

What's Happening at EAC

- Jun. 13: "Dr. Dolittle, Jr." Performance, State Theatre, 7:00 p.m.
- Jun. 16: Snack Week for Alexandra Allmon, Skyla Weiss and Syam Wattoo
- Jun. 16: Dawn and Katri's Class Moving On Ceremony, 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
- Jun. 17: Middle School Graduation 10 a.m., Andrea B. Riddle Center
- Jun. 17: Scott, Deb & Laura's Class Fossil Dig Trip to Cargill Salt Mine 1:15 – 2:45 p.m.
- Jun. 18: Dawn & Katri's Class Fossil Field Trip, 9:30 a.m. – 2:45 p.m.
- Jun. 18: Melani and Becky's Class Moving On Ceremony, 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
- Jun. 18: Scott, Deb & Laura's Class Moving On Ceremony, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.
- Jun. 18: Upper Level Picnic at Terry's house, 11:15 a.m. – 2:15 p.m.
- Jun. 19: Upper Level Graduation, Andrea B. Riddle Center, 9:30 a.m.
- Jun. 19: Junior Level Picnic at Becky's house, 10 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
- June. 19: Extended Day Field Trip to the Hangar Theatre, 11:15 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
- Jun. 19: Earth Science Regents Exam, Ithaca High School, 1 p.m.
- Jun. 20: Integrated Algebra Regents Exam, Ithaca High School, 9 a.m.
- Jun. 20: Last Day of School

Last Day of School Celebration

In celebration of our last day of school on June 20th, we will continue our fun-filled tradition of capturing the old time essence of summer vacation. All classes, Primary through Middle School will come together in the afternoon for an extended recess with watermelon and outdoor games.

At the conclusion of these events (at 2:00pm), we will gather in the gym for a community circle to say good bye to students leaving EAC. Parents are welcome to join us at that time.

Students who wish to participate in any water activities provided should have a bathing suit or change of clothes and a towel. Of course, all students should come to school that last day with sunscreen on them for the sun-filled afternoon outdoors. We do not want sunburns to be part of this summer tradition!

To help make the day a success we are asking for donations of watermelons.

Thank you!

We look forward to a wonderful, exciting day to usher in our beloved summer!

Health Office News - Pick Up of Medication & Sunscreen

The end of the school year is quickly approaching! Please remember to pick up your child's medication and sunscreen in the health office on the last day of school, June 20th. An adult is required to transport all medication, unless your child has a self-carry / self-administer medication order on file with the School Nurse.

If you need to make special arrangements to pick up medication, please call prior to the end of school to make arrangements.

All medication left at school will be disposed of as of Monday, June 23rd at 3:00 PM. A nurse will be available on June 23rd between 1:00 – 3:00 PM for medication pick-up.

Please remember that all medication orders, for prescription or “over the counter” medications, must be renewed @ the beginning of every school year by your doctor and all medication orders must be signed by a parent.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Kelly Seaman & Nancy Kaproth

Lost And Found

Our lost and found bin is overflowing! That lost sweatshirt, lunch box, shirt, (hat, even coat) you've been looking for could be sitting in our lost and found. You are always welcome to stop in and look through the items. **Anything that has not been claimed by the last day of school will be given to charity.**

Extended Day Notes

Hangar Theater Kidstuff musical Yo Vikings! - Thursday, June 19th

Extended Day students will be going to The Hangar Theater Kidstuff musical Yo Vikings! on Thursday, June 19th. Please remember that children will need **car seats** to go on this adventure.

Drivers and chaperones are needed for this trip! Chaperones should plan to arrive at school at 11:15 a.m. and return by 1:30 p.m. Please email (admin@eacmsi.org) or call (277-7335) the school office if you can drive and/or chaperone this event. Thank you!

End of the Year Closing Circle - Thursday, June 19th

Extended Day students will celebrate the end of a fantastic year on Thursday, June 19th at 2:15 p.m. Parents are welcome to join us in Liz and Sarah's classroom.

Junior Level Notes

ALL JUNIOR LEVEL STUDENTS - Junior Level picnic - Thursday, June 19th

All Junior Level students will be having a picnic on Thursday, June 19th at Becky's house (176 Pearsall Place, Ithaca). We will leave school at 10:00 a.m. and return by 2:30 p.m. Students should arrive at school wearing sunscreen! They will need a picnic lunch, good shoes for hiking, a towel and a swim suit. Snack donations (please no tree nuts or peanuts) are appreciated. If your child will need an additional application of sunscreen, please complete and return the [sunscreen permission form](#). Please email (admin@eacmsi.org) or call (277-7335) the school office if you can drive and/or chaperone this event. Thank you!

DAWN & KATRI'S CLASS - Moving On Ceremony - Monday, June 16th - 11:00 a.m.

Dawn and Katri's Class Moving On Ceremony will be Monday, June 16th from 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. We will be recognizing students moving on to Upper Level or on to other adventures. Our students will be making lunch for everyone! Please bring your own place setting and email (admin@eacmsi.org) or call (277-7335) the school office to tell us how many people are coming.

DAWN & KATRI'S CLASS - Fossil Dig & Museum of the Earth- June 18th

Students in Dawn and Katri's class will go to the Cargill Salt Mine in Lansing, NY on Wednesday, June 18th to dig for fossils and then to the Museum of the Earth. We will leave school at 9:30 a.m. and return by 3:00 p.m. Students should arrive at school wearing sunscreen! They will need a picnic lunch, sturdy shoes, sun hats and appropriate clothes for the weather. We will need a few drivers and chaperones for this trip. Please email (admin@eacmsi.org) or call (277-7335) the school office if you can help. Thank you!

SCOTT, DEB & LAURA'S CLASS - Fossil Dig - June 17th

Students in Scott, Deb and Laura's class will go to the Cargill Salt Mine in Lansing, NY on Tuesday, June 17th to dig for fossils. We will leave school at 1:15 p.m. and return by 3:00 p.m. Students should arrive at school wearing sunscreen! They will need sturdy shoes, sun hats and appropriate clothes for the weather. We will need a few drivers and chaperones for this trip. Please email (admin@eacmsi.org) or call (277-7335) the school office if you can help. Thank you!

SCOTT, DEB & LAURA'S CLASS - Moving On Ceremony- June 18th - 6:00 p.m.

Scott, Deb & Laura's Class Moving On Ceremony will be Wednesday, June 18th from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. We will be recognizing students moving on to Upper Level or on to other adventures. Please bring a dish to share and your own place setting. Please email (admin@eacmsi.org) or call (277-7335) the school office to tell us how many people are coming.

MELANI & BECKY'S CLASS - Moving On Ceremony- Wednesday, June 18th - 11:00 a.m.

Melani and Becky's Class Moving On Ceremony will be Wednesday, June 18th from 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. We will be recognizing students moving on to Upper Level or on to other adventures. Please bring a dish to share. We will provide beverages, plates, napkins and cutlery.

Please email (admin@eacmsi.org) or call (277-7335) the school office to tell us how many people are coming.

Upper Level Notes

Upper Level picnic – Wednesday, June 18th

Upper Level students will be having a picnic on Wednesday, June 18th at Terry's house (121 Brook Way, Ithaca). We will leave school at 11:15 a.m. and return by 2:15 p.m. Students should arrive at school wearing sunscreen! They will need a picnic lunch, a towel and a swim suit. If your child will need an additional application of sunscreen, please complete and return the [sunscreen permission form](#). Please email (admin@eacmsi.org) or call (277-7335) the school office if you can drive and/or chaperone this event. Thank you!

Upper Level Graduation – Thursday, June 19th – 9:30 a.m.

We'd like to invite parents of Upper Level students to attend Upper Level Graduation on Thursday, June 19th at 9:30 a.m. in the Andrea B. Riddle Center. Please email (admin@eacmsi.org) or call (277-7335) the school office if you plan to attend. Thank you!

Middle School Notes

Middle School Graduation – Tuesday, June 17th – 10:00 a.m.

All parents and family members of Middle School students are invited to attend graduation on Tuesday, June 17th at 10:00 a.m. in the Andrea B. Riddle Center. Please email (admin@eacmsi.org) or call (277-7335) the school office to tell us how many in your family plan to attend. Thank you!

Community Events

Nature Journaling for Kids – Native Trees – June 14th

The Friends of Six Mile Creek and the Natural Areas Commission of the City of Ithaca continue their educational series for children on June 14th. Nature Journaling for Kids will introduce children to the natural history of the Six Mile Creek Natural Area.

Trees are an important part of the environment around us; they provide us with clean air, shade, food, and materials. Join Brett Schneiderman to learn about some of the trees in our local forests, how to identify them and what they can tell us about the greater environment.

Meet at the parking area of the Mullholland Wildflower Preserve just off Giles Street at 1:00PM. Journals will be provided or bring your own. (If you got a journal at the last journaling event, please bring it!)

For children age 7-12 accompanied by a parent. No sign up required. Contact Laurie (272-8491) or Anna (379-0924) for more information.

Celebration of Art & Nature at the Lab of Ornithology - June 14th

Please come for a morning of art and nature on June 14th from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. Author and illustrator Anita Schmidt-Kyanka will be at the Cornell Lab of Ornithology for a guided bird walk, book reading, and art activities. Anita wrote and created paintings for the book Sapsucker Blues: The Story of an Endearing Family of Great Blue Herons. Original paintings from the book are on display at the Cornell Lab through the summer. The story is based on the lives of the leggy birds that many thousands of people saw grow up on Sapsucker Woods pond by watching the Lab's live heron cam. For more information call (800) 843-2473

Join the Dryden Area Intergenerational Band & Chorus

We're gearing up for our next season of community music, and we're looking forward to having you make music with us! It doesn't matter if you are a student just starting out, a skilled professional, or someone who hasn't sung or touched an instrument in years -- **everyone is welcome, even if you don't live in Dryden**. All you need is the desire to make music. In just six weekly rehearsals, you will learn more about music, perform in a couple of concerts, and maybe even make a few friends from a different generation. Join the band, the chorus, or both! You'll be glad you did.

The chorus meets for six weeks starting Monday, June 30, and the band meets for six weeks starting Wednesday, July 2. After six rehearsals, we'll perform two concerts. If you have questions or would like to be on our mailing list for updates, please send email to Diane Tessaglia-Hymes at IntergenerationalBand@gmail.com, or call Jody Earle, coordinator, at [607-347-4792](tel:607-347-4792). Learn more at <http://drydenareabandandchorus.blogspot.com>.