

Dear Oakhurst Parents and Guardians,

Welcome back everyone. I hope you had a chance to relax and recharge over the summer.

Please join me in welcoming our newest staff members:

Teacher	Grade Level	Last School
Leigh Loveland	5 th Grade	Forest Lakes
Michelle Kasprsyk	Media Specialist	Dunedin High/Bear Creek El.
Jeanette Jacques	VPK	Michigan

Support Staff	Position
Tina Patroliia	VPK
Cheryl Russell	ASD
Arlene King	ASD
Cristen Burns	ASD

We are very pleased to have such quality people join our staff.

This year Oakhurst earned an “B” grade from the state of Florida. We actually had enough points to qualify for an “A” but did not meet Adequate Yearly Progress in two of our sub groups: Students with Disabilities and Economically Disadvantaged. We are meeting with teachers to continually monitor students and implement strategies that best meet the needs of all students.

Our Book of the Month for August is One by Kathryn Otoshi. It is a simple but powerful story about standing up to bullies. Our character word for the month of August is respect and the book One reinforces this character beautifully.

I am looking forward to a great school year. If there is anything I can help you with, please do not hesitate to contact me. I welcome your input.

Sincerely,

Nanci B. Wilson