

# **BLUE OAK SCHOOL**

THE ACORN - WEEK OF MAY 10<sup>TH</sup>, 2021

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

05/11 – Finance Committee Regular Meeting (4:15PM)

05/12 – Charter Council Special Meeting (6:30PM)

05/14 – No School (Teacher In-Service Day)

05/18 – Charter Council Regular Meeting (6:00PM)

05/19 – Equity Happy Hour/Parent Discussion Night (5:30PM)

05/21 – BOCC Applications Due

#### HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

Please enjoy this beautiful verse found hanging outside of Ms. Jennifer's classroom:

"As I sail along the wine dark sea,

I remember my mother who gave birth to me.

She's like the goddess Athena strong and wise, strick but kind.

With the qualities of the almighty Zeus,

She never ceases to show both leadership and power.

You have always inspired me to never ever give up on the woman I dream to be."

#### STRATEGIC PLAN MEETING

Interested in helping to review and update the Blue Oak Strategic Plan? Join the Blue Oak Charter Council this **Wednesday**, **May 12<sup>th</sup> at 6:30PM**. This meeting is open to the public. Parent and staff input are more than welcome and are essential to ensuring our school stays on track to reach and complete our goals.

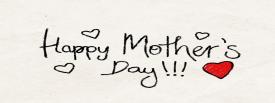
#### **EQUITY HAPPY HOUR**

The Blue Oak Equity Task Force is excited to introduce Equity Happy Hour, a place for Blue Oak parents to come together to discuss topics surrounding equity in our community and around the world. The first of these parent

#### MATERIAL DISTRIBUTION

Next Material
Distribution Date:

Monday, May 10<sup>th</sup> 4:30PM – 5:30PM



## THIS MONTH'S VIRTUE: REVERENCE & COURAGE

discussion nights will be taking place **Wednesday, May 19<sup>th</sup> at 5:30PM via Zoom**. More details about this event will be posted on ParentSquare later this week. We hope offering these friendly and informal gatherings will help strengthen the spirit of Blue Oak. See you there!

#### PARENTSQUARE NOTIFICATIONS

Did you know, you can change the ParentSquare settings on your phone or computer to set only one alert per day for all your daily notifications? We know you want to stay as up-to-date on current Blue Oak news as possible, but if it important to you to limit the number of alerts you receive via email, text, or on the ParentSquare app there is a way to do so! Check out the document attached that downloaded from the ParentSquare Help Center if you are interested in how to set up a Daily Digest notification.

#### TEACHER APPRECIATION

Every day we hear many things from the students in response to their experiences with our educators. Here are a few sweet remarks we have overheard recently:

<u>About Kindergarten</u> - "Kindergarten is the best. Can I go back?"

<u>About Mrs. McDonald</u> - Kid clutching his chest, "I love her so much!"

<u>About Sarah Lee</u> - "Miss Sarah is a little crazy, but fun, but crazy, like crazy fun!"

<u>About Brittany Jones</u> - "Why is Ms. Jones so nice?"

<u>About Claire and Sarah E.</u> – "They are pretty much the best handwork teachers ever"