



Little Bucks Bulletin

Nurturing Hearts, Developing Minds, Inspiring Dreams

May 2021

Ottawa Elementary School

109 Ottawa St
Buchanan, MI 49107

Ottawa Hours

Office hours:

Monday—Friday: 8:00am-4:30 pm
Saturday—Sunday: Closed

School hours:

Monday—Friday: 8:40-3:40 pm

Breakfast: Doors open @ 8:20 am

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Board of Education

All meetings begin at 6:00 pm

Upcoming Meeting:

May 17

See district website for additional information

MESSAGE FROM MRS. DENISON

Dear Families,

We are in the final stretch of the school year and it is so hard to believe.

As I said last month, this time of year brings our end of the year assessments, so the next few weeks are crucial for learning and practicing of skills. As spring sports are beginning, practices and games may alter your evening schedules. Please try to make sure your child stays on their bedtime schedule and has breakfast in the morning so they are ready to have their best day at school.

We are still accepting registrations for preschool and kindergarten. Packets are still available in our office.

Thank you for your support, patience, and partnering with us! We love our Little Bucks!

Stacey Denison, Principal

Next PTO Virtual Meeting

May 4th @ 6:30

Election of Officers for 2021/22 School Year

meet.google.com/tch-pcnw-pvi

Phone Number

1-262-732-3157

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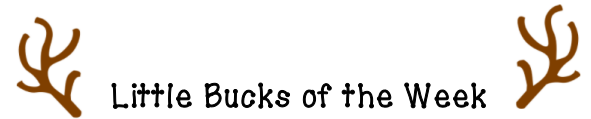
Join our Ottawa PTO Facebook Page!

If you are interested in running for an officer position, please contact Stacey Denison, Principal by May 3rd.

Schedule of Events

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- 3-7 Staff Appreciation Week!
- 4 Virtual PTO Meeting 6:30 (see link below)
- 9 Celebrate Mother's Day
- 10-21 End of Year Assessments
- 17 Board of Education Meeting 6:00
- 25 Last Day GSRP Preschool
- 27 Kickstart to Career Deposit Day
- 31 NO SCHOOL— Memorial Day



Congratulations to our Little Bucks of the Week! Each student receives a certificate with their picture to take home!

Way to go Little Bucks!

Preschool: Camber V., Isabella P., Bonnie W., and Logan M.

Kindergarten: Liliana M., Duke G., Landon C., Gracie B., Elizabeth S., Sebastian W., Tiana B., Aleah H., Abigail M., and Hattie W.

First Grade: Kendall P., Darren A., Danica B., Eryk C., Emberleigh S., Jase B., Julia K., Allena S., Xavier R., and Reagan G.



The
BUCK 3

BE RESPECTFUL
BE RESPONSIBLE
BE SAFE

Remind your Little Buck to follow the Buck 3!

Our next Deposit Day
will be on
May 27, 2021

Bring your deposits on this day
in an envelope that is clearly
marked with your child's name
and account number and grade.



All students must wear masks while at school, even preschoolers. Please make sure your child brings a clean mask to school each day.

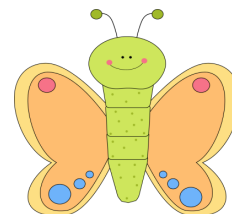


Follow us on Facebook at **Ottawa Elementary School** to see what we are learning and the fun that is happening daily!



May 3-7 is denoted as Teacher/Staff Appreciation Week. Take a moment to thank your teacher and our school staff to show your appreciation for all they do.

Have your child draw a picture, make a card, send a flower, or deliver a small sweet treat! Our staff works hard to give your Little Bucks the best each day! This is the week to show your appreciation!



End Of Year Assessments

End of year assessments will begin May 10th. K-1 students will be taking NWEA in math and reading, Delta Math, and DIBELS.

Teachers will communicate specific days their class will be testing NWEA/Delta.

Testing will be taking place from the 10th until the 21st.

Please make sure your child gets a good night's rest and has breakfast each morning. NWEA results will be shared out with end of the year report cards.

WE  **FEEDBACK!**

The Ottawa School Family works hard every day to make our school the best it can be. Please tell us how we're doing! To submit your feedback, please contact Stacey Denison by phone