

# AFTERCARE MAY NEWSLETTER



Sharon  
Community  
Education

Hello, May is here and we're excited about the last 8 weeks of school! Our aftercare program is packed with fun and fulfilling activities to keep our students engaged after school. As we countdown to summer, we have just one early release day left, excluding the last day of school.

The kids have been enjoying their time at school, making friends, and learning new things every day. Don't forget to mark your calendars for upcoming events and special activities. Let's make the most of these final weeks before the summer break!

Stay tuned for more updates and keep shining bright, dear families!

Warm regards,

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# PROGRAM NEWS

If you need to change your child's dismissal routine (e.g. change from taking the bus to getting picked up, dismiss early for an appointment, etc.), you must email/send in a note to the school office, classroom teacher, Community Education. We recognize that much of our world now communicates digitally, and it's tempting and logical that you would like to email your child's teacher. However, we run into issues when either the teacher is out that day and unable to alert the school office, or if the email comes in during class instruction time. The teacher is usually unable to pass along the message to the appropriate parties. Also, the school office does not communicate to our office when your child is out from aftercare or is going home a different way. With all of that in mind, please send in a hard copy dismissal note to the classroom teacher and email school office as well as emailing the Community Ed. Office at [communityedabsences@sharonschools.net](mailto:communityedabsences@sharonschools.net) before 2:00PM.

We want to thank you for your patience with the Before and Aftercare waitlist. Please know that we at Community Education are continuing to do our best to be able to accommodate as many children as we safely can into our programs with the amount of staff we have. We will contact families individually via email should space become available. If you need to make any changes to your child's schedule we will need it in writing. All changes can be sent to [bmaddalena@sharonschools.net](mailto:bmaddalena@sharonschools.net)

On the Early Release days, it is important that your child has a lunch from home or it is communicated to them that they are getting a bagged lunch from school. Aftercare does not provide lunches.

## REMINDERS

May 7- Early Release (ALL)

May 26- Memorial Day

June 19- Juneteenth

June 20- Last day of school- Aftercare will run until 4:00PM

# EARLY RELEASE DAYS

Early release coverage is available only to students in the Aftercare Program in Sharon Public Schools that are currently enrolled on the designated early release days listed below from their early dismissal time to 6:00PM. Again, students only attend if it is a day they are currently registered for. If the early release day is a day your child normally attends, but will not be coming, **contact the Community Ed. Office at [communityedabsences@sharonschools.net](mailto:communityedabsences@sharonschools.net) or 781-784-1574 no later than 10:00AM that day.**

We also encourage you to contact your child's school office and classroom teacher to let them know as well. If someone else is picking up your child make sure they are on your authorized pickup list and have them bring an ID with them.

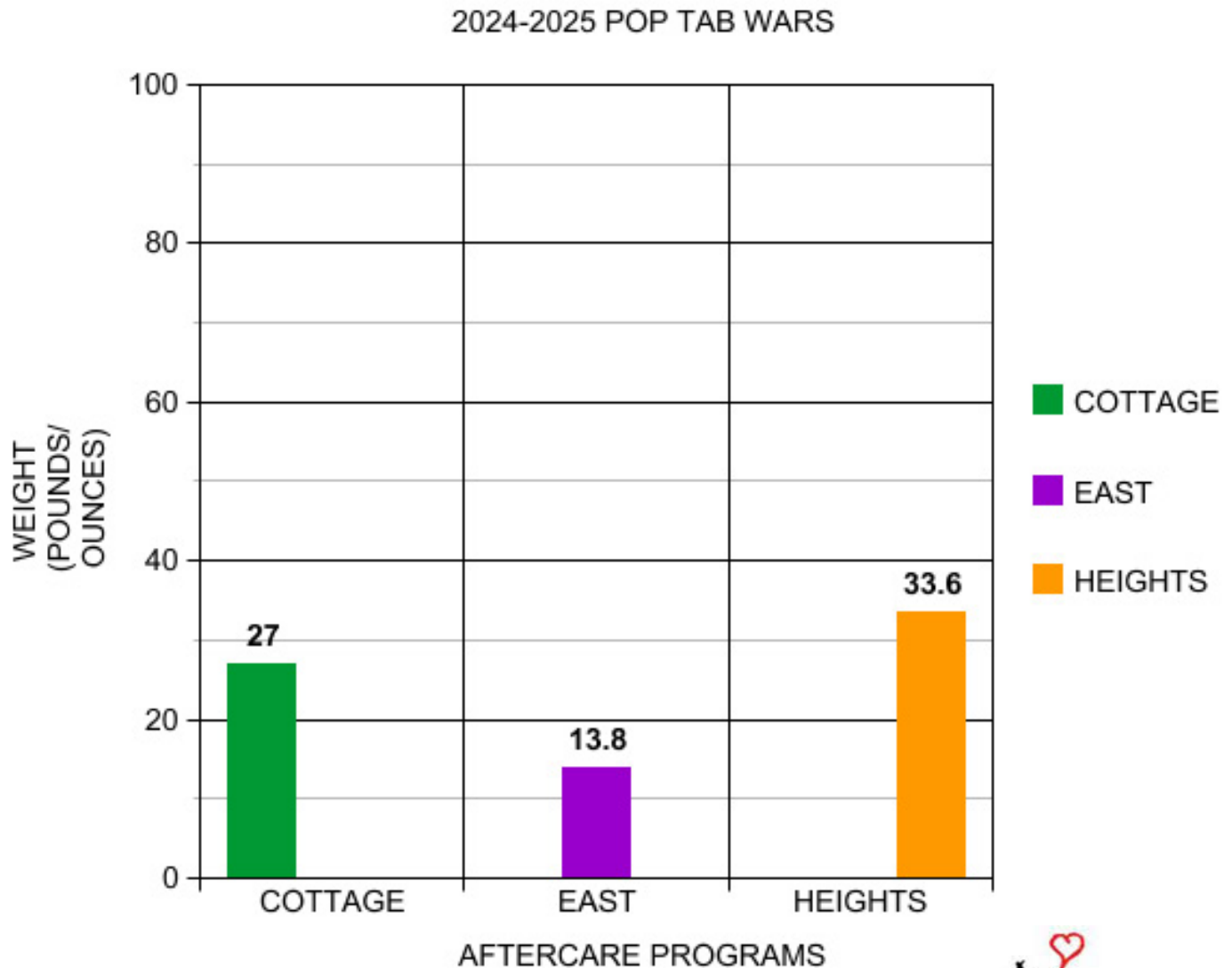
Each school will have a grab and go bagged lunch that students will be provided with. If your child does not want the school grab and go bagged lunch option your child should bring a lunch from home.

## Early Dismissal Times

Middle 11:10AM  
Heights 12:35PM  
Cottage 12:35PM  
East 12:35PM

# POP TAB WARS

Only 3 weeks left to make a difference! Pop Tab Wars will close on **Friday, May 23, 2025**



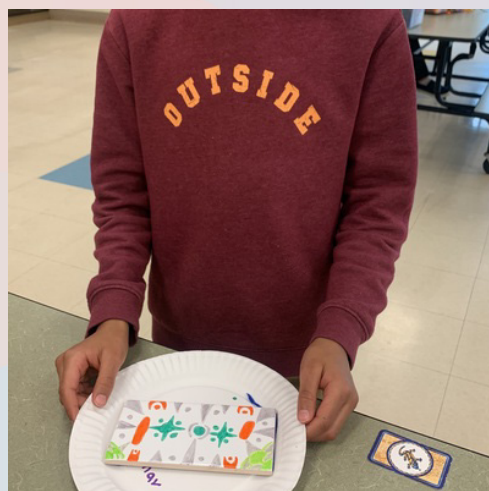


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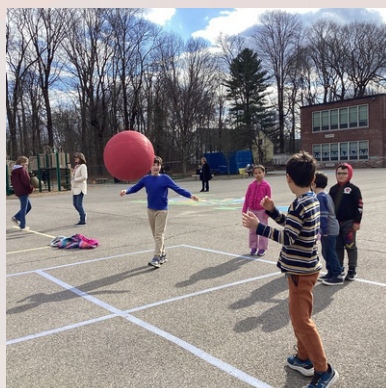


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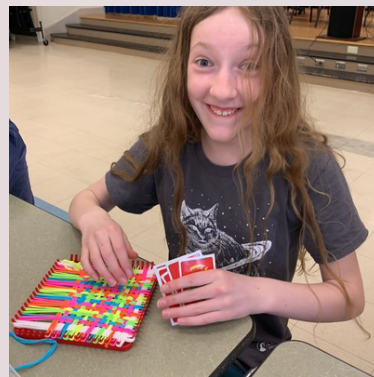
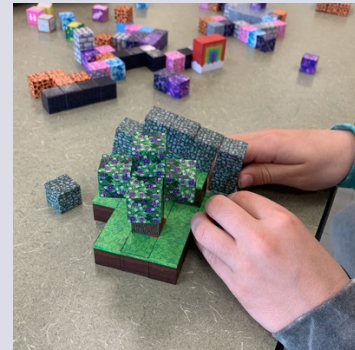


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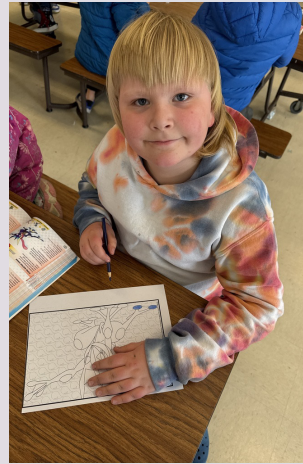


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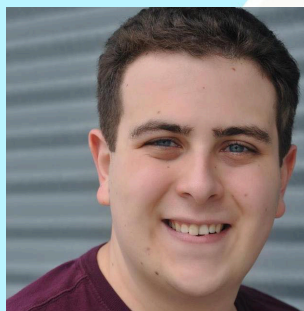
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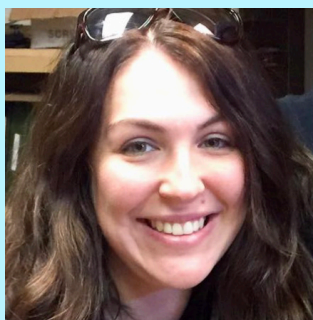
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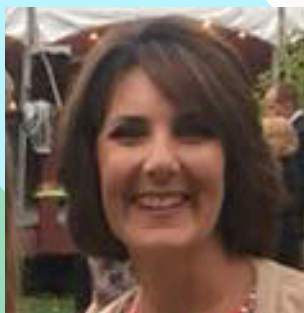
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