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## June 7, 2025 Newsletter

6/10	Board of Education Meeting - 5:30PM
6/11	6th Grade Promotion Night - 5:30PM
6/11	Last Day of School - 1:00PM Early Dismissal
8/27	First Day of School
9/5	Pre-Kindergarten Practice Bus Ride
9/8	First Day of Pre-Kindergarten - (8:30 - 11:45 M-F)

### LUNCH ACCOUNT BALANCES

If your child has an outstanding balance on their lunch account, please be sure to bring it up to date by next **Wednesday, June 11<sup>th</sup>**, our last day of school. Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

### NORFOLK LIBRARY SUMMER READING CHALLENGE 2025- COLOR YOUR WORLD

Flyers will be given to each child before school ends so please register for the Summer Reading Program! Every Monday for 7 weeks at 5:30 there will be an enriching program for families. When the student completes 10 challenges, they may pick a Great Prize!! Check out the Norfolk Library website also. Happy Reading!!!

### GREETINGS FROM THE BOTELLE LIBRARY!

Here is some information for the end of the school year:

- All library books are due back on Tuesday 6/3. I will send home notices on Wednesday 6/4 for any outstanding books, as well as their replacement cost. We don't charge any overdue fees, but do ask that you pay for any books that are lost or ruined over the course of the year.
- We are holding a book swap on 6/10. This is a great chance for your child to recycle books they have outgrown and get new books to read for the summer. [Click here](#) for more information.
- As part of their Personal Interest Projects, a few of our Upper Intermediate students have chosen to focus on raising money for charity — and they'll be doing so by selling small items and creations during the PIP Showcase on Thursday, June 5 at 2:30 PM. If your child would like to support their schoolmates' efforts and purchase something, please consider sending them with a few dollars on the day of the event.

Please email [dubeckye@botelleschool.org](mailto:dubeckye@botelleschool.org) with any questions.

### **SUMMER DAY CAMP 2025 - ONE FREE WEEK!**

Camp Jewell Day Camp forms will be sent home. Once again this year the Norfolk Children's Foundation is offering **one free week to all Norfolk children**. If you are interested in sending your child to Camp Jewell this summer, please complete and return the form as soon as possible. Sessions will fill up quickly.

### **2025 SUMMER MEALS PROGRAM**

2025 Summer Meals Program EdAdvance & Winchester Schools will offer federally funded free summer lunches for all children and teens 18 and under.

- Grab & Go Meals for 5 days: 5 Breakfast & 5 Lunch meals.
- Children need not be present at pick up.
- Each child is eligible for one breakfast and lunch per day.
- Children who attend a program where free summer meals are provided through the Summer Meals Program, are not eligible for this pick up.

#### **When & Where...**

<b>RLC (former East School)</b> <b>215 Hogan Drive</b> <b>Torrington, CT</b>	<b>Every Wednesday - 3:30PM - 5:00PM</b>	<b>June 25th - Aug. 13th</b>
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<b>First Congregational Church</b> <b>835 Riverside Ave</b> <b>Torrington, CT</b>	<b>Every Wednesday - 11:30AM - 12:15PM</b>	<b>June 25th - Aug. 13th</b>
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<b>Pearson School</b> <b>2 Wetmore Ave.</b> <b>Winsted, CT</b>	<b>Every Wednesday - 3:30PM - 5:00PM</b>	<b>June 25th - Aug. 13th</b>
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**Would you like more information on Summer Meals? Go to [www.CTSummerMeals.org](http://www.CTSummerMeals.org) or call 211. Questions related to Free Meals may be directed to Becky Tyrrell, Food Service Director at [Tyrrell@EdAdvance.org](mailto:Tyrrell@EdAdvance.org) or 860-567-0863 ext. 1148.**

### **PRINCIPAL'S CORNER**

Please complete our School Climate survey. Click the [link](#) to access it. Please complete one for each child you have enrolled at Botelle.

Your feedback is VERY important to us. We use this information to create yearly goals and action steps so we can make Botelle even better for our students and families.

I will also email you the link to complete the survey. You can complete it on your phone!