

# TIGER TALES

June 9, 2017



## Upcoming Events

- Voting Day is June 13. Please come vote on the School Budget
- Grade 8 to Cow Island - June 15
- Step Up Day - June 16
- Pre-K to Bradbury Mountain - June 19 & 20
- Grade 7/8 to Crescent Beach - June 19
- 2nd Grade to Royal River - June 20
- Kindergarten to York Wild Kingdom - June 21
- Grade 1 to Bradbury Mountain - June 21
- 8th Grade Recognition Night - June 22 at 6:30pm

## Step Up Day Reminder!!



Please make sure your child's snack on Step Up Day (Friday, June 16<sup>th</sup>) is **NUT FREE** as **EVERY** classroom will be nut free on that day for safety!

*We are in the home stretch! Last day of school is Friday, June 23rd with bus dismissal at 12:00 noon. No school for Pre-K on June 23.*

*While there is no lunch served on the last day of school students may order a bag lunch. If you want to order a bag lunch for your child please let their teacher know by Tuesday June 20.*



Note that school begins on September 5. You will find bus information on the RSU website as soon as it is completed in August. We anticipate no major changes to bus routes or times.

## 8th Grade Symposium: Immigration Yesterday and Today

The Eighth Grade Class of Durham Community School would like to invite the community to their Symposium: Immigration Yesterday and Today. The students will demonstrate their learning from fictional reading, research, workshops, interviews, guest speakers, and field work. Please join us June 13, 2017 from 6:30-7:30 in the Durham Community School Cafe.

## From the Nurse: REMEMBER TO PICK UP MEDICATIONS:

Parents please be sure, if your child has medication at school, to pick it up by June 23 which is our last day of school. (½ day for students)

## From the Kitchen:

Please take care of any outstanding lunch bills.

There will be no morning milk and no breakfast on the last day of school. If you would like to order a bag lunch for your child please let their teacher know by Tuesday June 20.

## Lost and Found

*Please check the lost and found table to see if there are any items that your children have forgotten to bring home. As has been our tradition we will donate any left over items to a local charity once school is finished.*



## EMS Week at Durham Fire Station

Last week our students were very fortunate to have been able to participate in EMS week at the fire station. Thank you to Durham Fire and Rescue as well as all the knowledgeable presenters that organized this amazing event for our students.

- \* Jeff Carr gave a presentation on water safety
- \* Ken Scribner gave a presentation on gun safety
- \* Officer Mike McManus along with three seniors from Freeport High School talked about good choices and the consequences of bad choices. The students really seemed engrossed in what the older students had to say. Mentoring has always proven a superb way of teaching others and certainly seemed to fit in this situation.





# **Last Chance to Get A Copy**

The office has a sign up sheet for the extra copies of this year's publication. The cost is \$20.00 and checks can be made out to Durham Community School. Please see Debi or Rose in the office with your payment and you will be added to the list.

Thank You,

The Yearbook Staff



DCS  
Middle School  
End of Year

BLOCK  
PARTY



Friday, June 9, 2017 - 6:00-8:30pm

Outside Fun and games to include: Whiffle Ball, Soccer, LAX, Volleyball, Basketball and Hula Hooping!

With your \$5.00 admission fee you will get a hotdog, chips and a soda.

Other snacks will be available for purchase!

**DJ Chad Burke** will be on the playground spinning the tunes!

If Rain - Festivities will move inside!





# FALCONS FOOTBALL REGISTRATION EVENT





**Community  
Programs**

## JUNE 21<sup>st</sup> 6-8 PM

Season August-October  
Durham • Freeport • Pownal

PEEWEE - GRADES 2 & 3  
 YOUTH JV - GRADES 4 & 5  
 YOUTH VARSITY - GRADES 5 & 6  
 MIDDLE SCHOOL - GRADES 7 & 8  
 HIGH SCHOOL - GRADES 9 - 12

LEARN VALUABLE SKILLS  
 FROM VARSITY PLAYERS.  
 MEET COACHES. GET FITTED  
 FOR EQUIPMENT & MORE



### HEADS UP SAFETY DISCUSSION 6:30 PM WITH COACHING STAFF

Concessions will be available

Ask us about our Falcon Football Summer Camp

For more information contact: [mishes@comcast.net](mailto:mishes@comcast.net)



### RSU5 School Calendar 2017-2018

| AUGUST/SEPTEMBER                       |    |    |     |     | OCTOBER                      |    |    |    |     | NOVEMBER                         |    |    |     |    | DECEMBER                      |    |    |    |    | JANUARY                             |     |     |     |     |
|--|----|----|-----|-----|------------------------------|----|----|----|-----|----------------------------------|----|----|-----|----|-------------------------------|----|----|----|----|-------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| M                                      | T  | W  | TH  | F   | M                            | T  | W  | TH | F   | M                                | T  | W  | TH  | F  | M                             | T  | W  | TH | F  | M                                   | T   | W   | TH  | F   |
|  |    |    | PLD | PLD |                              |    |    |    |     |                                  |    |    |     |    |                               |    |    |    |    |                                     |     |     |     |     |
| 4                                      | 5  | 6  | 7   | 8   | 9                            | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13  | 6                                | 7  | 8  | PLD | 10 | 4                             | 5  | ER | 7  | 8  | 1                                   | PLD | 3   | 4   | 5   |
| 11                                     | 12 | 13 | 14  | 15  | 16                           | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20  | 13                               | 14 | 15 | 16  | 17 | 11                            | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 8                                   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  |
| 18                                     | 19 | 20 | 21  | 22  | 23                           | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27  | 20                               | 21 | PC | 23  | 24 | 18                            | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 15                                  | 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  |
| 25                                     | 26 | 27 | 28  | 29  | 30                           | 31 |    |    |     | 27                               | 28 | 29 | 30  |    | 25                            | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 22                                  | 23  | 24  | 25  | 26  |
|  |    |    |     |     |                              |    |    |    |     |                                  |    |    |     |    |                               |    |    |    |    | 29                                  | 30  | 31  |     |     |
|  |    |    |     | 19  |                              |    |    |    | 20  |                                  |    |    |     | 17 |                               |    |    |    | 16 |                                     |     |     |     | 20  |
| 8/30 & 8/31 Professional Learning Days |    |    |     |     | 6 Professional Learning Day  |    |    |    |     | 9 Professional Learning Day      |    |    |     |    | 6 ER Early Release - Half Day |    |    |    |    | 1 New Years Day                     |     |     |     |     |
| 4 Labor Day                            |    |    |     |     | 9 Columbus Day               |    |    |    |     | 10 Veterans Day Observed         |    |    |     |    | 25-29 December Vacation       |    |    |    |    | 2 - Professional Learning Day (1/2) |     |     |     |     |
| 9/5 First Student Day K-9              |    |    |     |     |                              |    |    |    |     | 22 Professional Compensation Day |    |    |     |    |                               |    |    |    |    | 15 Martin Luther King Day           |     |     |     |     |
| 9/6 All K-12 Students                  |    |    |     |     |                              |    |    |    |     | 23-24 Thanksgiving Break         |    |    |     |    |                               |    |    |    |    |                                     |     |     |     |     |
| FEBRUARY                               |    |    |     |     | MARCH                        |    |    |    |     | APRIL                            |    |    |     |    | MAY                           |    |    |    |    | JUNE                                |     |     |     |     |
| M                                      | T  | W  | TH  | F   | M                            | T  | W  | TH | F   | M                                | T  | W  | TH  | F  | M                             | T  | W  | TH | F  | M                                   | T   | W   | TH  | F   |
|  |    |    |     | 1   | 2                            |    |    |    | 1   | 2                                | 3  | 4  | 5   | 6  |                               | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  |                                     | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   |
| 5                                      | 6  | 7  | 8   | 9   | 5                            | 6  | 7  | 8  | 9   | 9                                | 10 | 11 | 12  | PC | 7                             | 8  | 9  | 10 | 11 | 11                                  | 12  | 13  | 14  | *15 |
| 12                                     | 13 | 14 | 15  | 16  | 12                           | 13 | 14 | 15 | PLD | 16                               | 17 | 18 | 19  | 20 | 14                            | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |                                     |     |     |     |     |
| 19                                     | 20 | 21 | 22  | 23  | 19                           | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23  | 23                               | 24 | 25 | 26  | 27 | 21                            | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | *18                                 | *19 | *20 | *21 | 22  |
| 26                                     | 27 | 28 |     |     | 26                           | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30  | 30                               |    |    |     |    | 28                            | 29 | 30 | 31 |    | 25                                  | 26  | 27  | 28  | 29  |
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|  |    |    |     | 15  |                              |    |    |    | 21  |                                  |    |    |     | 15 |                               |    |    |    | 22 |                                     |     |     |     | 10  |
| 19 Presidents' Day                     |    |    |     |     | 16 Professional Learning Day |    |    |    |     | 13 Professional Compensation Day |    |    |     |    | 28 Memorial Day               |    |    |    |    | 10 Graduation                       |     |     |     |     |
| 20-23 February Vacation                |    |    |     |     |                              |    |    |    |     | 16 Patriots' Day                 |    |    |     |    |                               |    |    |    |    | 14 Last day - If No Snow Days       |     |     |     |     |
|  |    |    |     |     |                              |    |    |    |     | 17-20 April Vacation             |    |    |     |    |                               |    |    |    |    | Half Day Schedule                   |     |     |     |     |
|  |    |    |     |     |                              |    |    |    |     |                                  |    |    |     |    |                               |    |    |    |    | * Storm Make up Days (15-21)        |     |     |     |     |

- NO SCHOOL - Holiday/Vacation
  - PLD** PROFESSIONAL LEARNING DAY - No Students (5 1/2)
  - PC** PROFESSIONAL COMPENSATION DAY - No Students (2)
  - ER** EARLY RELEASE FOR STUDENTS - Half Day Schedule
  - LAST DAY OF SCHOOL-(if no snow days)-PK-12 HALF DAY
- Storm Make-up days if needed: 6/15-6/21

Date Adopted by Board of Directors: 3-22-17

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Click here <http://www.rsu5.org/docs/district/adoped%201718%20calendar.pdf?id=4726> for the link to the school calendar