

Aronimink

in Action September 2019

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August/ **September Events Save the Date**

August/ September

First Day of School 8/26

Tues.

8/26-29 Early Dismissal

M-Thurs. 12:05

8/30-9/2 **Labor Day**

school closed

9/6 **Back to School**

Fri. **Picnic & Movie**

Night

9/10 **School Board**

Tues. Mta.

7:30 p.m.

9/11 **Early Dismissal**

Wed. 12.30

9/19 Home & School

Mtg. Thur.

7:00 p.m.

9/19 **Curriculum Night**

Thur. (all grades)

6:30-8:30 p.m.

9/14 5th Grade Car Wash

Sat. 9:00-11:30 a.m.

9/21 **Car Wash Rain Date**

Sat. 9:00-11:30 a.m.

9/23 **Picture Day.**

Mon. **Dress Code**

10/3 RIF

Wed.

10/2 **Early Dismissal**

Wed. 12:30

10/8 **School Board Mtg.**

Tues. 7:30 p.m.

10/14 **Columbus Day**

Mon. Holiday

10/10 **Walk at School Day**

Wed. (Mrs. Einhorn)

10/10 **Home & School**

Thur. Mtg.

7:00 p.m.

10/18 **Fall Bingo Night**

Fri. 6:30-8:30 p.m.

10/21-25 **Book Fair**

Thur.-Fri. 8:45-9:00 a.m. &

3:15-3:30 p.m.

10/24 **Family Night**

Thur. **Book Fair**

5:30-7:30 p.m.

School Board 10/22

Committee Mtgs. Tues.

6:30 & 7:30 p.m.

Halloween Parade 10/31

Thurs. 1:30 p.m.

Principal's Message

Dear Aronimink Families,

We are off to a great start to the 2019–2020 school year! It was awesome to see a schoolyard full of smiling faces as both our returning and new students were greeted by our staff members on the first day of school. We look forward to continuing to build positive relationships with our Aronimink families and welcoming the many new members to our school community. I encourage all families to become involved and get to know one another. Our continued partnership will ensure a rich educational experience for our children. As you are aware, Aronimink is truly a special place filled with a dedicated, enthusiastic, and caring staff. Please participate in the numerous fun, family/community activities throughout the Fall here at Aronimink. I am excited for another great year! Best.

~Mr Rehak, Principal





Third Grade News Fifth Grade News

Third grade is off to a great start!!! Everyone is working very hard and is adjusting to third grade. There are more books and homework assignments and so far we are doing super! Third graders are beginning with a review of addition and subtraction in Math. We are learning about plot, setting, theme, and much more in Language Arts, and will be working on a personal narrative in writing. In Science, we are learning about plants and sound. This is going to be a fantastic year!

~Dr. Sheehan, 3rd Grade Teacher

Our Aronimink fifth graders are already hard at work. We are learning about each other and focusing on curriculum.

We are also looking forward to the many school events this year.

On Saturday, September 14th, we are having a car wash to help benefit our annual camping trip to Echo Hill Outdoor School in Maryland.

Come out and we will wash your car for you. Donations are welcome and you can even purchase a baked after your wash ~Miss Pauly, 5th Grade Teacher

First Grade News

First grade is off to a great start this school year! The children came into school prepared and ready to learn. We look forward to our first month of school. We will be learning and reviewing addition and subtraction facts in math class. The children will use a variety of manipulatives to reach their answers.

In Social Studies, we are discussing rules of school and how to be a good friend. We are also launching our new reading program, Into Reading. The children really seem to enjoy the routines and activities that come along with this program. There are many skills being taught throughout the program-spelling patterns, power words, vocabulary, grammar, and writing.

The first grade teachers look forward to a great school year filled with fun and learning!

~Ms. Cicala, 1st Grade Teacher



Art News

The beginning of the school year in Art students are reviewing or being introduced to the rules, routine, and organization of the art room. The students are making a Chain of Kindness. In Art, they will create a design to be displayed on the outside of the chain. In Library they will share an act of kindness they could give to another student.

~Mrs. York, Art Teacher/Librarian

Library News

Students began book exchange the second week of school. (except for the students who did not have class last week). Students may take out two books per week. Our avid readers may visit the library and exchange their books for new ones. In order to get new books students must return their borrowed books.

Besides following the rules and routine of the Library, library orientation is the number one lesson for all students at the beginning of the year.

~Mrs. York, Art Teacher/Librarian

Reading Olympics

Fourth and fifth grade students are invited to join our Reading Olympic team. Our meetings will be held every Tuesday morning as soon as students arrive at school. We encourage all of our students to consider joining Reading Olympics. Mrs. Furey, Reading Specialist, and Mrs. York will be guiding our students on their adventure to reading quality literature.

~Mrs. York, Art Teacher/Librarian





Physical Education News

With a legacy of achievement, the Aronimink Physical Education program instills a lifelong commitment to teamwork, leadership and reaching one's personal best. Physical Education focuses on each student's personal growth and overall well-being. Our curriculum promotes a healthy lifestyle and lifelong wellness through the development of each student's physical health, talents, self-confidence and relationships with others.

Students participate in Physical Education class every fourth day for 30 minutes. Please make sure your child wears sneakers to Physical Education class as sneakers provide the necessary traction for active movement.

I hope you and your child will share in my goal to be physically active so they can get all of the physical, intellectual, emotional and social benefits which come to someone who is physically active during his or her life. I am extremely proud of the Physical Education program at Aronimink Elementary School and I look forward to being your child's physical educator this year.

~Mr. Dunn, Physical Ed.Teacher