

# The Scholarly Squire

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## A Message from the Principal

Dear Parents, Guardians, and Friends of NF:

Welcome to October! If we can get a repeat of September's weather for another (30) days, it will simply be perfect. The warm days and cool nights are a favorite of so many people. We'll keep our fingers crossed for a snow-free October.

Routines have been established, new PAX and Class Huddle initiatives have been introduced and practiced, and friendships have been formed. One routine we could use your support with relates to attendance and tardiness. Please be mindful that student attendance is mandated by Ohio law. Every minute counts! School officially starts at 9:00 a.m. and runs through 3:30 p.m. Make every effort to schedule doctor/dentist appointments outside of school time or on days off. Great student work ethic begins with routines in the primary years, and we want to support your child's learning every minute of our time with them. Also, dismissal plans should be consistent. Calling after 3 p.m. is a bad practice, unless its an emergency. Your cooperation is appreciated.

If you read our local newspaper, the *News Leader*, you will find a great article summarizing a new program we initiated last month, KIDS LOVE MUSICALS. Students in grades 1-3 had the chance to work with local, professional actors in skill development in the areas of cooperation, problem-solving, and communication...all with a theatrical twist. Here's a link to more information: <https://www.mytownneo.com/the-news-leader>

The PTA rolls out a very active month ahead. Our first assembly, Omega Man, will occur this Wednesday. Additionally, a brand new fundraiser is in the works! Our students and staff will participate in a FUN RUN, whereby parents, grandparents, neighbors, and friends can pledge for your child. Over time, it is our hope that this fundraiser will make enough money to support all of our PTA programming over the academic year. More information forthcoming. The Scholastic Book Fair wraps up October.

Some formalized assessments take place this month, too. The InView and Terra Nova assessments will take place for our fourth grade students during the week of October 7th. Nordonia uses these assessments primarily for the identification of gifted eligibility. Other individual information is also available. Score reports will be available in late fall. Additionally, the Ohio-mandated Third Grade ELA assessment will be administered mid-month. This is a high-stakes test that determines if a student is proficient in reading and language arts. More information will be coming from our 3rd grade team.

Finally, NF will celebrate a *Fall Festival* on the afternoon of Thursday, October 31st. A traditional costume parade will occur, too. Students may wear appropriate costumes to school that don't acknowledge violence, evil, weaponry, or other negative themes.

Respectfully,

*M. Kaminicki*

Mr. Marc Kaminicki, Principal



Date: October 1, 2019

### Northfield Elementary School

9374 Olde Eight Road  
Northfield, OH 44067  
(330) 467-2010

Principal: Mr. Marc Kaminicki  
Secretary: Ms. Erica Sansavera

### Smart Phone App.

Did you know that our school has a new, innovative communication platform? Released in mid-August, the **NF Smart Phone App** is off to a terrific start. Over 500 individuals have already downloaded this free service. Check out page 13 for specific instructions/info. Coming soon...NF's own YouTube Channel, showcasing teachers and students learning in the classroom.



\*NF enjoys a **96.8% Attendance Rate** with all students, per the ODE Report Card.

\*NF will host the annual **Flu Shot Clinic** program on October 16th. Call the school office for more information and forms.

\*You must contact the office to **opt-out** of our student photo taking policy.

# OCTOBER | 2019

## Northfield Elementary School



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
30	1 Cheesy Breadsticks w/Marinara Green Beans Assorted Fruit Whole Grain Cookie Choice of Milk	2 Pizza Mixed Green Salad w/Lite Dressing Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	3 Hot Dog on Bun w/Chili Baked Fries Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	4 MAGIC PICKLE DAY! Hamburger/Cheeseburger on Bun Baked Fries Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk
7 BRUNCH FOR LUNCH Pancakes w/Syrup Sausage Links Potato Triangle Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	8 MAGIC PICKLE DAY! Chicken Patty on Bun Carrot Coins Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	9 Pizza Mixed Green Salad w/Lite Dressing Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	10 Rotini & Meatballs Mixed Green Salad w/Lite Dressing Whole Grain Roll Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	11 NO SCHOOL
14 BRUNCH FOR LUNCH Waffles w/Syrup Sausage Links Potato Triangle Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	15 Breaded Chicken w/Mashed Potatoes & Corn Whole Grain Roll Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	16 Pizza Mixed Green Salad w/Lite Dressing Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	17 Pizza Quesadilla Refried Beans/Salsa Assorted Fruit 1/2 Churro Choice of Milk	18 MAGIC PICKLE DAY! Hamburger/Cheeseburger on Bun Baked Fries Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk
21 BRUNCH FOR LUNCH French Toast Sticks w/Syrup Sausage Links Potato Triangle Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	22 Cheesy Breadsticks w/Marinara Steamed Broccoli Assorted Fruit Whole Grain Cookie Choice of Milk	23 Pizza Mixed Green Salad w/Lite Dressing Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	24 Chicken Nuggets w/Sauce Baked Fries Assorted Fruit Whole Grain Cookie Choice of Milk	25 Grilled Cheese Sandwich Tomato Soup w/Crackers Carrot Sticks w/Lite Dressing Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk
28 BRUNCH FOR LUNCH Pancakes w/Syrup Sausage Links Potato Triangle Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	29 Soft & Hard Tacos w/Lettuce & Cheese Corn Refried Beans Assorted Fruit 1/2 Churro Choice of Milk	30 Pizza Mixed Green Salad w/Lite Dressing Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	31 HAPPY HALLOWEEN! Mini Corn Dogs Baked Beans Assorted Fruit Special Halloween Dessert Choice of Milk	1

### News

Lunch 3.00  
Milk Only .50

Happy Halloween!

Available daily as alternates:  
Salads/ PBJs, Hot Dogs

Fresh Veggies served daily!

Menus subject to change without notice.

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

### Northfield Elementary School General Information

Office Hours: 7:30-4:00 p.m.

Teacher Hours: 8:30-4:00 p.m.

Student Hours: 9:00-3:30 p.m.



Phone: 330-467-2010

Fax: 330-468-5216

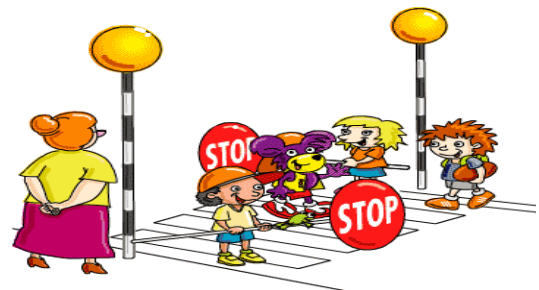
Attendance Line : 330-908-6160

Students may arrive between 8:40 a.m. and 8:55 a.m.

**SAFETY FIRST**



While driving in the parking lot, please remember to drive slowly and carefully. Precious children are walking and exiting the busses!! Also, carpool lines are in constant motion. Proactive driving will eliminate any safety concerns. Thanks for cooperating.



Just an FYI! This year, lunch is \$3.00. Purchasing a separate milk costs \$.50. Lunch menus are available on the Nordonia web site under the Food Services Department tab.





# September PAX Leaders of the Month





We are coming to your school  
to help you fight the flu!

Fight the  
**FLU**



When: Oct 16      Where: Room \_\_\_\_\_

**How much:** Flu vaccines are provided at NO COST to students, parents, or schools. We bill both Medicaid and private insurance; however, we never bill students or parents for any out-of-pocket expenses or deductibles. Qualifying uninsured students can be given the vaccine at no charge.

**Why:** The best way to minimize or avoid the spread of flu is to get an annual flu vaccination. Each year the vaccine protects against new strains, therefore, the vaccine should be administered annually.

**REQUIRED:** If you want to receive a vaccination,  
PLEASE BRING A COMPLETED CONSENT  
FORM TO YOUR SCHOOL  
NURSE/SCHOOL CLINIC BY: Oct 11, 2019



# Vaccine Consent Form

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_



PLEASE COMPLETE ALL OF THE INFORMATION BELOW - Please print using ink (incomplete forms will not be accepted)

FIRST NAME of Student:				LAST NAME of Student:			
Gender: Male Female		Birthdate: (mo, day, yr)		Age		Homeroom Teacher / Grade	
Address				Phone #			
City		Zip Code		State		Student Race: (Circle applicable) African American / Black White Alaska/ Native American Asian Hawaiian / Pacific Islander Other Ethnicity: Non-Hispanic or Hispanic	

The current health care laws require us to bill your insurance company for the vaccine. The service is offered at no cost to you. Answers are always confidential. Please fill out the following questions pertaining to your child's Health Insurance:

Parent / Guardian Information

First Name	Last Name	Mother's Maiden Name (for state registry)
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### REQUIRED INSURANCE INFORMATION (MUST CHECK AN APPROPRIATE BOX)

MEDICAID & MANAGED CARE ORGANIZATIONS						
BUCKEYE	CARE SOURCE	MOLINA	PARAMOUNT ADVANTAGE	UHC COMMUNITY PLAN	STRAIGHT MEDICAID	OTHER: (PLEASE SPECIFY NAME)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

MEMBER ID#	CASE #
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MMISA# (PATIENT'S MEDICAID #) <small>NOTE: THIS IS THE ONLY # REQUIRED FOR BUCKEYE PATIENTS</small>	CURRENTLY HAVE NO INSURANCE <small>NOTE: IT IS IRRELEVANT TO CLAIM UNINSURED IF YOU HAVE INSURANCE</small>
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PRIVATE INSURANCE COMPANIES								
AETNA	BCBS	CIGNA	CORE SOURCE	HUMANA	MEDICAL MUTUAL	TRI-CARE	UHC	OTHER: (PLEASE SPECIFY NAME)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

CARDHOLDER'S FIRST NAME	CARDHOLDER'S LAST NAME	CARDHOLDER'S DATE OF BIRTH (MO, DAY, YR)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<small>IDENTIFICATION NUMBER OF EMPLOYEE (IF INCLUDE ALPHA PREFIX, # SHOWS ON CARD)</small>	<small>ENTER OR IF NOTED ON CARD</small>	

### VACCINATION & HEALTH-RELATED QUESTIONS

1	Has your child ever had a life threatening reaction(s) to the flu vaccine in the past?	YES	NO
2	Has your child ever had Guillain-Barre' syndrome?	YES	NO
3	Does your child have an allergy to eggs?	YES	NO
4	Does your child have a blood disorder such as hemophilia?	YES	NO
5	Will this be the first time your child has ever received a flu vaccination?	YES	NO



IF YOU HAVE ANY HEALTH QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT YOUR CHILD'S PEDIATRICIAN OR CALL US AT 205-609-0268 TO SPEAK TO A REPRESENTATIVE.

I have read the information about the vaccine and special precautions on the Vaccine Information Sheet. I am aware that I can locate the most current Vaccine Information Statement and other information at [www.imz.unice.org](http://www.imz.unice.org) or [www.cdc.gov](http://www.cdc.gov). I have had an opportunity to ask questions regarding the vaccine and understand the risks and benefits. I request and voluntarily consent for the vaccine to be given to the person listed above of whom I am the parent or legal guardian and having legal authority to make medical decisions on their behalf. I acknowledge no guarantees have been made concerning the vaccine's success. I hereby release the school system, Health Heroes of Ohio, Inc. & subsidiaries, affiliated schools of nursing, their doctors and employees from any and all liability arising from any accident or act of omission which arises during vaccination. I understand this consent is valid for 6 months and that I will make the school aware of any health changes prior to the vaccination clinic date. Clinic dates can be obtained from the school. I understand that the health related information on this form will be used for insurance billing purposes and your privacy will be protected.

Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

VIS CDC #V 08/15/2019  
LOT Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
RN# \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
FLUCELVAX  
EXP Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
AREA FOR OFFICIAL ADMINISTRATION USE ONLY

Health Heroes of Ohio  
326 Prairie St. North  
Union Springs, AL 36089  
AL@healthheroosa.com  
205-609-0268





# NORDONIA STUDENTS!!

## Fill the Bus HELP STOP HUNGER

10/1/19 – 10/25/19



Please bring unexpired, non-perishable food to school and place in the collection bins located in the lobby of each school building.

**The food drive concludes at the Nordonia High School home football game on Friday, Oct 25<sup>th</sup>.**

Nordonia Hills & Twinsburg City School Districts and their communities are competing to Fill the Bus with the most non-perishable food to help their neighbors in need!!

# After School League YOUTH BOWLING

**Roseland Lanes**



Choose  
Wed, Oct 2 at 6pm  
or Fri, Oct 4 at 4:15pm  
for 10 Weeks



Wed, Dec 4 & Fri, Dec 6

**Awards & "Bring a Friend for FREE"**

**PreK-2nd** Bowls 2 games/shoes \$5 per week **with** bumpers

**3th-12th** Bowls 3 games/shoes \$8 per week **without** bumpers  
(3rd-6th, 7-8th, 9-12th)

Please pick up students by 5:45pm & COME INSIDE. Register in ADVANCE with payment by mail or at Roseland Lanes. DO NOT send to school office.

Sign up individually, with friend & or a team. (send forms together.) Teams of 2 or 3.

**Roseland Lanes 26383 Broadway Ave.  
Oakwood Village, 440-232-5444 www.roselandlanes.com**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Parent's E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ D.O B. \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_

Day of Week: \_\_ Wed \_\_ Fri  
 \_\_\_ Pre-K-2nd \$50.00 \_\_\_ 3rd thru 12th \$80.00 Amount Paid \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to bowl with:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_

# Northfield Skiing and Snowboarding Club



**Date:** Sunday, January 5<sup>th</sup> 2020 through end of season

**Time:** 3:30-7:30 Sunday evenings

\* <https://www.bmbw.com/club-program/>

Click the "ski club registration" link then log in.

Login: **northfield**

Password: **wish4snow**



Registration begins October 1st!

\*We will be skiing or boarding Sunday nights at Brandywine Ski Resort. You may go to either resort or Alpine Valley after February 3rd on Sundays.

Contact person: Wendy Dunham (216)407-0355 or  
wendy.dunham@nordoniaschools.org



boston mills  
brandywine

\*\*BMBW Fall Fest is October 11-13 at Boston Mills. This is a great time to buy new and used skiing and snowboarding clothing and equipment. It is also the cheapest time to buy season passes.



COMING TO  
LONGWOOD PARK



MACEDONIA  
HAUNTED HAYRIDE

THIS FALL...  
SATURDAY, OCT 12

We are looking for individuals, families, groups and businesses to create a "Haunted" scene at the Macedonia Haunted Hayride on Saturday, October 12, 7-10 pm at the Macedonia Rec Center. It is FREE to participate!

Group Name \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

**Return Application:**  
**By Email: [Bwisniewski@macedonia.oh.us](mailto:Bwisniewski@macedonia.oh.us)**  
**Questions? Call 330-468-8375**



**PICTURE THIS:** a safe, no-limits place designed specifically for girls, where they're inspired to seek out new challenges, build important skills, and take the lead. That's Girl Scouts. A place where every girl has the space and support she needs to reach her full potential and accomplish amazing things!



# UNLEASH STRONG! BE A GIRL SCOUT.

## **We cannot wait until you join Girl Scouts!**

**Join us for a parent meeting and learn about new girl scout troops forming in your area. Adult volunteers are needed for new troops to form.**

**Sunday, October 13, 2019**

**1:00 -4:00 PM**

**Girl Scouts of Northeast Ohio  
1 Girl Scout Way  
Macedonia, OH 44056**

**All grade levels and their caregivers welcome**

**\*\$25 yearly Registration Fee**

**\*Start up troop meeting following from 2-4pm**

**Questions? Contact Jayme Pizzi 330.475.4754 or [troopleader90680@gmail.com](mailto:troopleader90680@gmail.com)**

**This event or activity is neither sponsored by nor endorsed by the Nardonias School District nor is the Nardonias School District affiliated with organization providing this information.**





Please join us as we discuss cyber safety and adolescent mental health. Our guest presenter will be Dr. Charlie Brown, Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist, Akron Children's Hospital. This Parent Tech Talk event is for the Nardon Community (**this is an adults-only presentation**). The presentation is part of Nardon Hills City Schools Safe Decisions week. This is critically important information for all parents, and we urge you to attend and learn with us.



## Parent Tech Talk



Parent Tech Talk  
High School Google Lab, Room 205  
October 9, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

We invite all parents and guardians in the district to learn about cyber safety and adolescent mental health.

Please join us for this event on October 9th in the High School Google Lab, Room 205. If you are planning to attend, please complete the registration form [linked here](#) before October 7th. We are looking forward to seeing you!

<https://tinyurl.com/y5tp3r48> - Registration Link



THE  
TOP  
REASONS

**6**

# NORTHFIELD PTA MEMBERSHIP

**JOIN TODAY**

**... It's elementary!**

Participation is always welcomed and appreciated!

Membership is NOT a commitment of your time. NO volunteering is required.



1. Research shows that PARENT INVOLVEMENT in their child's education is the #1 influencer for them doing better at school.

2. Get Connected at our School
3. Discover Great Resources
4. Be the First to Know about Events
5. Have a Voice on What's Important
6. Networking Opportunities

## DID YOU KNOW OUR PTA ...

1<sup>st</sup> PTA Meeting is Sept 11<sup>th</sup> at 4pm

- Funded Mini-Grants for drawing journals, sit spots, 3rd grade assemblies, under the chair organizers, inspirational banners, math activity games for intervention.
- Provided new playground equipment
- Sponsored Jim Basketball Jones, Pillars of Character, Energizer Guys, Steam Museum and the Skydome Planetarium Assemblies
- Provided a number of sponsorships for events including Goodies with Grands and t-shirts for all students

### PTA Membership fee is \$7 per member per year

Send form with cash/check with your student or pay online <https://2019-nfptamembership.cheddarup.com/>

Member #1 \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Member #2 \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Child #1 \_\_\_\_\_ Grade/Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Child #2 \_\_\_\_\_ Grade/Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Child #3 \_\_\_\_\_ Grade/Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Optional Additional Donations (100% goes to PTA) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL ENCLOSED (please circle CASH or CHECK) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Like our FaceBook Page - Northfield Elementary PTA or visit [www.nordontapta.com](http://www.nordontapta.com)





# DOWNLOAD OUR NEW MOBILE APP!



The **Northfield Elementary School Mobile App** gives staff, students and families mobile access to important school information such as school calendars, events, and reminders.

- Get **instant alerts**
- Stay current with **latest info**
- **Connect** with resources in one click
- And so much more!

## DOWNLOAD NOW

## It's free. It's simple.



SCAN THIS  
CODE TO  
DOWNLOAD:



OR

SEARCH YOUR APP STORE FOR:  
*Northfield Elementary School*

***\*\*Be sure to allow location & notifications,  
so you receive all alerts & messages.***

# 2019-2020 NORDONIA CALENDAR (Board approved 2/12/18)

August 2019							September 2019							October 2019						
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8/19-8/21 Teacher Inservice							9/2 Labor Day							10/11 Teacher Inservice/NEOE Day						
8/22 First Day of School							9/30 Teacher Inservice							△ 10/25 End of Quarter 1						
November 2019							December 2019							January 2020						
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○ 11/4 Evening Conferences							12/2 Conference Comp Day							1/6 School Resumes						
○ 11/14 Evening Conferences							12/23-1/3 Winter Break							△ 1/16 End of Quarter 2						
11/5 Teacher Inservice/Election Day														1/17 Teacher Records Day						
11/27-11/29 Thanksgiving/Conf. Comp														1/20 Martin Luther King Day						
February 2020							March 2020							April 2020						
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2/14 Teacher Inservice							3/13 Teacher Inservice							4/6-4/13 Spring Break						
3/17 Presidents Day							△ 3/24 End of Quarter 3							4/10 Good Friday						
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May 2020							June 2020							July 2020						
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							△ 5/2 Last Day of School/Early Dismissal													
5/25 Memorial Day							6/3 Teacher Records Day													
Key																				
No School for Staff or Students							No School for Students													
No School for Students							△ End of Grading Period							○ P/T Conferences						

