



Upcoming Important Dates

May 21:
Last Day of School

August 13:
Class Lists are Posted

August 17:
Meet and Greet

August 19:
1st Day of School (Grades 1-4)

The Following Events are to be Determined . . .

Dates and Times for students to retrieve items from building

4th Grade Celebration

Kindergarten Assessments for incoming kindergarten students

Dear Souders Families and Friends:

I shared the quote of the week in a prior newsletter, but thought it was even more appropriate now. When asked by people outside of education about our transition to remote learning, I have told them a transition like this would take a year of planning—at least. We pulled it off in 2 weeks. It hasn't been perfect, and we continue to adjust. What a tribute to our families, our students, and our staff! Thank you! Thank you for your ongoing support and flexibility.

Mr. Cox

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Quote of the Week:

Change doesn't care if you are ready."

Joi Ito and Jeff Howe in *Whiplash*

Last chance to vote!!!

*Our District has an operational levy on the ballot. This ballot issue **will not raise taxes**; it is a continuing levy that would replace a levy that is set to expire at the end of 2020. This levy represents 12% of our budget, and it is crucial in funding daily expenses such as teachers, utilities, and supplies. Ohio will be not have in person voting. Voters must cast their ballots by April 28. Make your voice heard. For more information, please visit the levy page on our website: [March 17, 2020 Levy Information](#)*



Important Reminders

- Technology issues? Contact our technology department at bwit-support@bwls.net
- PTO wants your feedback-Please complete [PTO Survey](#)
- Families will be able to pick up food **Monday from 4-6** at the High School or Hylen Souders.
- Once the stay at home order is lifted, we will announce dates and times for students to pick up items from the building.
- We are working on a way to celebrate our 4th grade students that will be *graduating* from elementary school. We have several ideas, but safety is our top concern. We will keep you updated.