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**Parent Night: MONDAY, September 17,** is PARENT NIGHT for grades 1st-5th. Parent Night is an event that we hold for parents that allows teachers to discuss the curriculum for the year and classroom expectations. Here are the dates for Parent Night:

1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> Grade: \*\*\*September 17, 5:00- 6:15 (Meet in West Gym)

4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> Grade: \*\*\*September 17, 6:30-7:45 (Meet in West Gym)

All parents will meet in the west gymnasium and hear from Mr. Walshire on school updates. Then parents will proceed to their child's classrooms. Please park in either the front or back parking lots. If you are in the first session, please leave in a timely manner to accommodate parking for the 6:30 session.

**School Picture Orders-** Last week students brought home their Picture Proof Order form, orders were due Thursday the 13th but can still be made online. Color Portraits will charge online orders made after the 13th with shipping and handling fees. Picture retakes and makeups are scheduled for Wednesday October 10th. If you would like a retake please write 'RETAKE' on top of your order form and return. If you need a makeup please email [vboss@millburn24.net](mailto:vboss@millburn24.net). Any questions or concerns please reach out to [vboss@millburn24.net](mailto:vboss@millburn24.net).

**Choir Begins:** Choir Signups Last One More Week!

The choir season has already begun but interested students still have a week to try it out and join. If your 4th or 5th grader has any interest in joining choir please fill out the signup form found on my website: <https://www.millburn24.net/Page/6687>

New members can still come for one more week before committing to the season. Please remember that forms must be turned in 24 hours before your student can attend but all students are encouraged to come and try it out! Don't miss their last chance to join!

**Young Rembrandts Art Club-** We're excited for another great year of drawing afterschool at Millburn. Young Rembrandts drawing classes are for all budding young artists, whatever their ability level is. Our bountiful selection of drawings introduces our students to a fascinating world of color, pattern, and design. Keeping with the season, our students will create fall-themed illustrations like taffy apples and a farmer's scarecrow. Stylized art styles will be explored through our tarantula line art and Van Gogh-inspired drawing featuring vibrant sunflowers. All this and more await your child in a Young Rembrandts classroom! Mrs. Bock is looking forward to working with your young artist. Sign up today at [www.youngrembrandts.com/northshore](http://www.youngrembrandts.com/northshore). Deadline for enrollment is next Tuesday, September 18th. Questions? 847-695-3581

**Yearbooks: ORDER YOUR 2018-2019 YEARBOOK TODAY!!** This year is going to be great and a MES Yearbook is a perfect way to remember your friends, classmates, and fun times. Why wait until the last minute to get your yearbook. Order now and get your yearbook for an all time low of \$12.25. The prices will increase soon, so don't wait. Get your orders in now. Yearbooks will be delivered to students before school lets out in June. Please find ordering information in the Virtual Backpack.

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### PTO News

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**Box Tops:** Our first Box Top Collection is TODAY! If you haven't sent your Box Tops in for today's due date, please either send them on Monday, or save them until we have the Holiday Box Top Drive. The next collection date will be announced soon.

The classroom with the most submitted will win a classroom party (after the final counts). For every 25 (non expired) box tops your child submits, they will be entered in a raffle for \$25 *Target Gift Card* (this is a random raffle). For every 200 (non expired) box tops submitted get an exclusive *PTO drawstring bag*. Send any questions to: [boxtoplabels@millburnpto.com](mailto:boxtoplabels@millburnpto.com)

**PTO Fall Fest:** Join us for our first community event - Millburn Fall Fest **September 15th, 12pm - 4pm** at the Elementary School. What a great way to kick off the school year, hang out with friends and meet other parents. We have pony rides, inflatables, food, 50/50 raffle, teacher/student activity, games and prizes! See our Student Council Booth and our Community Garden this year too.

*Advance Tickets:* Pick up any advance ticket purchases at the Fall Fest Ticket table.

Any questions, please contact Catherine Kelly - [fallfestival@millburnpto.com](mailto:fallfestival@millburnpto.com).

**PTO Meeting:** Join us for our first general assembly PTO Meeting at 7:00pm on **Tuesday, September 18<sup>th</sup>** at Millburn Middle School (LRC Room). Some items to be covered are: 2018/19 Budget, Committee Reports, Smart Fundraising, New Website with volunteer sign up capabilities, and help wanted. We look forward to seeing you there!

#### **Millburn Kids Resale:**

**Now Seeking:** Additional sellers for our upcoming MILLBURN KIDS RESALE! Feel like earning some extra money? Start collecting the clothes and toys your kids have outgrown - then turn your collections into cash by selling them at the Millburn Kids Resale! It's a great way for you - and your kids - to clean out the closet, garage, basement, and attic! All early registrations received are automatically entered into a drawing to win 75% of your proceeds instead of the standard 50%. Drawings will be the next few Fridays!! Registration forms can be found on the PTO website ([www.millburnpto.com](http://www.millburnpto.com)) and in the virtual backpack. **Resale Donation Drive** was a huge success last weekend! Thank you all for your support! If you find that you still have items you wish to donate, please contact us via email at [millburnkidsresale@yahoo.com](mailto:millburnkidsresale@yahoo.com) or through Facebook as soon as possible.

Would you like to come early and shop the Millburn Kids Resale **BEFORE** the doors open to the public? Make your selection from great name brand items at fantastic prices from 3:15pm to 4pm on Opening Day of the sale! **The PRESALE is an invite only event for volunteers that help out either before, during or after the sale. We are very flexible with the hours and opportunities to volunteer. If there isn't a time or date that works for your schedule, please contact us to make arrangements.**

Please follow this link to view opportunities: [VolunteerLink - Spring Millburn Kids Resale](#)

**PTO Registration:** We are still accepting registrations for this school year. Please go to [millburnpto.com](http://millburnpto.com) to register.

**Website - [www.millburnpto.com](http://www.millburnpto.com) School CODE: 5SRAMT**

Our new PTO website this year will have a ton of information available and all at your fingertips. If you haven't had a chance yet to view it, please so do and set up a login and password, so you don't miss out on any PTO related communications. Also, new this year, **ALL VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES** will also be on

the PTO website and housed under "Volunteer Sign-up." You do not have to be a PTO paid-member to volunteer.

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If I can be of any assistance or if you have questions, please contact me at [bwalshire@millburn24.net](mailto:bwalshire@millburn24.net) or (847) 356-8331.

Mr. Ben Walshire  
Millburn Elementary Principal

**September**

15th- PTO Fall Fest 12-4

17th- Parent Night

1st-3rd @ 5:00

4th-5th @ 6:30

18th- PTO Meeting

**October**

4th- 1:00 Early Release

5th- No School- Teacher Inservice Day

8th- No School- Columbus Day

10th- Picture Retake Day

Link to [Parent Calendar](#)

**Virtual Backpack- [LINK](#)**

Lakes Jr. Eagles Girls Basketball

Wisconsin Junior Volleyball

GoGurnee Chalk Walk

Join Cub Scouts