

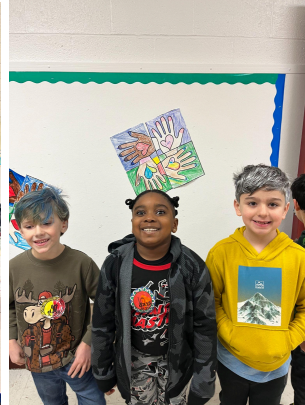
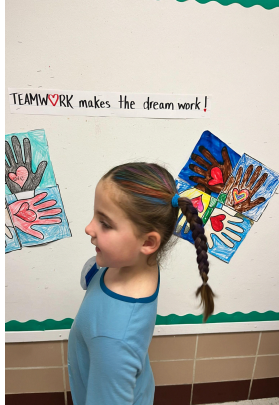


# OHS Family News



Dear OHS Families,

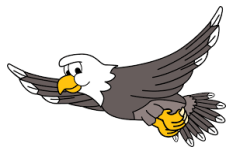
Crazy Hair Day was a hit at OHS!!



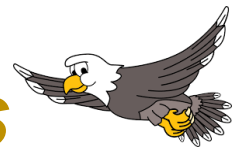
**Attention Pre K & Kindergarten Families:** [Sparkler Event](#) - Because of inclement weather the **SPARKLER ``Ring in the New Year''** Family Night was moved to **Tuesday, Jan. 30th** from 5:00pm-7:30pm at Pumpkin Delight School. Contact the MFRC today for registration information by calling Kathy or Judy at **203-783-3626**.

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## Important Dates:

- [Printable MPS full year calendar can be found here.](#)
- [OHS Spirit Days](#)
- Jan. 24th- Early Release for all students at 1:25pm
- Feb. 7th- Early Release for all students at 1:25pm

**Kindergarten Registration** The December assessment appointment window is closed for those families that have requested a waiver for their child to enter into Kindergarten for the 2024 - 2025 school year. If you requested a waiver, but did not have the opportunity to schedule a December appointment, you will receive a communication in the near future to make an appointment for the next Kindergarten Waiver assessment. The online Kindergarten registration will remain open, if you have not had the opportunity to register, please do so.


**Milford Resources for OHS Families** Please see [HERE](#) for more information.

- With the winter around the corner, please let us know if you are in need of:
  - winter coats, gloves, hats, boots etc
  - holiday gifts for your children
  - food for your holidays

If any of these resources can be helpful to your family, please feel free to privately email me: [ndapaz@milforded.org](mailto:ndapaz@milforded.org) or call : (203) 783-6684. We are here to help! Thank you, Ms. DaPaz

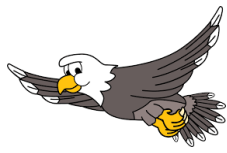
## OHS PTA Information

**OHS PTA Screen Free Week** starts on January 22nd. Please click [HERE](#) for more details or visit the OHS PTA facebook page.

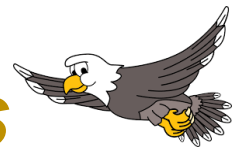
**STEM Camp**- Please see the flier for the PTA sponsored STEM Camp with our very own, Mrs. Tobin:  **IMG\_2618.jpg** There is a QR code on the flier to register.

**DANCE**- [PTA Sweetheart Dance](#) - Friday, Feb. 9th- more details to come.

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Registration link - <https://orchardhills.memberhub.com/store/items/977519>

Raffle items donations -

<https://m.signupgenius.com#!/showSignUp/9040C48ACAC2FA2FC1-raffle>

**PTA School Store-** The school store will be open on most Wednesdays from 8:20-8:40am. Here is a [flier](#) with details. Most items are between .25 cents and \$5.00 with the exception of the eagle squishmellows at \$11.00.

**5th Grade Families-** Attention 5th Grade OHS Families! Activities for our 5th graders are in full swing. If you would like to join the OHS PTA 5th Grade Committee and help out, email Rebecca at [rebeccaacohen@yahoo.com](mailto:rebeccaacohen@yahoo.com).

**OHS Spirit Days** Please see the document for the [OHS Spirit Days](#). This is a working document, so please check back as some dates may change or be added.

## Community Connection Center

This week's CCC News contains information and links for a mix of resources & fun activities. Among the community services you will find links for the CT FoodShare's Mobile Pantry, resources for income tax filing and two resources for how to be prepared in emergencies.

For Family fun you'll find information about LOWE's DIY program for kids and The Discovery Museum in Bridgeport.

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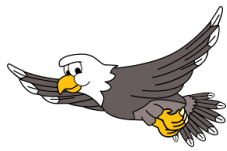
**Remember that the [CCC Website](#) is updated with links to community resources.**

To locate the **CCC's web page** go to [Milford's](#) main page and click on the Menu tab & scroll down under district Information to find the Community Connections Centers!

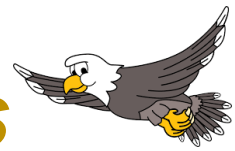
## **SEL Anchor Tool and Parent Companion Guide of the Month**

**Circle of Support** is an identification of people who can help you when needed and why they can help (to access help in difficult situations, to support one in being his/her best self, etc.).

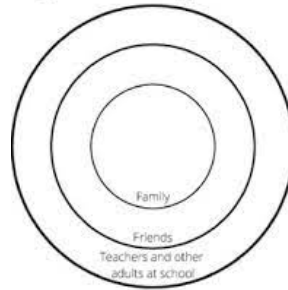
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## My Circles of Support



Click on the [link](#) to learn more about using the **Circle of Support** at home! Questions? Contact Mrs. Dickson via email: [mdickson@milforded.org](mailto:mdickson@milforded.org).



The **OHS Lost and Found** is growing, growing, growing! Please have your child(ren) check the lost and found if they are missing an article of clothing, water bottle, etc. All items will be donated by January 31st.

Warm Regards,  
Sarah Scionti  
Principal,  
Orchard Hills Elementary School



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