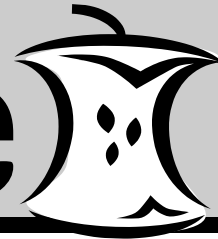


# The Core



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## Important Dates

### 5th Grade Celebration

6:00 PM  
Wednesday, June 13

### Last Day

10:30 Dismissal  
Friday, June 15

### Lake Monsters' Baseball Game

July 8, 2018

### Summer Library Hours

Wednesdays: 6/20– 8/15  
9:00-12:00

## Dear Parents & Guardians,

It is hard to believe we are down to the last two weeks of the school year. Besides continuing our instructional time, we are also keeping busy with field trips, celebrations, gardening and outdoor time. There is a lot to pack in these last ten days. I like to compare the end of our school year with a runaway train - we are coming to an end without slowing down!

One perfect example of this was our Field Day on Wednesday (and our Core Project Spirit Week). We had amazing weather and tons of fun! Special thanks to our P.E. Teacher, Tommy Hamlin, the arts teachers and staff who helped and all the volunteers who took time to participate. It was a great day!

Speaking of Mr. Hamlin, he will be missed these last two weeks as he heads off to National Guard annual trainings. He will be out the remainder of the year but no worries - his sub, Bobby Hamlin (yes, his brother) will be here to see the year through!

Finally, we want to give you one more thank you for your patience and support as we worked through our first year of Early Release Days. Our professional trainings were valuable but also understand it required a lot of flexibility from our parents - thank you. *Have a terrific weekend, take some time to read with your child.*

## The Orchard School PTO Second Annual

## Volunteer Thank You Party

- Wednesday, June 6th
- 6:30 PM
- Tavern II, 408 Shelburne Road

*Light appetizers will be served and we'll give out \$50 gift cards to a few lucky volunteers!*



Photos: Serious water play on Fund Day!

## Lunch Menu from June 4—8

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Scrambled Eggs Homemade Muffins Vanilla Fat Free Yogurt Strawberries <i>or</i> Ham Sandwich <i>also:</i> Fresh Fruit & Salad Bar	Spaghetti Marinara Sauce with or without meat <i>or</i> Ham Sandwich <i>also:</i> Fresh Fruit & Salad Bar	Chicken Nuggets Rice Pilaf Roasted Green Beans with Garlic <i>or</i> Ham Sandwich <i>also:</i> Fresh Fruit & Salad Bar	Cheese or Veggie Pizza Caesar Salad  <i>or</i> Ham Sandwich <i>also:</i> Fresh Fruit & Salad Bar	Chicken Patty Sandwich Garden Burger on a Bun Caesar Salad  <i>or</i> Ham Sandwich <i>also:</i> Fresh Fruit & Salad Bar