

Dear South Bay Families,

Good morning! Please see the information below and attached, and please be reminded that this information is also posted in the “What’s New at South Bay?” section of our website.

**Weekly Wave April 12-16:**

<b>Mon, April 12</b>	<p><b>Happy Monday!</b></p> <p><b>NYS Testing Reminder:</b> Please be reminded that NYS 3-5<sup>th</sup> Grade ELA Exams are coming up on 4/19 for 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade, 4/21 for 4<sup>th</sup> Grade, and 4/26 for 5<sup>th</sup> Grade. Parents of 3<sup>rd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> graders, please make sure you have submitted your response on the NYS testing survey indicating if your child is planning to take this exam. We need to have a response from each in person and remote learning student in advance of the test, so that we can carefully plan for the logistics. Survey is linked here for your use.</p> <p><b>PTA Cans for Kindness (Offsite)</b> – Today and tomorrow PTA will be collecting used bottles and cans to gather funds for our community food pantry. Please see the attached flyer for information.</p> <p><b>PTA Flower Sale Orders Due Today!</b></p> <p><i>This week’s Wellness Challenge is.... Continue to enjoy nature this week and get some exercise...take a rainbow walk! Go on a walk outside this week and look for something for each color of the rainbow! If you’d like, share pictures of your rainbow walk with Mrs. Cotter to share on twitter by emailing to <a href="mailto:ccotter@wbschools.org">ccotter@wbschools.org</a></i></p>
<b>Tues, April 13</b>	<p><b>April Family Calendar</b> – Please see the attached updated calendar. You’ll note two updates:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The NYS Exam dates are modified, as we will only need 4/19, 4/21, and 4/26 for test administration.</li><li>• The Title 1 Meeting that was originally scheduled for this Thursday, April 15<sup>th</sup>, is being rescheduled to a date in May.</li></ul> <p><b>PTA Cans for Kindness (Offsite)</b> – Cans for Kindness continues today offsite.</p> <p><b>Board of Education Meeting, 7 p.m.</b></p>
<b>Wed, April 14</b>	<p><b>SB PTA Toiletry Drive</b> – This week we will be doing a toiletry drive for families in need in our community. Please bring in new and wrapped toiletries to donate. Bins will be placed at all the arrival entrances as well as at walker dismissal. Please see attached flyer.</p>
<b>Thurs, April 15</b>	<b>Happy Thursday!</b>

<b>Fri, April 16</b>	<b>Happy Friday!</b>
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Have a wonderful week ahead!

With Warmest Regards,

Christina Cotter

Principal

South Bay Elementary School