

3rd-5th Grades Curriculum Night - Thursday, September 27th
Movie Night showing "Wonder" - Friday, October. 5th
Walk to School Day! - Monday, October 10th
No School - Friday, October 12th (BSD Professional Day)



Curriculum Night



3rd - 5th Grades Curriculum Night Thursday, September 27th

6:00-6:20pm - Administration Presentation in Cafeteria
(for 3-5 families)

6:20-7:00pm - Grades 3rd - 5th Presentations in
Classrooms

There will be *limited* childcare during curriculum night provided to you by PTA members and NHE staff!
Drop off will begin at 5:30.

Please ***sign your children in*** at the table in the grade level hallway where you'll be attending curriculum night. We ask that all children being dropped off for supervision be able to walk independently. There will be quiet activities for students while parents are in classrooms. When the night is over for you, please ***sign your child out*** at the same table you signed in.

Newport High School "Stuff the Truck" Event

Newport High School Football
Fans!!!

Hello! This just in!

Don't Forget Newport Football in conjunction with Goodwill is hosting a donation drive fundraiser **Sunday, September 23rd, 2pm-5pm!** Come out and support the Knights and get that extra stuff around your house you've been meaning to donate.



Now is a great time to do your **Fall Clean-Up!**

The Goodwill truck(s) will be located up in the Newport Hills Shopping Center by Stods off of 119th, from 2pm-5pm on September 23rd.

Thanks,
The Newport Football TD Club

Girl Scouts / Boy Scouts Info Nights

Girl Scouts Info Night!

Do you have a young lady that enjoys being part of a team, has an imagination and seeks new adventures and experiences? Perhaps, she is wishing to develop these and many more skills then Girl Scouts may be a good fit for her.

Parents of Kindergarten - 5th Grade girls are welcome to join in for an informational session at **Newport Way Library** on **Tuesday, September 25th** from **7:30pm-9pm.**

Come and find out about Girl Scouts. We'll work on getting new troops formed. For questions please contact Angela Le at: angela@liad.org



Cub Scouts Info Night!

A **NEW** Cub Scout troop is forming in the Newport Hills neighborhood. If you have a student that enjoys learning new skills, outdoor activities, making new friends and adventure then Scouting may be just be the right thing for them.

All boys and girls and their parents are invited to

come to
**Newport Heights Elementary at 6pm on
Tuesday, September 25th** for an informational
meeting. Come and learn more about the Cub
Scouts and see if it's the right fit for your child.

Yearbook

Early Bird Discount for Yearbooks!

This is a *great deal* and get it before it's gone.

Order before December 21st for \$18.

That is a steal for a year's worth of memories! Prices go
up on December 22nd to \$25.

Don't miss out on the early bird discount!



Annual Sign Up Packet

Annual Sign Up Packet is live!

Each school year PTA memberships need to be
renewed. If you haven't had the chance or if you're
new to our school, we invite you to join the NHE
PTA.



This packet also has easy ordering for additional items you may want such as yearbooks,
spirit wear, and donations.

[Click here](#) to be taken to the packet.

Movie Night - Oct. 5th

**Come and watch a
FREE movie at NHE
part of our
Family Fun Night Series
October 5th at 6:30pm**

Bring your blankets, pillows and low-to-the-ground
chairs to the NHE gymnasium and enjoy a watching
the movie Wonder for free.

For those of you that have not yet seen WONDER, it

is a story about a 5th grader with a facial difference. The movie has clear positive messages about choosing kindness, appreciating everyone for who they are (rather than what they look like), true friendship, empathy and perseverance.

Watch the Trailer



Wonder (2017 Movie)
Official Trailer -



We encourage all children to read the book before the movie!

"We are all Wonders" - RJ Palacio (Picture books for K-2)

"Wonder" - RJ Palacio (Novel for independent readers)

We are also encouraging those who attend the movie night to demonstrate kindness and empathy by donating to ***Sophia Way***, a not-for-profit organization that houses homeless women in Bellevue.

Sophia Way provides both nightly beds, showers and meals as well as transitional housing assisting women seeking a permanent housing solution for women in Bellevue. They are seeking items such as

- women clothing (underwear, socks, leggings, sweaters, tennis shoes either new or lightly used)
- small sized toiletries
- canned food
- kitchen supplies

See the full list at: <https://sophiaway.org/shelter-needs/>

Sophia Way also appreciate donations of time and meals, please see their website if you or your family would like to get involved: <https://sophiaway.org>.

All children who donate to the charity at the movie night will be entered into the raffle to win a prize which will be drawn at the conclusion of the movie. If you are unable to attend the movie night but would still like to donate there will be a collection box outside the office every day next week (1-5 October) before and after school.

This is NOT A DROP OFF event. An adult MUST stay to supervise their own children.

- Free popcorn and snacks will be provided by the PTA.

See you there!

****Please note the date change from the PTA calendar****

From: November 2nd

To: October 5th

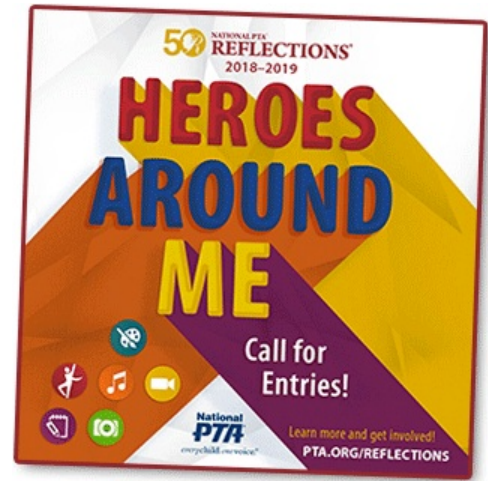
Reflections Art Program

Calling all artists!

Explore the Arts and Express Yourself

For 50 years, the PTA's Reflections program has helped students explore their own thoughts, feelings and ideas, develop artistic literacy, increase confidence and find a love for learning that will help them become more successful in school and in life.

Each year, hundreds of thousands of students in Pre-K through Grade 12 create and submit original works of art in one or all of the available arts categories.



Arts Categories

- Dance Choreography
- Film
- Literature
- Music
- Photography
- Visual Arts

For more information, please view this video clip



2019 Reflections Call for Entries

Or visit [PTA.org/Reflections](https://www.pta.org/Reflections)

The NHE PTA will accept entries beginning October 1, 2018

Volunteer Opportunities

**Director of Communications
Needed for PTA Board**



This position is over the communications vertical. Within this vertical are the following Chair positions each done by other volunteers: Social Media, Newsletters, NHE PTA Website, Classroom Liaisons, Legislation, Phone Directory, Nominating Committee, Family and Community Engagement and Awards

This is a Board Member position on the Newport Heights PTA, oversee all aspects of PTA communication. 10 hours per month time commitment. Monthly board meeting attendance required (held 7pm-8:30pm @ NHE). 3 times a year a General Membership meeting held in conjunction with the board meeting.



Fall & Spring Fundraiser Committee Members Needed for Oct & April

Fall is the Read-Athon at NHE

Work on a committee team who works with NHE Administration to plan the details. Dates are already selected for October.

Spring is the NHE Auction

This event is held every other year. The Chairperson Committee position is made of a group of people, sharing the workload. Decide on the venue, theme, and details of the evening. If you've wanted to be an event planner, this is a great opportunity. Lend your skills, gain knowledge & experience, all while helping NHE.

Please *express your interest* in any of these above opportunities by sending an email to: President@nhe-pta.org

Library Helpers Needed for NHE Library

Once per week on your designated 40 minute time slot.

This is such a fun way to help in the library with your students class. There are a few spots still open, if one matches with your students class, it's your lucky day!

Open Spots:

Tuesdays:
12:25-1:05pm - Ms. Whitfield

Wednesdays:
8:10-8:30am - Ms. Butler
8:30-8:50am - Ms. Unck
8:50-9:10am - Ms. Davis

Fridays:
11:05 - 11:45am - D. Anderson

Contact Katy Trentham at katytrentham@yahoo.com to express your interest

Fundraising for Newport Heights PTA

Bring in your BoxTops and drop off in
groups of 50
The basket is located inside the main office.



To make it even easier for you, here are some new collection sheets to use. [Click Here to download and print the sheets](#)



Support NHE while you shop!

When you shop on Amazon, remember to use the Newport Heights portal. Our school gets a portion of the money you spend. This is the link to our page: [Click Here](#)

After School News



Local Programs, Sports, and Events

Do you have a 3rd or 4th grade girl that loves to play basketball?

The Newport Girls Basketball Association (NGBA) is happy to announce the upcoming

season for NEWPORT GIRLS SELECT BASKETBALL. NGBA is designed for girls who are ready to move beyond casual recreation league play into a more competitive environment. NGBA emphasizes solid basketball fundamentals, strong teamwork, superior coaching and topflight competition as a means of honing a girl's individual skills and building confidence. For more information, check us out on Facebook or at <http://NGBA.team>.

If you have a 3rd or 4th grade girl that is interested in trying out, please email us at info@ngba.team (other grade level teams have already formed and do not have openings).

UPDATED WEEKLY:

There are many programs, community, and special events as well as classes offered in our area by various organization. **These are NOT held at nor sponsored by NHE.** To help keep you informed, we have the flyers in one location on the PTA website for you to get more information.

Foster Care Parenting / Boys & Girls Club - they offer various sports, activities, and facilities rentals / Lacrosse / Music / Reading / Golf / Theater / Swimming / Math / Karate / Piano / TaeKwonDo / STEAM learning / Wrestling/ Adult Volunteer Work Opps & Free classes / Basketball

[ALL FLYERS CAN BE FOUND HERE](#)

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