

Oak Chan Elementary



Principal's Weekly Message
April 30, 2021

Good Day OC Families!

Highlights:

Our last PTO meeting of the year is just around the corner. I heartfelt thank you to our outgoing Board Members, Avi Shalom, Kathy Wright, Ricky O'Neal, and Lindsay Pangburn. Always positive, professional, caring, supportive, creative, and energetic, Kim Jones, our outgoing President, has done a phenomenal job. The OC Community will forever be grateful for your hard work and contributions.

I hope everyone has a wonderful time at the PTO sponsored, "Game Night." This special event would not be possible without the hard work of Jen Rucker and Jenni Wise. We are also very grateful for your donations; Oak Chan is always well supported by our families and local businesses.

District Updates Please [CLICK HERE](#) to see the most recent update from the district.

Weekly SKORR Challenge: The SKORR challenge for the week of May 3rd is to tell reflect about yourself by completing "[Mirror, Mirror](#)" Click [here](#) for the activity.

Social Emotional Learning (SEL) Food for Thought

Home Activities that Promote SEL

1. Play Board Games and Sports
2. Go on a mindful walk outside
3. Practice coping skills like mindful breathing
4. Talk about characters' feelings in a movie
5. Write a self-compliment list
6. Start an acts of kindness challenge
7. Read picture books
8. Yes conversation starters to share ideas
9. Play games like "I Spy" and "Simon Says"
10. Organize an area of the house together
11. Practice mindful coloring
12. Write in a daily journal or diary

On the Horizon:

Tonight! PTO Virtual Game Show Night Friday, April 30, from 6-7:30pm
May 26th Kindergarten Drive Through Promotion (More info to follow)
May 27th 5th Grade Drive Through Promotion (More info to follow)

Keep tracking your child's Reading and Math Fact practice minutes. The Principal's PRC and PMC are underway! [Challenges](#)

Stay Connected! Bookmark our [website](#) - which we update often, and follow us on our **Oak Chan PTO** [Facebook](#) page. Visit [MrsBahrysOffice](#) Take your 'mouse' and wherever the 'hand' lands on a picture, such as the Squirrel, click and you will find something fun.

And stay strong by focusing on *Relationships, Routines, and Resilience.*

*"We don't stop playing because we grow old.
We grow old because we stop playing." ~B. Shaw*

As always, please call or email us if there is anything you need.

Sincerely,

Principal Bahry