



DATES TO REMEMBER

Th	Feb	26	Kalamata Restaurant Night
Th	Feb	26	Relay for Life meeting
Mo	Mar	9	PTA meeting
Tu	Mar	10	Bagel Sale
Tu	Mar	10	Blood drive
Sa	Mar	21	Mother Son Bowling

NEXT PTA MEETING: MARCH 9

PTA meetings are a great way to meet other parents, interact with staff and find out information about the school. Meetings are held in the media center and *last only one hour (7-8 pm)*. **Free child care is provided in the gym.** The meetings are attended by our School Board Liaison, Gary Briggs, so it is a good opportunity to find out what is happening in the district and to ask questions about Royal Oak Schools.

RESTAURANT NIGHT!

Join your Oak Ridge Friends at Kalamata Greek Grill, located at 32538 Woodward Ave, Royal Oak on **Thursday, February 26 from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m.**



Whether you dine-in or take food to go, just present the flyer found in this week's eFolder to the cashier and Kalamata will donate to our PTA!

OAKLAND MALL WILL YOUR SCHOOL RULE CONTEST UPDATE!

Will Your School Rule? Contest at Oakland Mall

February Bonus Stores

These stores are worth double points when purchases are made and receipts are turned in during the month of February:

- Champs
- Finish Line
- Forever 21
- Rue 21

(Contest ends 3/31/15) Any questions to elizabeth.mulheisen@gmail.com



RELAY FOR LIFE

The Royal Oak Relay for Life isn't until Saturday, June 13, 2015, but we are getting our team geared up to start fundraising! Please contact Tiffany Vosburg at tvosburg@wowway.com to be a part of the Oak Ridge Team.



There will be an informational team meeting on **Thursday, February 26th at 7pm** in the Media Center. Please come and learn about Relay for Life and our team's fundraising ventures!

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

THANK YOU!!!

Oak Ridge's annual Polar Bear Dance was a success!! Thank you to all of our wonderful parent volunteers who donated snacks and time. Without your help this event would not be possible. This year we raised \$369 for charity!!! A big THANK YOU to everyone who generously donated. This year the funds were donated to the Boys and Girls Club of Royal Oak and Forgotten Harvest!



AUTHOR VISIT

We have Rhonda Gowler Greene, Author coming to visit our school on March 3rd for a school-wide assembly for Reading Month!



A couple of her more popular books are "Santa's Stuck" and "No Pirates Allowed! Library Lou." She is selling books ahead of time that she will sign. The order forms are in this week's eFolder and need to be turned into the blue PTA mailbox by

Monday, Feb. 23rd.

BLOOD DRIVE

Mark your calendars! Oak Ridge will hold a blood drive on **Tuesday, March 10th** in the gym. Please contact amymking@wideopenwest.com if you would like to help.



**American
Red Cross**

BAGEL SALE

Our Fourth Graders will have bagel sales to raise money for their trip to Lansing, along with making a donation to Gleaners, the Student Senate, and our school field trip fund. Bagels are \$1 each. **Next Bagel Sale is on Tuesday, March 10th.**



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!

MOTHER-SON BOWLING EVENT IS COMING UP SOON!!!

Join us on March 21st from 11am-1pm

The cost per bowler is \$12 and includes 2 games, shoes, pizza and soda. More details coming home soon.

There will be a limited amount of lanes, so when the flier comes home be sure to send your registration in ASAP!!!

