

TODAY'S MAPLE NEWS

Main Office 847-400-8900 Health Office/Attendance Line 847-400-8908

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Monday, February 18:

- *Presidents' Day - School in Session*

Tuesday, February 19:

Wednesday, February 20:

- *PTO Special Lunch*
- *Ellin Keene Presentation 7:00 pm*

Thursday, February 21:

- *Music Assembly 8:45 - 9:45 am*

Friday, February 22:

Yearbook club is rescheduled, our next meeting will be Thursday, February 21, 2019.

ATTENTION PARENTS AND STUDENTS:



Please check the lost and found tables for lunch boxes left behind. **FOR THE REST OF THIS YEAR, ALL LUNCH BOXES WILL BE DISCARDED AT THE END OF EVERY FRIDAY.**

Click on this link to see flyers from around the community.

[**virtual-backpack**](#)

SNOW/COLD DAY YEAR-END UPDATE FEBRUARY 15, 2019

...For Now

Thank you for your continued flexibility and support as we navigate another Chicago winter. I would like to share a few facts and changes regarding the end of this school year, knowing that the following information could change at any time.

- **Tuesday, May 28:** Eighth-grade graduation scheduled at Glenbrook South High School and the last day of attendance for eighth-graders
- **Thursday, May 30:** Maple's last day of student attendance because Maple's construction project requires District 30 to prepare for and maintain the demolition date of June 5 for the existing Maple School
- **Friday, May 31:** Wescott and Willowbrook's last day of student attendance with closing ceremonies at the end of a full day of school
- **Tuesday, June 4:** Last day for staff attendance

All public schools in Illinois are required to have 176 student-attendance days.

- If our elementary students are in attendance without our middle school students, the day still counts as an attendance day
- Friday, May 31 represents District 30's 177th student-attendance day
- Our early-release School Improvement Days count as attendance days

As it is only February 15 with more winter ahead of us, please realize that the ending dates at our elementary schools could continue to shift. The middle school schedule is expected to remain as outlined above.

Dr. Brian K. Wegley
Superintendent of Schools

SUMMER SCHOOL REGISTRATION FOR DISTRICT 30 WILL BE OPEN AT 10:00 AM ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2019

Before February 18th, please consider the following:

- If you registered last year, you may check your username/password by logging into last year's event (please see separate email for instructions).
- If this is your first time registering, you will be prompted to set a password after you have made class selections. It is not necessary to have a username/password in advance.
- Use Safari or Firefox as your browser when registering.
- The registration link will appear on the at **D30 Summer School website** 10:00 am



Please keep in mind:

- There are hundreds of families trying to register at the same time.
- We try our very best to make sure that every child/family gets their ideal summer school schedule.
- There are now additional course fees for cooking, art, and babysitting classes.
- Be prepared with second choice options, should courses fill up quickly (sometimes in seconds!).
- You will need an access code in order to add Navigate, ESY, or Band classes to your child's registration.
- *Optional* field trip & before-care add-on's can be found after the block D classes.
- If a course does not have enough registrants, it has the potential to close (you will be notified via email if this happens).
- Should your summer plans change after registration, cancellation fees do apply.

Finally, if on Monday you are having trouble, first register your child's name and grade without making any class selections, then call the number below - we can only help add classes if your child's info is in RegOnline first.

We are so excited to have you join us for another wonderful summer program!

Please feel free to reach out for assistance by emailing: **summerschool@district30.org** or by calling: 847-400-8931 ... **Help will be available from 9:00 - 3:00 pm on February 18th.**

Best ,

Ashley Grosshuesch , Summer School Asst. Principal

Eleni Lamson , Summer School Principal

WHAT IF I NEED TO TAKE MY STUDENT OUT OF SCHOOL FOR AN APPOINTMENT?

Notify the health office at 847-400-8908 no later than the "morning of the planned appointment" about this appointment in one of three ways:

1. Have your student bring a note from a parent to the health office before school starts at 8:30 am. It would be helpful to include in the note the reason the student will be out of school, what time the student is to be picked up in the main office for sign out for the appointment, and if the student is expected to return to school that day.
2. Call the nurse directly before 9:00 am with all of the above information.
3. Leave a message on the health office answering machine. Leave the detailed message at any time after 3:30 pm and before 8:30 am. An authorized adult must come into the school or attendance office to sign out a student. No children are allowed to leave the building unescorted.

MUSICAL TICKET SALES

Tickets for the Spring Musical **Annie** will be sold on Thursday, February 28 and Friday, March 1, from 4:00 - 5:30 pm near the East Gym. If you are unable to purchase tickets in person, please email Debbie Hickey at dhickey@district30.com. Tickets for assigned floor seats cost \$10 and bleacher seats for students/open seating cost \$5 each. When requesting seats, please include the date of the show you want to attend. Checks should be made out to Maple School and sent to Debbie Hickey's attention.



GLENBROOK SOUTH INTERACT CLUB BOOK DRIVE

We need your help! Starting this week through Tuesday, March 5, Glenbrook South Interact Club will be holding a book drive to collect new or gently used books that you may no longer want or need. There will be designated donation boxes placed outside room 101, and outside room 113 on the table. Your help is greatly appreciated!



MAPLE WINNERS OF THE SCRATCH OFF PLAYGROUND FUNDRAISER

Sebastian Mark, J.J. Oshinowo, Zach Schimel, Molly Becker, Dylan Hartbarger, Michael Falk, Becca Servedio, Judy Marsh and Carson Schimel. Thank you EVERYONE for your support to build a new playground where everyone can play.

MAPLE CELEBRATION AND GRADUATION DATES CONFIRMED

- Parents, please mark your calendar for the following items:
- Wednesday, May 22, Graduation Party 6:30 - 8:30 pm at the Renaissance Hotel, Northbrook.
- Thursday, May 23, Maple Closing Ceremony, 2:00 - 3:30 pm
- Thursday, May 23, Maple Open House, 6:30 - 8:00 pm
- Friday, May 24, Graduation Practice, 8:30 - 11:30 am at Maple
- Tuesday, May 28, Graduation Practice, 8:30 - 11:30 am at GBS
- Tuesday, May 28, Graduation Ceremony, 7:00 pm at GBS

AN EVENING WITH CHILD LITERACY EXPERT ELLIN KEENE

District 30 residents are invited to attend a special workshop titled, "Creating a Reading Life: How to Engage Your Child in Reading at Home", with international literacy expert, **Ellin Keene at 7:00 pm, Wednesday, February 20, in Maple School's library media center.**



Ms. Keene has been a classroom teacher, staff developer, non-profit director, and adjunct professor of reading and writing. She works with schools and districts throughout the country and abroad with an emphasis on long-term, school-based professional development and strategic planning for literacy learning. Ellin serves as senior advisor at Heinemann, overseeing the Heinemann Fellows initiative and is the editor of the Heinemann Professional Development Catalog-Journal. For more information on Ms. Keene, go to heinemann.com

On the evening of February 20, she will present valuable information about strategies for improving student literacy, addressing concerns parents have about how much their child should be reading, who should be choosing reading material, what to do if a child isn't engaged in reading, and how to ignite the drive for deeper learning. Following the presentation, there will also be a question-and-answer period.

Please RSVP for this event at [Ellin Keene Registration Form](#)

**PLEASE JOIN
DISTRICT 34
FOR THE NEXT
PARENT
EDUCATIONAL
OPPORTUNITY**

D34 Parent Connect PRESENTS:
A "SNAPCHAT" FOR PARENTS:
 PARENTING CHILDREN & ADOLESCENTS IN A DIGITAL ERA

Instagram Facebook Snapchat Twitter

RESCHEDULED
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27
7 - 8:30 PM
 Attea Middle School
 2500 Chestnut Ave

Spanish Translation Available

D34 Parent Connect is a parent education initiative that provides ongoing opportunities for parents to learn and connect. It is a partnership between District 34 and the Family Service Center (FSC)
glenview34.org/d34-parentconnect

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN FOR THE 19th ANNUAL LEW BLOND RUN

Registration is now open for the 19th Annual Lew Blond Memorial 5K Run/Walk, 1 Mile Run, which will be held at 8:00 am, Saturday, May 18, 2019 at Maple School. The 1 Mile Run (for kids) will take place at 9:00 am. To register: [Register 2019 Lew Blond](#)

For 18 years, Northbrook/Glenview School District 30 has supported and hosted the Lew Blond Memorial 5K Run/Walk, 1 Mile Run fundraiser at Maple School. This family event honors Mr. Lew Blond, a former Maple School teacher who passed away from Lou Gehrig’s Disease (ALS). An exceptional and dedicated educator of the applied arts, he was revered and cherished by students, colleagues, and parents of the children he served.

The Lew Blond Run is one of the top 40 races of its kind in Illinois and has become a fixture in the community. The 2018 event drew over 1,000 participants and volunteers. The race is organized by the Lew Blond Memorial 5K not-for-profit organization. It is a CARA Circuit registered/USATF certified race, drawing runners from as far as Wisconsin and Indiana.

Proceeds from the Lew Blond Run are donated to the Les Turner ALS Foundation and used for ALS (Lou Gehrig’s Disease) research and the Stuart Rosen Transportation Fund. The race also supports special school projects, like the new Maple playground ([maplePTO.org](#)), and provides annual scholarships to graduating seniors and former Maple School students from Glenbrook North and Glenbrook South High Schools.

For more information, go to [lewblondrun.org](#) and the Lew Blond Run’s Facebook page.



SAVE THE DATE

BOWLING
District 30
Parent Night Out!
Maple Playground Fundraiser

Save the Date

Saturday, April 13th

BOWLERO
350 McHenry Road,
Buffalo Grove
7pm to 10pm

Join us for a night of Dinner, Bowling, Lazer Tag, Silent Auction and Raffle Prizes.
More info coming soon!