



HYLEN SOUDERS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

March 21:
Playground Build scheduled to begin (weather permitting)

March 22:
All Pro Dads at 7:45

March 22:
Career Connections

March 25-March 29:
Spring Break and
Playground Build

April 1:
Zoo at the School

April 4:
Muffins with Mom

April 9:
Ohio State Assessments begin
3rd and 4th Grade only

April 9:
PTO Meeting

Dear Souders Parents:

Our playground "build" is during spring break. This is the culmination of 2 years of work by many, many volunteers. Much of this work has gone on behind the scenes by people that do not want any credit. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the PTO for undertaking such a big project-a project that was much bigger than anyone imagined.

If you have not had the opportunity to volunteer,, there are still some openings over spring break. [PTO Website](#)

Mr. Cox



Who: You!
What: Rock Your Socks for World Down Syndrome Day!
When: Thursday, March 21, 2019
Where: Hylen Souders Elementary School
Why: To celebrate the things that make us unique
How: Wear your most colorful, fun and even mismatched socks!

Quote of the Week:

"Don't be the next me,
be the first you."

"The Rock" Dwayne Johnson

Big Walnut Local Schools will be hosting a screening of the documentary, *Screenagers*. This event will be held at BWMS on April 11th starting at 6:30 pm. This event is free and all are welcome! *Screenagers* is a documentary that focuses on the habits that children develop by using their mobile devices. Throughout the film, families are seen dealing with the consequences (often serious) related to excessive screen time or screen time without boundaries. The film focuses on the connection between mental health and how much tech time can impact a child's development. This documentary also highlights the benefits of finding the balance of screen time and screen-free time and offers some solutions for parents. For a sneak peak of this film, click [here](#).



At left: Our superintendent, Mrs. Pollock reads to 4th grade students.

At right: Madelyn Smolinski, a 4th grader, will be featured in the May/June issue of Storyworks magazine, She won the Word Nerd contest with her entry, "I found an exquisite bijou at the arenaceous beachfront recently." Congratulations, Madelyn.



[RSVP for Screenagers](#)

