



## DATES TO REMEMBER

We	Jan	21	Skate World
Th	Jan	22	Relay for Life meeting
Mo	Jan	26	Math & Science Week starts
Tu	Jan	27	Blaze Pizza fundraiser
Th	Jan	29	Math & Science Night
Fr	Feb	6	Polar Bear Dance

## PIZZA TIME!

Join your Oak Ridge friends at Blaze Pizza on Tuesday, January, 27<sup>th</sup>, anytime between 11:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Dine in or carry-out but you must have the flyer that is in this week's eFolder. The proceeds from this restaurant night will be going towards Field Day/ Red, White, Blue day t-shirts for the entire school!

## IT'S PARTY TIME!

Oak Ridge's Annual **Polar Bear Dance** is on the horizon and the dance committee is in need of volunteers and snack donations.



This PTA-sponsored event is scheduled for **Friday February 6<sup>th</sup>** from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Volunteers needed for set-up, clean-up, donations, and beverage and food tables. We are also in need of snack donations. If you are interested in donating time or a snack please sign up at this [LINK](#) or contact joanddressler@gmail.com.

## MATH & SCIENCE NIGHT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Math and Science night will be Thursday, January 29<sup>th</sup> from 5:30-7:30 pm (see next page for details). The night consists of about 12-14 science & math experiments and activities. These activities have complete instructions and explanations. We need about 2 volunteers at each activity. We divide the families up to help with crowds (last name A-M at 5:30 and N-Z at 6:30). If one time works better for you to come that's fine.

We need volunteers to help run the stations. We have two sessions 5-6:30 and 6:30-7:45. The extra 15 minutes is for help setting up and cleaning up. We also need people at the door to greet families as they come in and record their information and answer basic questions.

If you can help please contact Rachel Forsyth, rachfor@gmail.com, (248) 320-2580

## SKATE WORLD NIGHT

Join us on at Skate World of Troy on Wednesday, January 21<sup>st</sup>, from 6:15-8:15 pm.

2825 E. Maple, Troy, MI  
(248) 689-4100

Cost: \$5.00 per skater  
(pay at door)

Skate rental not included  
Proceeds will be part of a series of events to raise money for new

playground equipment.

Questions? Call Dennis or Carolyn, 248-399-5949 or email: [dennis.kraniak@foxtv.com](mailto:dennis.kraniak@foxtv.com).





## MATH & SCIENCE WEEK! January 26th to January 30th



Let's spend the whole week noticing and discussing Math and Science!

- MONDAY, January 26: Wear clothes with numbers on it. Example: A hockey, soccer, football, or basketball jersey!
- TUESDAY, January 27: Wear clothes that display symmetrical patterns; anything as long as it's symmetrical. Example: A plain turtleneck or a solid button shirt is symmetrical!
- WEDNESDAY, January 28: Wear clothes that display geometric shapes. Example: circles, triangles, squares, spheres... A T-shirt with a soccer ball shows pentagons, hexagons, and spheres. Plaid shirts show squares and rectangles!
- THURSDAY, January 29: Wear clothes that display an animal(s). Example: A shirt with a bat, bird, kitten, lion, bear, raven, eagle, tiger, bulldog, etc.!

### **\*\* MATH & SCIENCE NIGHT 5:30 – 7:30 pm \*\***

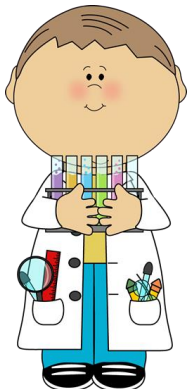
**Fun science experiments and math activities for students and families**

**Students whose last names start with A-M come 5:30 – 6:30 pm**

**Students whose last names start with N-Z come 6:30 – 7:30 pm**

**STUDENTS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT**

- FRIDAY, January 30: Wear clothes that display lines and angles. Example: A plaid shirt has parallel and perpendicular lines, and right angles. Clothes with squares, triangles, and rectangles show lines.



## WILL YOUR SCHOOL RULE CONTEST AT OAKLAND MALL

### *We made it to Round 2!*

Way to go Oak Ridge!  
Not only did we make it through to round 2, but we moved up into 8<sup>th</sup> place! We still have a few months left in the competition and I know we can move up to at least 5<sup>th</sup> place.

Monetary prizes are given for 1<sup>st</sup> -5<sup>th</sup> places. (Contest ends 3/31/15) Any questions to [elizabeth.mulheisen@gmail.com](mailto:elizabeth.mulheisen@gmail.com)



### **January Bonus Stores:**

These stores are worth double receipt points when people shop and turn in the receipt in January:

**5-7-9 | Gymboree | Nestle Toll House Café | Victoria's Secret/PINK**

**Get more info [here](#).**

## RELAY FOR LIFE

The Team Rally will **Thursday, January 22 at 7:00 pm at Oak Ridge**. It is an event for new team members or for those considering joining a Relay team to learn more information. It is going to be an open house event with 5 different “stations” - each with one of the main components of Relay. Dessert will be provided.

[Click here to view the TEAM page for Oak Ridge Elementary](#)



## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR HOMELESS ASSISTANCE

The City of Royal Oak is working in conjunction with the Oakland County Alliance For Housing to conduct a count of homeless individuals on Wednesday, Jan. 28, 2015.

Volunteers will meet at the Royal Oak Farmers' Market at 7 p.m. Coordinators will provide teams of volunteers with maps of target locations throughout south Oakland County. These are target areas of known homeless gathering places. A team of volunteers (group of 3 - 4 volunteers) will disperse, in their own vehicles, from the Farmers' Market to locate homeless individuals in the designated target areas. Volunteers will provide homeless individuals with a basic care package (box of socks, hats, gloves, hygiene kit, food, & water) and note their findings.

Volunteers will then return to the Farmers' Market to submit their findings. Free parking, rest rooms, water, coffee, and snacks will be provided to all volunteers at the Royal Oak Farmer's Market.

If you are interested in joining the Oak Ridge team, contact Angela Almas at [angelat104@aol.com](mailto:angelat104@aol.com).

## PLAYGROUND GRANT

Oak Ridge Families: click the link below and we could win a grant for a new playground! You can enter every day. After your first time entering, all you have to do is enter your email address, so simple!!

Click [playground sweepstakes](#) to enter!

