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 Orange Board of Education
 451 Lincoln Avenue
 Orange, NJ 07050
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October EVENTS

- Saturday, October 6, Pink-out Football Game, OHS vs. Barringer HS, 4:00 p.m. at Bell Stadium
- Monday, October 8, Columbus Day – District Closed
- Tuesday, October 9 – Orange Education Association Day, 2:30 p.m. dismissal
- Tuesday, October 9, Monthly Board of Education Meeting 7:00 p.m., Orange Preparatory Academy
- Saturday, October 13, Homecoming Football Game, OHS vs. Millburn, 1:00 p.m. at Bell Stadium
- Tuesday, October 16, Special Education PTO Meeting 6:30 p.m., Orange Board of Education, 451 Lincoln Avenue
- Tuesday, October 23, Professional Development, 12:30 p.m. dismissal for students

World Smile Day at Orange Preparatory Academy



Students and staff were all smiles at Orange Preparatory Academy for the school's 6th Annual World Smile Day event on October 5. As pupils, teachers, and visitors entered the lobby, many dressed in pink for the district's Pink-Out Day, they were greeted with smile stickers and asked to fill out a tag to wear that said "I am happy when. . ." Guests stopping by to greet and exchange smiles included the Honorable Mayor Dwayne D. Warren, Esq. and board member Ms. Rhoda Irodia. For the remainder of the day,

the student body and staff presented a smile sticker every time they were greeted with a smile or positive gesture. The school counselor and HIB coordinator, Mrs. Malika Berry (*pictured above center*) organized the event with a team of staff and students.



Pictured: World Smile Day at Orange Prep, including Mayor Warren, Ms. Irodia, students, staff and administrators.



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Back to School Night at Oakwood Avenue Community School

Oakwood Avenue Community School (OACS) Back to School Night provided a wealth of information for families about the school, its resources, staff, and student achievement. The detailed PowerPoint presentation was given by Principal Denise White, after the introduction of staff. There were remarks from the school nurse, Judith Powell, about the school's community garden and support from Montclair State University, remarks from friend to OACS, Police Director Todd Warren, the schools health clinic representative who informed families of the services they offer, Doug Farrand, who introduced the school's afterschool program El Sistema and Ericka Stevenson, the community school's site coordinator, who professed the benefits of a community school and introduced OACS's Attendance Initiative H.E.R.O. (Hear, Every Day, Ready, and On Time), to combat absenteeism and reward perfect attendance. Also, for parents, St. Matthew Church provided free backpacks and Boy's Scout Troop, hosed at the church provided information for parents.



Pictured: Scenes from OACS Back to School Night.

A Few Good Men at Oakwood Avenue Community School



On October 3, at Oakwood Avenue Community School, the Honorable Mayor Dwayne D. Warren, Esq. and representatives from "A Few Good Men" greeted children as they came to school. Later that morning, there was a discussion with students in Grades 5-7 regarding the "Week of Respect." The participating young men wore ties for the occasion.



Pictured: "A Few Good Men" at Oakwood Avenue Community School.

Scholars Academy Back to School Night

Detailing three separate programs housed at the school, Principal Karen Machuca, introduced staff for the preschool, the gifted and talented program, and special services classes. Parents received an overview of the school's requirements and celebrated students who attend Scholars and were winners in the district's summer reading challenge

Scholar's students from Park Avenue School, Jayden Moinvil, 5th grade, Lorena Calle, 3rd grade, and Tyler Merritt, 2nd grade, were recognized and crowned King, Queen, and Squire, respectively, for their summer reading. Also crowned squire was a Scholars Pre-K student Ryan Flemming-Basdeo.

Mrs. Machuca engaged parents in a demonstration that stressed the importance of attendance, she also pointed out school rules, district goals, and objectives and had the school nurse address the audience, before inviting parents to visit classroom teachers



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FYI

Preschool Registration for 2018-2019



The Orange Public School District Early Childhood Program has scheduled registration for the 2018-2019 school year for Tuesdays, October 9, 16 and 30, from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., with the last sign-in at 12:00 p.m., at the Orange Early Childhood Center (OECC), located at 397 Park Avenue in Orange.

The Orange Board of Education provides a full day preschool education for all three and four year old residents of Orange. There is no fee for the school day (8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.).

The registration requirements are:

- 3 or 4 years old by 10/01/18
- Must be resident of Orange Township
- Original Birth Certificate
- Child's Immunization Record
- Current Lease or Mortgage Statement (*Note: If you are living with a friend or relative, you must be included in their lease agreement. Notarized letters stating you rent a room/apartment/house will not be accepted.*)
- 2 Current Proofs of Residency (i.e. PSE&G bill, telephone or cable bill)
- Picture ID of the Parent

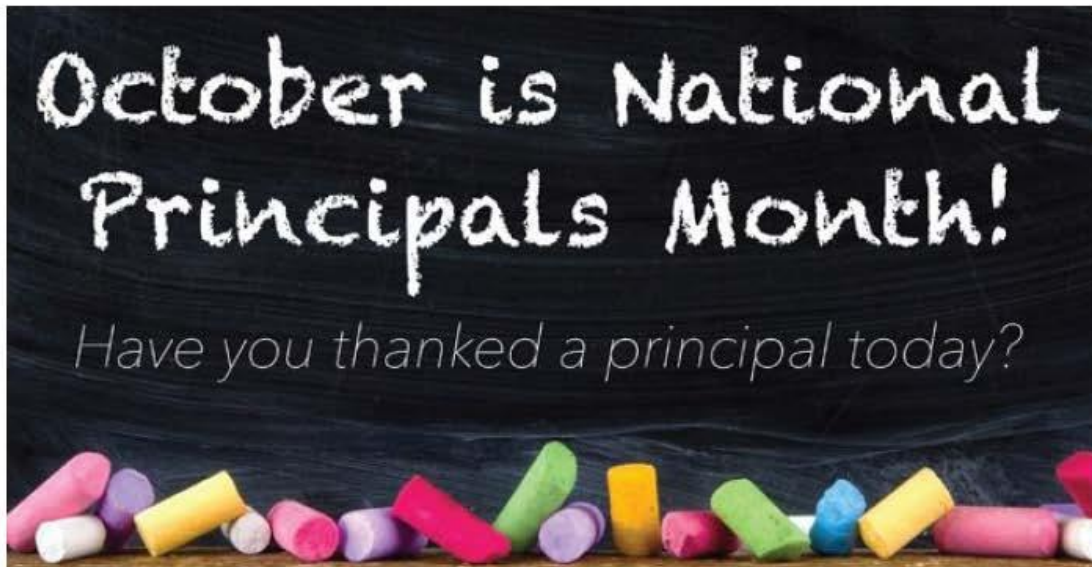
Additionally, the Orange Early Childhood Program includes all children regardless of abilities. If parents are concerned about how their preschool child is developing or learning differently, they can call the district to request an evaluation for preschool special education and related services.

For more information about preschool registration call 973-677-4000 ext. 1922. See flyers below for details.

October 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 National Breast Cancer Awareness Month	1  October 1 - 5, 2018	2	3 Oakwood Avenue Community School BOE Art Show 6-7PM	4	5 Pink-Out Dress Down Day - Dress down in pink: \$5 for staff/\$1 for students  World Smile Day 	6 Orange High Pink-Out Game  4PM at Bell Stadium Vs. Barringer HS
7	8 Columbus Day District Closed	9 OEA Day, 2:30PM Dismissal Monthly Board of Education Meeting, 7PM, Orange Prep Academy	10	11	12	13 Orange High Homecoming  1PM at Bell Stadium Vs. Millburn HS
14	15	16  Special Education PTO meeting, 6:30PM, Orange Board of Ed, 451 Lincoln Avenue	17	18	19	20
21	22	23 Professional Development, 12:30PM dismissal for students	24	25	26	27 Learn Bridge in a Day, 9:30AM-3:00PM, Park Avenue School
28	29	30	31  Halloween			

SEE IMPORTANT FLYERS BELOW
CHECK THE DISTRICT WEBSITE CALENDAR FOR CONCERTS AND ACTIVITIES.



National Principals Month is your opportunity to say "thank you" to principals everywhere and to share with the community all the great things that principals do.

*The key to student success is a great staff and school,
and the key to a great school is a great principal.*

#ThankAPrincipal today!



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American Contract
Bridge League

Whirlwind Bridge

Learn **Bridge in a Day**®



Saturday, October 27, from 9:30-3:30

Park Avenue School

LBIAD is a fast, fun way to learn the basics of bridge in a day!

National renowned instructor, Patty Tucker, from Atlanta, Georgia, will be personally teaching the class.

Proceeds will be used to help fund Park Avenue's Bridge Club trip to the National Bridge Tournament in Las Vegas, Nevada, in July 2019.

\$30 per person — includes lesson, bridge manual, breakfast, lunch, snacks, Tricky Tray, and door prizes.

Make check or money order payable to Park Avenue School and
mail to:
Park Avenue School
Attn: Dr. Denise Harlem, Bridge Instructor
231 Park Avenue
Orange, NJ 07050

Dr. Denise Harlem
Park Avenue School
973-677-4000, ext. 4052
harlemde@orange.k12.nj.us

Ms. Barbara Clark
Unit 140
Education Liaison
Orange Education Foundation

Registration Form:

Name: _____

Address: _____ City _____ State _____

Email: _____

Phone #: _____

Sponsored by
Orange Education Foundation and Park Avenue School Bridge Club

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 - No cellphone bills, please)
 - Picture ID

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DATES: October 2018

2nd, 9th, 16th, 30th

TIME- 10:00 a.m. to 1:00pm

Last sign in: 12:00 pm.

PLACE:

ORANGE EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

397 PARK AVE, ORANGE, NJ 07050

973-677-4000 ext. 1922

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IF YOU ARE CONCERNED YOUR PRESCHOOL CHILD IS DEVELOPING OR LEARNING DIFFERENTLY, YOU CAN CALL THE DISTRICT TO REQUEST AN EVALUATION FOR PRESCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION AND RELATED SERVICES.

REGISTRACIÓN PREESCOLAR 2018-2019

REQUISITOS:

3 AÑOS ANTES DE 10/01/18

4 AÑOS ANTES DE 10/01/18

DEBE SER RESIDENTE DEL MUNICIPIO DE ORANGE

PARTIDA DE NACIMIENTO ORIGINAL

EXPEDIENTE DE INMUNIZACIONES DEL NIÑO/NIÑA

DECLARACIÓN ACTUAL DEL ARRIENDO O DE LA HIPOTECA

Identificación de fotos

2 Pruebas de Residencia (recibo de PSE&G, teléfono o recibo del cable, NO CELLPHONE!) deben ser actual.

SI USTED ESTA VIVIENDO CON UN FAMILIAR O AMIGO TIENE QUE ESTAR INSCRITO EN EL CONTRATO DE ARRENDAMIENTO. NO SE ACEPTARA CARTAS NOTARIZADA.

FECHA: Octubre 2018

2,9,16, y 30

HORA: 10:00 am-1:00PM

Tiene que firmar antes de las 12:00PM

LUGAR: ORANGE EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

397 PARK AVE, ORANGE, NJ 07050

(973) 677-4000 ext 1922

El programa preescolar de Orange incluye a todos niños independientemente de sus habilidades

SI USTED ESTA PREOCUPADO POR QUE SU HIJO/HIJA ESTA DESARROLLANDO ALGUN PROBLEMA DE APRENDISAJE O APRENDIENDO DIFERENTE FAVOR DE CONTACTAR AL DEPARTAMENTO DE SERVICIOS ESPECIALES EN EL DISRITO.