Secretary, presented the 2017-2018 Budget for Board approval. As stated in the presentation, "The Orange Public Schools received only **\$3,993** increase in state aid over the current year's level, creating a budget deficit of approximately **\$ 6.9million.**" The primary contributors to the deficit are increased expenditures related to salaries and benefits. Such a deficit could lead to a noticeable impact on district programs. However, it was acknowledged that the district leadership met

for 5 days to limit the impact on classroom structure, keeping children in the forefront and making an effort to protect staff.

With the creativity and guidance of the cabinet and prudent financial management of the Business office, necessary adjustments were made in order to present a balanced budget to the state.

The total revenue for the 2017-2018 budget is \$89.1 million dollars. To balance the 2017-2018 Budget, the following actions will be taken:

- Fund balance of \$2million will be used in 2017-18 budget
- Freeze current year's (2016-17) expenditures (except for contractual / essential items) to save funds in current year's budget.

District-Level Program Reductions

- Reduction in Professional Development (PD); Workshops; Conferences (summer & school year PD).
- Reduction in supplies & materials
- Reduction in Facilities maintenance, custodial materials.
- Breakages – Existing vacancies
- Outsourcing of all transportation needs

Program Restructuring:

- Oakwood Ave. School will be reduced to 1 class per grade level, except for 2nd grade (which remains at 2 classes).
- Existing Pre-school classes at Mt. Carmel will be moved to Oakwood Ave. School.
- Proposed new STEM program and existing Scholars program will be housed at Mt. Carmel building.
- The Marylawn School building will no longer be pursued
- Special Services Dept. will bring back 3 to 4 non-fragile students (estimated cost savings of \$300,000)
- 15% cut from non-salary lines in school level budget for 2017-18.
- Reduction in programs like: ESL, Robotics, summer programs, RWC, Micro-society etc.
- Cut back of after school program. All after school programs will end at 4:00pm instead of 4:30pm.
- Elimination of Saturday programs
- Reduction in 33 FTE's
- Reduction in planned activity of the STEM program

The Budget Presentation will soon be available on the district Website at www.orange.k12.nj.us.

Safety Patrol Day in Orange

On March 24, Rosa Parks Community School (RPCS) Safety Patrol celebrated Safety Patrol Day. Last year the members of the Safety Patrol program visited the mayor's office to learn about volunteerism and how to become involved in their communities. After a tour of City Hall, a question and answer session, and lunch with the mayoral staff, the Honorable Mayor Dwayne D. Warren, Esq., signed a proclamation that March 24th would be known as *Safety Patrol Day* in the township of Orange. In recognition of this proclamation, Rosa Parks Community School's safety patrol team hosted a Safety Patrol Event to commemorate the day. They acknowledged safety patrol members from RPCS, Park Avenue School and Oakwood Avenue Community School (OACS).



Pictured (life to right): RPCS Safety Patrol; Park Avenue Safety Patrol; OACS Safety Patrol.

The event featured a representative from AAA School Safety Patrol, Ms. Jarvis, who gave a brief history of how the School Safety Patrol began in 1920 and congratulated the students for becoming members of a group of dedicated pupils across the nation. Safety Patrol advisors Ms. Lorna Alexander-Taylor and Ms. Denise Parrish officiated the event with students leading opening remarks, introductions and the safety patrol pledge.

I PROMISE TO DO MY BEST TO:

- Perform my duties faithfully.
- Always set a good example myself.
- Obey my teachers and officers of the patrol.
- Report dangerous student practices.

The Orange Police Department had a discussion with the students about safety and handed out gifts to students at the end of the program. Also present was the Honorable Mayor Dwayne D. Warren, Esq. He congratulated the students for holding such respected positions in their schools and deputized them as honorary mayors for the day to remember the event. Each Safety Patrol member was presented with a certificate by their respective advisors, Mr. Meredith from OACS and Mr. Naumowicz from Park Avenue School. New inductees and Safety Patrol officers were further recognized.



Pictured (life to right), presentations at the Safety Patrol Event): Ms. Jarvis, AAA; Mayor Warren; Ms. Jarvis with Mr. Meredith; Ms. Jarvis with Mr. Naumowicz.



Pictured (life to right): Police Department representatives, Ms. Alexander-Taylor, Ms. Jarvis and Ms. Parrish greet student; guests congratulate students at the Safety Patrol Event.

Attending the event were several city officials and Councilwoman the Honorable Donna Williams and Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent for Operations and Human Resources Mrs. Belinda Scott Smiley, along with RPCS Principal Debra Joseph Charles. Guests were invited the school's Community Room for refreshments.



Pictured: Scenes from RPCS Safety Event.

A Pi Day Celebration!

Submitted by Ms. Karen Machuca, Principal Scholars Academy



Pictured: Principal Machuca and students in grades K-2.

The 2nd Annual "Pi the Principal" day was slightly delayed due to the snowstorm however; it was met with enthusiasm and twice as many pies as last year at Scholars Academy! To celebrate the mathematical symbol and number of Pi, students in the Gifted and Talented program were able to purchase shaving cream pies to throw at Principal Karen Machuca.

To make things even more interesting this year, the staff joined in the fun and students were able to throw pies at them, as well! Over 150 pies were thrown, over the course of three days, at staff and administration. Students had to answer grade level appropriate math questions prior to throwing their pies. Always a fun day and something new to discover about Pi! To learn more about Pi, visit www.piday.org.



Pictured (left to right): Principal Machuca; Mrs. Keogh and Mrs. Nadbielny; Mr. Baer and Mr. Brooks.

PRIDE Expo at Livingston Mall

The Essex County Education Association hosted its annual "Pride Expo" at the Livingston Mall from March 13 through March 20. The Expo involved the display of classroom projects, artwork and sculptures, as well as live performances and demonstrations by students from Essex County's public schools. Also featured was an awards ceremony for the PRIDE Essay contest winners on March 16.



Pictured: Sample of work represented by the Orange Public School District at the PRIDE Expo (photos by D. Sinisgalli).

Park Avenue School Reflects on Visit to the National Museum of African American History and Culture

Submitted by Ms. Sandra Layton, Fourth Grade Teacher, Park Avenue School

On March 1, Park Avenue students had the amazing opportunity to visit the National Museum of African American History and Culture. Forty students in grades 4-7, were selected to make this trip because they have been participating in the Twenty-First Century After School program. The students had a wonderful time in the museum, which contains over 36,000 artifacts, focusing solely on African American history and culture. Here's what they had to say:



Pictured: Park Avenue Students at the National Museum of African American History and Culture.

Fourth grader, Adriel, reflected on the experience, "My favorite part was when we saw the Declaration of Independence. We are learning about this in Reading. I reported the information I learned back to the class." Classmate Sade added, "The way they had the elevators set up was really cool. Each floor represented a different time period in African American history. Traveling on the elevator was like traveling back in time."

To view a video documenting Park Avenue's trip to the National Museum of African American History and Culture, click here: <https://youtu.be/7S24Hq2xu9I>.

26th Annual Blacks at Microsoft Minority Student Day

Submitted by Mr. Ederson Jean, STEM teacher, OHS and Mr. Glenn Gamble, CTE/Business teacher, Orange Prep Academy

On March 17, students from Orange High School (OHS) and Orange Preparatory Academy (OPA) attended *The Blacks at Microsoft (BAM) Minority Student Day Program*. The event continued to exceed expectations! Students are learning on their smartphones, tablets, and in the cloud and were shown how they can work from anywhere with their peers and teachers and get more done thanks to the rise of cloud computing. Global collaboration was demonstrated with tools that are becoming increasingly affordable, allowing students to share projects and continue working as a group.





During the day, one of the sessions attended was the Microsoft Technology Center (**pictured above**). The center is a state of the art facility where innovative and consumer technologies: Xbox, Kinect, OneDrive, OneNote, Sway, Microsoft Classroom, Office 365, Skype and Surface, to name a few, are demonstrated. Participants toured the facility to gain a better understanding of how Microsoft technologies can help them be more efficient in their academic and personal life.

A highlight of the event was Keynote Speaker and retired International Business Machines (IBM) executive Ms. Lauren States. During her thirty plus year career at IBM, she rose to a management level just below the CEO. She was the first black and first woman to achieve this status. Ms. States told attendees that earning a bachelor degree from an Ivy League School (Wharton) gave her the access she needed to be successful....IBM was the only company she worked for, and in her fifties, she had the wealth to retire and pursue her philanthropic passions.

The Microsoft field trip was truly empowering, students learned about new technologies in practical applications, guided by experienced industry specialists.

Student Comment and Feedback:

Yasmine Cole/OHS/12th Grade

My experience at Microsoft was mind opening! My favorite part of the trip was listening to Lauren States, speaking to minority children wanting to have a career in computer science, sharing her experience about being a minority, completing the many obstacles she went through from elementary school to adulthood. I also enjoyed learning about the Microsoft Office 365 and its roles in workplaces. I really liked the food, especially those three leaf clover green cookies to celebrate Saint Patrick's Day. I would love to visit their offices again!



Pictured (above): Scenes from *The Blacks at Microsoft (BAM) Minority Student Day Program.*

Alex Joseph/OHS/10th Grade

I enjoyed the trip immensely. While at Microsoft, I was exposed to a variety of advanced technologies like facial recognition software, a robot maker, and much more. I even got to see the Microsoft server. I personally enjoyed visiting the Microsoft Technology Center, where they presented the latest Microsoft products. I specifically liked the updates about Microsoft's One Drive. In conclusion, this experience was very enjoyable and I would love to go again next year.

Brianna Thomas/OPA/9th Grade

The trip to Microsoft started with an hour drive to New York. Arriving at their offices, we received a personalized name badge that gave us access to the elevators. Once we entered the session, we began learning about the incredible new editions they have put into their devices. All their software is connected to 'the cloud,' you don't need to have an app for things such as slides or docs as long as you have internet and a browser. You can work on anything you've started anywhere! They also have a large monitor that can be connected to devices that give you the capability to Skype for a group project or conference call, it allows 250 people in one session and the connection won't be slow, data is processed in seconds! Aside from their software updates, Keynote Speaker (Lauren States) was there to answer questions. She taught us that you should never give up. Her father pushed her to become an accountant, but she hated it, took a coding class and fell in love with programming which caused her career at IBM to blossom!

Alfredo Sanchez/OPA/9th Grade

The visit to Microsoft was honestly the highlight of my freshman year, so far. I don't think I will ever forget Friday, March 17, and the place I visited. Sure, the food was good but what else would you expect from a company that is worth more than a million dollars. The best part to me was the Keynote Speaker at the end, the retired person talking about how she became successful, even though she was part of the double minority in America, black and a woman. Her words really inspired me and made me feel that anything was possible with hard work and dedication.

Reading Plus All Stars Program in Partnership with New Jersey Devils Creates Exciting Incentive for Orange Students

Reading Plus Press Release

WINOOSKI, Vermont, March 27, 2017 – Reading Plus®, publisher of the Reading Plus (RP) online reading improvement program, has partnered with the New Jersey Devils to promote reading among Orange Public School District students. On March 25, 200 students who completed the most Reading Plus lessons attended the New Jersey Devils game against the Carolina Hurricanes.



Pictured (left to right): Students from Rosa Parks Community School; Director of Curriculum, Dr. Terri Russo with Oakwood Avenue Community School students; group photo.

Students were accompanied by 50 teachers, administrators, and parents who chaperoned the trip to the Prudential Center. This initiative complemented the Orange Board of Education and the City of Orange Township’s community--wide reading campaign – Orange Page Turners Challenge.

“The Orange Board of Education is committed to using technology as a learning resource to prepare today’s students for the 21st century and beyond,” noted Karen Harris, Director of English Language Arts and Testing. “Since 2016, we have incorporated Reading Plus into our schools’ literacy curriculum and we are seeing a boost in reading achievements. We thank Reading Plus and the New Jersey Devils for offering our school district this opportunity to reward our students for a job well done.”

“Reading Plus helps teachers develop successful independent readers by integrating the three domains of reading -- physical, cognitive, and emotional -- in one personalized online reading program,” explained Helen Darling, Reading Plus Community and Partnership Manager. “We’re thrilled that the Orange Public Schools students have had success with Reading Plus and now our partnership with the New Jersey Devils gets the kids even more excited and motivated to read.”



Pictured (left to right): Students gather at Orange High School for a trip to the Devils gamea packed Prudential center; Devils hockey rink.



“We are delighted to partner with Reading Plus to support Orange Public Schools educators and students,” said Jeff Scott, vice president of Community Investment and Grassroots, New Jersey Devils. “Our goal is to help build a better future for New Jersey’s youth. If we can leverage kids’ love of sports to motivate them to read, we know that we will have made a significant impact on their future success.”

Additionally, 100 students from one Orange Township public school with the highest number of pages read during the competition period will get to participate in a Street Devils hockey clinic courtesy of the New Jersey Devils. Each clinic will take place at the school during the week of June 12.

For more information about the Reading Plus, visit www.readingplus.com or contact Rachel Ring, rachel@readingplus.com. For more information about the Reading Plus All Stars program contact Helen Darling, Reading Plus Community and Partnership Manager at helen@readingplus.com.

FYI

My School Color Run

Heywood Avenue School is undertaking a *School Color Run* fundraiser and invites other schools and the district office to join them in creating a staff group, as they did with the "**Heywood Avenue School Staff**" **My School Color Run Group**!

To help boost the level of participation, they invite others to view the following: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4EERSfHiqT8>. Additionally, for those interested in registering, follow the following link: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/color-me-for-technology-registration-32096237711?aff=es2>.

It's only **\$20** to register **before** April 12, after which, registration is **\$25**. This is a great way to have fun together and support Heywood Avenue students. Save the date, Saturday, April 29th, 8:30 am, Orange Park. See flyer below.

Orange Page Turners Reading Challenge Awards Readers with a NJ Devils Game

The Orange Page Turners Reading Challenge

Presented by the Orange Board of Education in partnership with Mayor Dwayne D. Warren, Esq., the Orange Municipal Council, the Orange Housing Authority, Scholastic Inc., Reading Plus and the Orange Education Foundation



JOIN US IN OUR QUEST TO READ ONE MILLION PAGES

November 25, 2016 - April 16, 2017

Register today at www.orange.k12.nj.us. Registration forms will also be available at the library and local and school events. Once you are registered you will receive a welcome email and the following link to log the number of pages you have read: **Orange Page Turners' Reading Challenge Tracker**



Orange Page Turner's Challenge

Let's show our support for the readers via the link below. The Orange Page Turners Go Fund Me page.

<https://www.gofundme.com/pcvx4-orange-page-turners-challenge>

March 2017

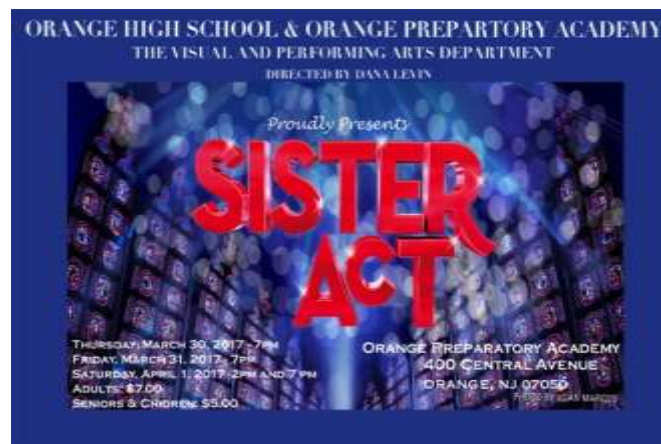
| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| | | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 OEA/OASA General Meeting 2:30 ^{PM} Dismissal for Students -- OACS BOE Lobby Art Exhibit 6:00 ^{PM} | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| 12  | 13 Monthly Board of Education Meeting 7:00 ^{PM} at Orange Prep Academy | 14  | 15  | 16 | 17  | 18  |
| 19 FilmBoot24 - Red Carpet Film Screening at Orange Prep - doors open at 3:30 | 20  | 21 | 22 | 23  | 24  | 25  |
| 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30  Sister Act at Orange Prep, 7:00 ^{PM} | 31  Sister Act at Orange Prep, 7:00 ^{PM} | April 1  Sister Act at Orange Prep, 2:00 ^{PM} & 7:00 ^{PM} |

Check the district [Web Site calendar](#) for current events.



See Below For Important Flyers

- *Sister Act at Orange Preparatory Academy*
 - *Disney's Jungle Book Kids*
 - *Spring Sports*
 - *ICare at CIAO*
- *Heywood Avenue School Color Me For Technology Fundraiser*
 - *Retirement Flyer for E. Benson*
 - *Parent Academy Workshops*
 - *PreK Registration*



APRIL 6, 2017

icare

At Career and Innovation Academy

I Care Conference At Career and Innovation Academy.... *We Care Inside Out*

On Thursday, April 6, 2017 the Career and Innovation Academy of Orange and community supporters will unite for a day of C.A.R.E. The conference will consist of interactive workshops on Community/Citizenship, Appearance/Attitude, Responsibility (fiscal), and Education/Employment. During the afternoon, CIAO students will engage with peers from OHS and Park Avenue School in hands-on activities.

We would like to thank the following for their contributions to the event:

The I Care Committee:
P. Fortun, D. Nicholson, N. Bethay, R. Daniel, L. Olivera

Dr. Austin, Campanella Godfrey and the Orange Municipal Council

Rev. William Rutherford and Ebenezer Baptist Church

Family Connections

Valley National Bank

Dress For Success

CIAO faculty and the Orange Board of Education

Save The Date: April 6, 2017

9:00am-12:00pm

CIAO students engaged in C.A.R.E. activities

12:00-12:30 pm

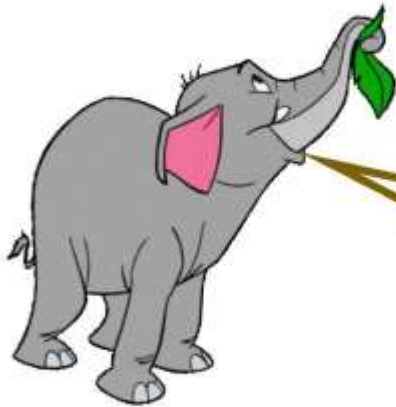
Lunch prepared by CIAO culinary students

12:30-2:00 pm

CIAO students engaged in Project Mentor



Forest Street
School Announces...



**New Show Dates for
Jungle Book**

*Your tickets will be accepted on
the new dates as follows:*

Thursday 3/23 moves to:

Saturday, April 8 at 5 pm

Friday 3/24 moves to:

Friday, April 7 at 6 pm

Saturday 3/25 moves to:

Saturday, April 8 at 2 pm



*We regret this inconvenience and thank
you for your anticipated cooperation.*

—Yancisca Cooke, Principal



Forest Street
School



MAYOR DWAYNE D. WARREN, ESQ.
& THE ORANGE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
MOVING ORANGE FORWARD

SPRING 2017 **SPORTS REGISTRATION**

REGISTER NOW
LIMITED SPOTS AVAILABLE

ACTIVITIES INCLUDE
**SOCCER • TENNIS
FLAG FOOTBALL
TRACK & FIELD
BASEBALL • SOFTBALL**

ALL SPORTS BEGIN IN APRIL

• • • • •

Download registration forms at
The City of Orange Township website:
www.ci.orange.nj.us

For more information and updates on this event and other
activities in Orange, please visit us online at
www.ci.orange.nj.us and like us on Facebook:
www.facebook.com/orange.jersey

AVOID LATE FEES!

Register Before March 20th
**ORANGE CITY HALL
29 NORTH DAY ST.
ORANGE, NJ**

*Travel Team fees are separate

FOR MORE
INFORMATION, CALL
973-266-4045

Heywood Avenue School

Invites you to join our event
"Color Me for Technology"

join the fun!
April 29, 2017

Registration: 8:30-9:15am

Race starts @ 9:15am

Orange Park

S. Harrison Street
Orange, NJ 07050

a color run for all

run, jog, or walk at your own pace!

Registration fee: \$20 (before
4/12; \$25 after 4/12)

**All race participants must
register by **4/12/17**

A great new
fundraising event

This year, we will be hosting our own school color run! This is an exciting way to promote awareness for healthy living and raise funds!

This event is
co-sponsored by:

Councilwoman
Summers-Johnson
and
21st Century
Community
Learning Centers



Register Online!
www.heywoodMSCR.eventbrite.com



PLEASE POST



HELP US CELEBRATE REDSKIN FAN

***ERVENIA BENSON'S
RETIREMENT***

ON

FRIDAY, MAY 19, 2017

6:30 PM

AT

THE APPIAN WAY

LANGDON STREET, ORANGE, NJ

R.S.V.P. By May 1, 2017

\$75.00 per person (Includes Gift)

No Payments Accepted at Door

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CONTACT SHANA BLAIR, H.R. SECRETARY

(EXT. 6020)

FOR TICKETS AND PAYMENT

Orange Township Public Schools



Parent Academy 2017 Workshops



FREE PARENT WORKSHOPS

Parent Academy is a District Wide Initiative to support overall student achievement by providing families with learning opportunities and resources that will enable them to become more involved in our students success. By attending the workshops, or school related events/programs you can earn 1 point toward a Special Graduation Ceremony. Board Meetings (2 points) are held on the second Tuesday of each month.

EACH WORKSHOP IS AN OPPORTUNITY TO WIN FREE GIFTS!

April

| Date | Time | Location | Topic | Facilitator |
|----------------------|--------|--|----------------------------------|---------------|
| Wednesday 4/12/17 | 6:00pm | Board of Education 451 Lincoln Ave. | Stress Management Workshop | Coach Kumari |
| Thursday 4/27/17 | 5:30pm | Orange Prep 451 Central Ave. | ELL/Bilingual Parent Workshop | Ms. Onyesonwu |

June

| Date | Time | Location | Topic |
|----------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|--|
| Saturday 6/3/17 | 9:00am- 12:00pm | Lincoln Avenue School | Bilingual ESL Fair |
| Wednesday 6/14/17 | 6:00pm | Lincoln Avenue School | Parent Academy Recognition Ceremony |

**For Information on Parent Academy Workshops/Programs/Events please contact:
Barry Devone, Office of Community Engagement
973-677-4000 ext. 6064**

ORANGE TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS EARLY CHILDHOOD DEPARTMENT

PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION FOR 2017 - 2018

REQUIREMENTS:

- 3 years old by 10/01/17 4 years old by 10/01/17
- Must be resident of Orange Township
- Original Birth Certificate
- Child's Immunization record
- Current lease or Mortgage Statement
- 2 Proofs of Residency (PSE&G bill, telephone or cable bill),
 - No cellphone bills, please
 - Picture ID

If you are living with a friend or relative, you must be included in their lease agreement. Notarized letters stating you rent a room/apartment/house will not be accepted.

DATES: APRIL 4, 11, and 25

MAY 9, 16 and 23

TIME: 10:00 a.m- 1:00 p.m

Last sign in: 12:00 P.M.

PLACE: ORANGE EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

397 PARK AVE, ORANGE, NJ 07050

973-677- 4000 ext. 1922

IF YOU ARE CONCERNED YOUR PRESCHOOL CHILD IS DEVELOPING OR LEARNING DIFFERENTLY, YOU CAN CALL THE DISTRICT TO REQUEST AN EVALUATION FOR PRESCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION AND RELATED SERVICES.



**ESCUELAS PUBLICAS DE ORANGE
DEPARTAMENTO DE EDUCACION
PREESCOLAR
REGISTRACIÓN PREESCOLAR 2017-2018**

REQUISITOS:

- 3 AÑOS ANTES DE 10/01/17
- 4 AÑOS ANTES DE 10/01/17
- DEBE SER RESIDENTE DEL MUNICIPIO DE ORANGE
- PARTIDA DE NACIMIENTO ORIGINAL
- EXPEDIENTE DE INMUNIZACIONES DEL NIÑO/NIÑA
- DECLARACIÓN ACTUAL DEL ARRIENDO O DE LA HIPOTECA
- Identificación de fotos
- **2 Pruebas de Residencia (recibo de PSE&G, teléfono o recibo del cable, NO CELLPHONE!) deben ser actual.**
- **SI USTED ESTA VIVIENDO CON UN FAMILIAR O AMIGO TIENE QUE ESTAR INSCRITO EN EL CONTRATO DE ARRENDAMIENTO. NO SE ACEPTARA CARTAS NOTARIZADA.**

REGISTRACIÓN:

ABRIL 4, 11, y 25

MAYO 9, 16, y 23

10:00 A.M – 1:00 P.M

Tiene que firmar antes de las 12:00pm

**LUGAR: ORANGE EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER
397 PARK AVE, ORANGE, NJ 07050
(973) 677-4000 ext 1922**

SI USTED ESTA PREOCUPADO POR QUE SU HIJO/HIJA ESTA DESARROLLANDO ALGUN PROBLEMA DE APRENDISAJE O APRENDIENDO DIFERENTE FAVOR DE CONTACTAR AL DEPARTAMENTO DE SERVICIOS ESPECIALES EN EL DISRITO.