



The Chatfield School

May 14, 2018

Bi-Monthly Newsletter



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From the Desk of the Directors

Special Thanks!

We would like to extend a most heartfelt thank you to everyone that helped make the Betty McCauley celebration of life a beautiful event. Thank you for volunteering your time and for showing such support. Thank you!

Olympics is Coming!

All Hands on Deck! We need lots and lots of helpers to make the Olympics 2018 a great success! We will need parent/family volunteers to run Olympic stations. We will need volunteers to set up and decorate food tables, serve food, and run clean up. Every family is asked to provide items for our Olympic food tables. This is a special day and with your help and participation we can make it fantastic!

Upcoming Events

Please keep these special dates in mind; the end of the year is very busy. We hope you can make it to these events:

Friday, June 8 Olympics XXI

Tuesday, June 12 9:00am
6:30pm

Wednesday, June 13 8:20am
10:30am

K-5 Pride Day Honor's Assembly

Middle School Evening of Pride

8th Grade Farewell Breakfast (by invitation)

All School Assembly: 8th Grade Farewell

Reading All Summer Long

We are proud to be partnering with the Lapeer District Library to provide a Meet Up, Eat Up, and Read Up event each Wednesday this summer. The program is open to all students and there will be a special reading program for students in grade k-5 and 6-8 that includes a book exchange and fun engaging activities. Please plan to participate. See the flyers in this newsletter.

Focus on Learning!

With late spring evenings and warmer temperatures, it can be easy to fall out of academic routines. It is important for parents and students to keep academic expectations high. Maintain expectations for quality homework, silent reading, and continued practice of math facts and skills.

Matt Young and Bill Kraly, Co-Directors

NOT RETURNING TO CHATFIELD

If your family is not planning to return to Chatfield in the fall, please contact the office and let us know as soon as possible. This allows us to offer enrollment opportunities to other families. Thank you!



Donuts with Dad

In honor of Chatfield Dads, please join us for "Donuts with Dad", June 7th at 7:30 a.m. in the Gym.



LUNCH BALANCES

If your child/children purchase hot lunch/milk, please check your lunch balance. We are coming to the end of the school year and we need to have all negative balances paid in full. If you have a positive balance at the end of the school year, it can be carried over to next year. Payments can be made online or at school.



DAYCARE BALANCES

If your child/children participate in the Before/After School Child Care program, please check your balance. We are coming to the end of the school year and we need to have all negative balances paid in full. Please see Jodi Smith for balance details!

SPORTS PHYSICAL NIGHT

Thursday, May 17th 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Chatfield Middle School Wing

Cost: \$10

Open to any student from any school requiring a physical evaluation for the 2018-2019 school year. Family physicians (one male and one female) will be on site to perform the necessary evaluations (including eye exam and blood pressure). The entire cost of the physical evaluation will be donated to The Chatfield Athletic Department.

DRESS CODE REMINDER

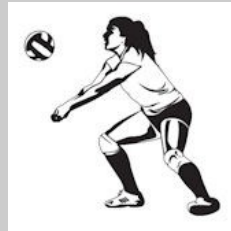
While many people wear flip flops at this time of year, we do not recommend wearing flip flops to school because they do not provide the support or the safety of a quality shoe. Please keep this in mind when choosing shoes for the school day. Flip flops should be kept at home.



CHATFIELD SPORTS SUMMER CAMPS

Chatfield School will be providing sports summer camps beginning in June. Basketball, Archery, Volleyball and Disc Golf will be offered.

Please see the flyer attached to this newsletter for complete information and registration form.



CHATFIELD BOOK FAIR

Buy One, Get One Free!!! The BOGO book fair is coming to Chatfield on May 29th. The fair will run through June 1st. This is a perfect opportunity to double your dollars and stock up on books for your children's summer reading! See the flyer attached to this newsletter for detailed information.



NJHS NEWS

On April 12th, 30 new members were formally inducted into Chatfield NJHS. In a formal ceremony, each inductee pledged to maintain and encourage the high standards of the NJHS; Scholarship, Service, Leadership, Citizenship and Character.

Congratulations to

Carter Baese
Delaney Brennan
Oaklee Callans
Kennedy Haworth
Aiden Huestis
Amelia Musgrave
Ramsey Kress
Cooper Lynch
Katelyn Halas
Josie Lanza
Daniel Reger
Oscar Brownfield
Brady Byrnes
Tyler Elges
Carley Hoover
Aiden Muir
Ashlynn Sutton
Marissa Babcock
Trenton Bierbusse
Garet Carpenter
Lilly Young
Ella Dumas
Kendal Prouty
Kamryn Kerbyson
Reese Daugherty
Jakeob Walenski
Seth Kipp
Boon Hunt
Kennedy Thompson
Victor Brownrigg

CAMP LAEL SUMMER CAMPS

Camp LAEL will be offering summer camps during the months of July and August.

Special Needs Camp-July 1-4
Family Camp Weekend-July 6-8
Introductory Camp-July 8-11
Junior High Camp-July 15-20
Kids Camp Weekend-July 20-22
Senior High Camp-July 29-August 3
5th & 6th Grade Camp-August 5-10

Please visit www.camplael.com to register!



BEE CLUB

Bee Club began on Tuesday May 8, 2018 in the Willows. We meet from 3:35-4:30. Club members will engage in hive maintenance and activities related to the natural and cultural history of the amazing honey bee. Each week will feature a special treat made with our own Chatfield honey! Bee club is free and open to all 3rd-8th grade students. Bee club will run five weeks. Questions can be directed to staff advisors Mrs. Wilcox and Peter.





Dear Parent Partners,

Summertime is a time to **play**, to **read**, to **enjoy life**.

The Buy One, Get One Free Book Fair (BOGO) May 29, 30, 31, and June 1, is a great place to let children choose the books they would enjoy reading. Please plan on visiting the book fair to check out the selection.

Stories play an important role in the growth and development of children. The books they read and the characters they get to know can be like friends.

Numerous studies indicate that students who don't read or read infrequently during their summer vacation see their reading abilities stagnate or decline.

- Many believe that encouraging your child to continue flexing his or her reading muscles over summer vacation is the single most important thing you can do to help develop literacy learning.

BOGO Book Fair Hours

8:15 - 4:30	Tuesday, and Wednesday, May 29, 30
8:15 - 6:00	Thursday, May 31
8:15 - 11:30	Friday, June 1

Book Fair Volunteer Helpers Wanted

_____ I will help students find books.	_____
	Name Phone
_____ I will help students count their money.	_____
	Name Phone

You will be contacted for time you are available.

Sports Physical Night

@ The Chatfield School

May 17th

6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Cost: \$10

**STUDENTS FROM ANY SCHOOL NEEDING A SPORTS PHYSICAL
TO PARTICIPATE IN ATHLETICS FOR THE 2018-2019 SCHOOL
YEAR ARE WELCOME.**



All costs of sports physicals this night will be donated to the Chatfield Athletic Department by the physicians. Contact Keith Verellen, Chatfield Athletic Director, at 538-1733 for more details.

2018 Chatfield Sports Summer Camps



Basketball (Entering Grades 1-8)

6/18-6/21

***\$50**

Archery (Entering Grades 3-8)

6/18-6/21

***\$50**

Volleyball (Entering Grades 3-8)

6/25-6/28

***\$50**

Disc Golf (Entering Grades 3-8)

6/25-6/28

***\$50**

**All registrations postmarked on 6/12 or after in addition to any on-site registrations the day of the camp will be charged an additional \$10 late fee. No refunds will be given when within one week of camp.*

Basketball - Grades 1-2 (2:00-3:30); Grades 3-4 (3:30-5:00); Grades 5-8 (5:00-6:30)

Archery - Grades 3-8 (6:30-8:00)

Disc Golf - Grades 3-8 (2:00-3:30)

Volleyball - Grades 3-4 (4:00-5:30); Grades 5-8 (6:00-7:30)

Please complete the portion below for each camp. Place total amount paid below and make check payable to "The Chatfield School." Completed summer camp forms and payments can be returned to The Chatfield School (in the main office) at 231 Lake Drive, Lapeer 48446.

For more information on "Chatfield Summer Camps" being offered, contact Keith Verellen, Chatfield Summer Camp Coordinator (at 810-417-1032 or kverellen@chatfieldschool.org).

-----Cut Here and Return by June 12th-----

2018 Chatfield Sports Summer Camps

Basketball	Circle ONE: Grade 1-2 Grade 3-4 Grade 5-8								\$
Archery	Grade 3-8								\$
Volleyball	Circle ONE:		Grade 3-4			Grade 5-8			\$
Disc Golf	Grade 3-8								\$
<i>Shirt Size (Circle ONE)</i>	YS	YM	YL	AS	AM	AL	XL	XXL	Total Fees: \$

Participant's Name:	2018-2019 Grade:
Address:	City: Phone:
Email:	Parent(s):
Emergency Contact:	Emergency Phone:

2018 Chatfield Flag Football Cheerleading

Girls in Grades 4-5



Please complete the bottom portion of the form and return payment of \$45 (with checks made payable to The Chatfield School) to Mr. Verellen no later than Monday, June 18th.

There will be a FREE flag football (and cheer clinic) at Chatfield on Saturday, August 4th from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. hosted by the Lapeer County Flag Football League. Please place this event on your calendar to attend if the participant is interested in learning the skills and cheers necessary to be successful.

All student-athletes participating in athletics at Chatfield will be required to have a sports physical on file for the 2018-2019 school year. Sports physicals will be hosted at Chatfield on Thursday, May 17th from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. as well as another in late July/early August. The cost for a sports physical is \$10 with 100% of the proceeds being donated back to the athletic department by the physicians volunteering their services.

The first day of practice will be on Monday, August 28th with the time TBD by Coach Kress. Once games begin, practices will be right after school (at 3:45 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.) and on Mondays and Wednesdays. All participants will receive a hooded sweatshirt (which is included in the cost for the cheer season). The Chatfield Athletic Department will also provide each girl a "school-issued cheer uniform" for the season which needs to be returned at the completion of the flag football and cheer season. In addition, each girl will receive a hair bow and spank as part of their uniform that will be theirs to keep at the end of the cheer season.

Please contact Mr. Verellen via email or by phone (538-1733) for more information regarding this sport.

-----Please complete below and return to Mr. Verellen by 6/18/18-----

2018 Chatfield Flag Football Cheerleading

Girls Grades 4-5

Name:	2018-2019 Grade:	
Parent(s):	Phone:	
Email Address:		
Are you interested in working the down markers (Chain Gang) during home games?	YES	NO
Are you interested in working the home concession stand during the games (4:15-6:30 p.m.)?	YES	NO
Hooded Sweatshirt Size: YM YL AS AM AL AXL	Check #:	

2018 Chatfield Flag Football

Boys & Girls in Grades 4-5



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All flag football games begin at 4:30 p.m. (on Tuesdays/Thursdays) in September and October. The LCFFL Jamboree and Bachman Bowl will be played on Saturday, October 13th (with games beginning at 12:00 and the championship game at 6:30). All players will need white football (or baseball) pants without any stripes for the games during the season. Mouth guards will also be required for participation in the sport. If the participant doesn't have one, they will be provided "one" for the season by the athletic department.

Please contact Mr. Verellen via email or by phone (538-1733) for more information about this sport.

-----Please complete below portion and return to Mr. Verellen by 6/18/18-----

2018 Chatfield Flag Football

Boys & Girls Grades 4-5

Name:	2018-2019 Grade:						
Parent(s):	Phone:						
Email:							
Are you interested in being a coach for the team this next season?	YES		NO				
Are you interested in working the down markers (Chain Gang) during home games?	YES		NO				
Are you interested in working the home concession stand during the games (4:15-6:30)?	YES		NO				
Game Jersey Size:	YM	YL	AS	AM	AL	AXL	Check #:

2018 Chatfield Volleyball

Grades 5 - 8



First Practice: August 20th Grade 5/6: 5:00 - 6:30 p.m. Grade 7/8: 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.

Practices are 8/20-8/24 (See Above Times); 8/27-8/30, 9/4-9/7, 9/10-10/29 (5/6 - 6:00-7:30; 7/8 - 7:15-8:45 p.m.)

Practices generally run Monday through Thursday when there isn't a match scheduled during the season.

Volleyball Sport Fee: \$45

Each player will be provided a school-issued game jersey to wear for all matches. These items will be collected by Mr. Verellen (Athletic Director) after the season is complete. Knee pads and black shorts or spandex are required.

Every student-athlete is required to have a sports physical completed prior to beginning practices (on August 20th) for the upcoming volleyball season. The completed physical form will be kept on file for the 2018-2019 school year. There is a "Sports Physical Night" at Chatfield on May 17th (6:00-8:00 p.m.) for any student-athlete needing a sports physical for the 2018-2019 school year. Cost of the examination is \$10 and 100% of fees will be donated back to The Chatfield Athletic Department.

Please see (or contact) Mr. Verellen (538-1733 or kverellen@chatfieldschool.org) for more information about the upcoming volleyball season (that runs from August through October).

Complete the bottom portion and return with a check for \$45 made payable to "The Chatfield School" in an envelope to the school's main office by Monday, June 18th.

-----Detach Here, Attach Payment & Return By June 18th-----

2018 Chatfield Volleyball

Grades 5 - 8

Name:	2018-2019 Grade:	
Parent(s):	Phone:	
Email Address:		
Are you interested in keeping score on the scoreboard at home games?	YES	NO
Are you interested in "keeping" (scoring) book at matches for the team?	YES	NO
Are you interested in working the concession stand at home volleyball events?	YES	NO
T-Shirt Size: YM YL AS AM AL AXL XXL	Check #:	

Meet Up, Eat Up, READ Up

Meet Mrs. Jelneck in the Commons @ Chatfield for the book swap. We will have an assortment of books for you to take home and also encourage you to bring in any books that you are finished to contribute to "The Swap"



June 20 - Ecology

June 27 - Art

July 4- Enjoy the 4th!!

July 11 - Technology

July 18 - Character Ed

July 25 - Music

August 1 - Math

August 8 - Physical Ed

August 15 - Spanish

Every Wednesday

FREE LUNCH for
18 and younger

Adults are encouraged
to bring a sack lunch

10am-12pm

Meet Up, Eat Up, READ Up

*What: A book swap, K-5 read aloud and 6-8 genre based book club, lunch, and special activity open to the public!

*Who: Any family

*When: Wednesdays June 20-August 15 (No July 4)

*Where: Chatfield Commons (Middle School area)

*Why: To keep children reading over the summer and to come together for FUN!

*How: RSVP to cjelneck@chatfieldschool.org the Monday prior to each Wednesday Meet Up, Eat Up, READ Up, or fill out and return the form below by June 18th to Chatfield School.



Family Name:

Circle Dates Attending:

June 20 June 27 July 11 July 18
July 25 August 1 August 8 August 15

How many attending (18 and younger):

Contact email:

Contact phone number:

Chatfield School Weekly Events

Weeks of May 14th & May 21st, 2018

As of May 14th, 2018

Monday, May 14, 2018

Tuesday, May 15, 2018

Bee Club-Willows-3:35 p.m.
K-2 Mindfulness Club-Willows-3:40 p.m.
Crossfit-5th Grade Area-3:40 p.m.
Archery Club-Gym-6:00 p.m.

Wednesday, May 16, 2018

Chatfield Run Club-Lobby-3:45 p.m.
Cub Scout Den Meeting-Library-6:30 p.m.

Thursday, May 17, 2018

5th Grade People of the Revolution Museum-Gym
3-8th Grade Mindfulness Club-Willows-3:40 p.m.
Sports Physicals-M.S. area-6:00 p.m.
Spring Band Concert-Gym-6:30 p.m.
Cub Scouts-Wolf Den-Library-6:30 p.m.

Friday, May 18, 2018

8th Grade Field Study-Water Quality Summit
Pack Meeting-Commons-6:15 p.m.

Monday, May 21, 2018

Scout Round Up-Gym-6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, May 22, 2018

5th Grade Field Study-Greenfield Village-8:20 a.m.
Bee Club-Willows-3:35 p.m.
K-2 Mindfulness Club-Willows-3:40 p.m.
Crossfit-5th Grade Area-3:40 p.m.
Archery Club-Gym-6:00 p.m.

Wednesday, May 23, 2018

1st Grade Field Study-Safetyville-12:45 p.m.
Run Club-3:45 p.m.

Thursday, May 24, 2018

3-8th Grade Mindfulness Club-Willows-3:40 p.m.
Webelos I Den Meeting-Commons-6:00 p.m.
KG Play (Boyer)-Music Room-6:30 p.m.

Friday, May 25, 2018

NO SCHOOL-Memorial Day Weekend

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