

THE INTERESTS OF THE CHILDREN ARE AT THE HEART OF ALL DECISIONS

EDGECOMB EDDY SCHOOL

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AOS 98/Rocky Channels School System

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May 15, 2017



MARK YOUR CALENDARS

05/15 - Gr. 4-6 trip to Colonial Pemaquid, 8-11am

05/16 - All-school trip to Opera House, Boothbay Harbor

05/18- Gr. 6 to Boston

05/23 - Mad Science presentation, 12:45pm

05/25 - Pre-K Open House, 5:30-6:30pm

05/26 - Mrs. Currier's group to Fish Ladder

06/01 - Spring Concert, 6pm

Parents are reminded to send children to school with a note indicating their after-school plans, if they differ from the norm.

Many children are experiencing difficulties concentrating on schoolwork and exhibit anxious behavior if there is uncertainty in this.

Thank you.

Thank you, thank you to the many Edgcomb Eddy family members who attended Saturday's town meeting and supported the school. As you know, the budget approved includes cuts for next year; as a result, we are now tasked with grouping classes that will provide the best opportunities for our students. As soon as we know class & teaching assignments, you will be informed.

Please help spread the word...

On Thursday, May 25th, we will hold a Pre-K Open House from 5:30-6:30pm. This is an opportunity to bring in any children who might register for this program (must be 4 years of age by Oct. 15, 2017). This is not only for Edgcomb residents; we will consider applications from out-of-town families. Help us get the word out about this exciting new program at Edgcomb Eddy!

Student ART SHOW



BRHS, BRES, Edgecomb
and Southport Schools:
Pre-K through 12

OPEN: Friday, Saturday and Sunday

MAY 12th, 13th & 14th 11am to 5pm
MAY 19th, 20th & 21st 11am to 5pm

*** Reception ***

Sunday, May 14th: 1 to 3 pm

BOOTHBAY REGION ART FOUNDATION
The Gallery at ONE TOWNSEND AVE

The following Edgecomb Eddy students have artwork in the Boothbay Region Student Art Show:

Ziera Lei Bercasio, gr. 3
Lydia Currier, gr. 4
Aliyah Bowley, gr. 5
Catherine Clifford, gr. 5
Edison Edgecomb, gr 5
Emily Gosselin, gr. 5
Nicholas Archer, gr. 6
Jack Castonia, gr. 6

Christian Dodge, gr. 3
Anna Gosselin, gr. 4
Piper Carleton, gr. 5
William Clifford, gr. 5
Finn Gaffney, gr. 5
Luke Morley, gr. 5
Henry Boudin, gr. 6
Nathalie Paulino, gr. 6

FIDGET SPINNERS - PLEASE READ

You know how you try to ignore something and hope it will eventually go away? Well, such is the case at school and on the bus with these so-called fidget spinners. Despite the marketing of these items as “therapeutic” or “helpful for children with ADHD,” we are observing a lot of misuse, and they appear to be more of a toy than a useful tool.



As a staff, we identify a few students who are in need of alternative seating, frequent movement breaks, 1:1 testing settings, fidgets, and other tools that are deemed to be supportive in allowing students to be successful. We also provide a few students with fidgets, although they are ones that do not make noise, and can be used more discretely than the spinners; we see this as our responsibility.

Our policy, as written in our school handbook, states that we ask children to not bring toys to school. We are, therefore, asking for your support in ensuring that your child leaves these fidget spinners at home. Or, as we say about other things like cell phones, if we don't see or hear them, no problem; children who bring them to school are asked to ensure they stay in their backpack when at school or on the bus.

Thank you for your help with this.

SOME DATES TO KNOW ABOUT

Mark your calendars for these upcoming events...

May 18 - Gr. 6 trip to Boston

May 25 - Pre-K Open House, 5:30-6:30pm

June 1 - All-school concert, 6pm - students arrive by 5:45

June 8 - Gr. 6 to Sea Dogs game

June 9 - Dismissal at 11am

June 12 - Beach Day. **This is subject to change, as weather conditions will dictate.**

June 19 - Gr. 6 graduation at 9:15am. Dismissal for all at 11am.

Parents are reminded to check the newsletter to stay informed about upcoming events. For instance, tomorrow we are invited as guests of BRES to a Japanese fairy tale production by Monmouth Theater. The whole school will be attending this show at the Opera House of Boothbay Harbor. *We will be leaving Edgecomb Eddy by 8:30, so anyone who arrives after that time will find an empty school.*

Mother's Day tea in kindergarten...

Mayson and his mom Nicole, along with Gabryella and her mom Amanda.



Aneirin, his mom Heather, and baby brother Soren.



Omar and his mother Sebbie

AOS 98 – ROCKY CHANNELS SCHOOL SYSTEM

2017-2018

Edgecomb Eddy School • Southport Central School

AUGUST 2017

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August – 2 Student Days
 18th – New Teacher Orientation
 21st – All Staff In-service
 22nd – Teacher In-service
 30th – School Begins PreK-9
 31th – School Begins Gr. 10-12

FEBRUARY 2018

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February – 15 Student Days
 19th – Holiday-Presidents Day
 19th – 23rd – Winter Break
 26th – Mid-quarter report

SEPTEMBER 2017

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September – 20 Student Days
 4th – Holiday-Labor Day

MARCH 2018

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March – 21 Students Days
 9th – Second Trimester Ends
 15th – Report Cards
 16th – EES, SCS, GCS In-Service

OCTOBER 2017

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October – 20 Student Days
 6th – EES, SCS, GCS In-Service
 9th – Holiday- Columbus Day
 13th – Mid Trimester Report

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April – 16 Student Days
 16th – Holiday – Patriots Day
 16th – 20th – Spring Break
 27th – Mid Trimester Report

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November – 18 Student Days
 10th – Holiday – Veterans Day
 22nd – Teacher In-Service
 23rd–24th – Thanksgiving

MAY 2018

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May – 22 Student Days
 28th – Holiday – Memorial Day

DECEMBER 2017

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December – 15 Student Days
 1st – First Trimester Ends
 8th – Report Cards
 21st – Jan 1st – Holiday Break
 25th – Holiday-Christmas

JUNE 2018

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June – 5 Students Days
 7th – EES, SCS, GCS Last Student day if 0 storm days used.
 8th – BRHS Graduation
 11 a.m. release

JANUARY 2018

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January – 21 Student Days
 1st – Holiday – New Year's Day
 15th – Holiday – ML King Day
 24th – Mid Trimester Report

JULY 2018

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175 Student Days

EVERY WEDNESDAY

EES dismisses at 1:45 p.m.
 SCS dismisses at regular time

TRIMESTER DATES

Trimester 1 = 61 days – ends Dec. 1
 Trimester 2 = 57 days – ends March 9
 Trimester 3 = 57 days – ends last day of school

EES, GCS, SCS 5 In-service days – no school

Calendar adopted by
 AOS 98 School Committee 5/8/17

Popsicles 4 Sale!



FUNDRAISER

Money raised will be put toward Grade 6's
Boston Trip and SeaDog's Game

DATES: Beginning Tuesday, May 16

We will continue each day until June 7.

COST: Popsicles \$.75, Fudgesicles \$.75

TIMES: Snack Recess, Lunch Recess