



# OHS Family News



Dear OHS Families,

*We had a wonderful week at OHS! Our students enjoyed shopping at the PTA Holiday Fair and attending the Winter Concert.*

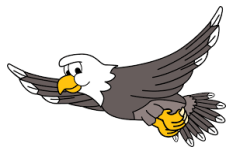


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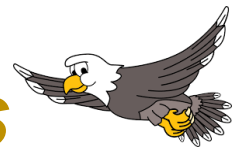
- Please see the information regarding our PTA's collaboration with Pantochino this school year: [PDF OHS Drama 2024.pdf](#)

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## Important Dates:

- [Printable MPS full year calendar can be found here.](#)
- [OHS Spirit Days](#)
- Friday, December 22nd- full day of school
- Monday, December 25th- January 1st- Winter Break (School resumes on Jan. 2nd)

## Milford Health Department Program

The Milford Health Department is asking families to complete a survey regarding an Oral Health Services program in the elementary schools to provide access to oral health screenings and cleanings for children K-5. [Please complete this survey:](#)

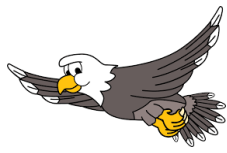
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/PVS7CDW>

**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.

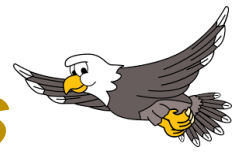
**Milford Resources for OHS Families** please see [HERE](#) for more information.

- With the winter and holidays 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


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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


-  [fall food resource guide 10-2023.pdf](#)

## OHS PTA Information

**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.

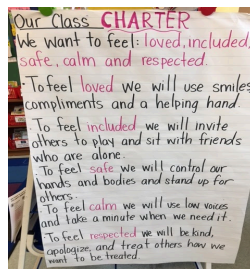
**5th Grade Families-** Attention 5th Grade OHS Families! Activities for our 5th graders are in full swing. If you would like to join the OHS PTA 5th Grade Committee and help out, email Rebecca at [rebeccaacohen@yahoo.com](mailto:rebeccaacohen@yahoo.com).

**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 seasonal activities. Among the community services you will find links for the CT FoodShare Mobile Pantry, ADAMS House and Free Apps from the Red Cross. For Family fun check out the passes from the Milford Public Library to museums and other attractions in Connecticut. Need to find something for the winter break visit The Connecticut Audubon Society to learn about their programs. Remember that the [CCC Website](#) is updated with links to community resources.

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

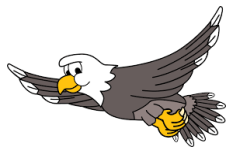
A **Charter** represents agreed-upon norms for how everyone wants to feel, what everyone needs to do to feel that way consistently, and how to handle conflict & unwanted feelings.



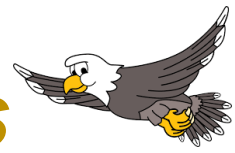
Click on the [link](#) to learn more about using a **Charter** at home! Questions? Contact Mrs. Dickson via email: [mdickson@milforded.org](mailto:mdickson@milforded.org).

Warm Regards,  
Sarah Scionti

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