



Fall 2022

Ortonville Community Education

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Meet Mr. Kris Evje!

Hello! My name is Kris Evje. I am very excited to join the Ortonville School District community this fall and am humbled to serve the district as its Superintendent. Here is a little bit about me and my family.

I am a native of Fosston, MN originally, which is a town not unlike Ortonville in northwest Minnesota. I will be entering my 23rd year in education and during that time I have the wonderful chances to learn, grow, and develop professionally in ways I hope will serve the community and district well.

During one of those experiences I met my wife, Nikki (Thielke) Evje who is also an educator and as many of you know a native of Ortonville! We were so very fortunate to have opportunities to move "home" shortly after we were married back in 2010, and began to have our family together.

We are the proud parents of three active and energetic kids! Dawson (age 10) will be a 5th grader, Gibson (age 9) will be a 4th grader, and Reba (age 6) will be a 1st grader this fall at JKE! We are so happy they get to grow up in this great community close to grandparents, aunts, uncles, and cousins! As all parents of young kids know, as do those who have passed that stage, they keep your lives busy and full of activities!

I really enjoy spending time with my family and all things sports! I spent the first half of my career on the fields and courts as well as the classroom where I had so many great experiences that I love being able to share with not only my own kids, but the young people involved in various activities learning those very same valuable lessons!

I look forward to getting to know everyone and working together to achieve our common goals of ensuring the future success of all our learners by creating the transformational ability to be a lifelong learner!



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*Homecoming
Week is Oct.
10th-14th*



Prairie Fire Theater will be during the week of May 15-19, 2023. *More info will be sent home with students at a later date.*



A One Stop Shop for Minnesota Seniors

FLAG FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Practices: August 16-Oct. 13 Tuesdays & Thursdays from 5:30pm-7:00pm

Kickoff Night: August 11th with a short parent informational meeting at the school commons!

Game Nights: more info to come during practices

Cost: \$35

What to bring: water bottle, mouth guard, athletic clothing, & a great attitude!

Grades: 1st-6th grade boys and girls

****Registration deadline was May 30, but we still welcome anyone that wants to join!****



SOCCER Skills Camp

Days/Time: Mondays & Wednesdays (Sept. 19-Oct. 12) from 6-7:30pm

Cost: \$5

Grades: 3rd-7th

Location: Playground on Trojan Drive

This will be a FUN skills camp that will teach the basics of soccer to all ability levels, especially beginners. (Wear your shin guards if you have some.) Parents are welcome to watch or help out. They will not play games with other towns, just scrimmages among the team.



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SUPER SATURDAY TRAINING

Training Provided by: Tristan of Child Care Aware

Date: November 12th

This Event will include:

8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. SUIDS/AHT

10:15 to 12:15 p.m. Active Supervision: out-of-home safety issues

1:00 to 3:00 p.m. Social and Emotional Development

Cost: \$10

This training is geared towards daycare providers, foster parents, and anyone that wants some extra training in the following areas.



C.A.R.S. Training (Children and Restraint Systems)

Date: Monday, September 26 at 6:30pm-9:30pm

Location: OAS Media Center, enter through Door 7

Description: Prior to transporting children under the age nine (9), you must satisfactorily complete at least a 3-hour training on the proper use and installation of child restraint systems. This training must be provided by instructors certified and approved by the Department of Public Safety - Office of Traffic Safety and be repeated every five (5) years. Class does not need to be taken in the county in which you are licensed. The three hour child passenger safety training curriculum is approved by the Minnesota Office of Traffic Safety. *This class will qualify for foster families and daycare providers.*

Instructor: Nancy Dosdall, Car Seat Technician

Certification will go through Develop MN.

Cost: \$30 (must be paid upfront)



WANT TO TEACH A COMMUNITY EDUCATION CLASS OR HAVE A NEW PROGRAM IDEA?

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Ortonville School is accepting applications for the following positions
the 2022-2023 school year:

Substitute Teachers &
Substitute Paras
Needed

Childcare - High School Worker

Hours would be starting right after school until approx 5:00pm and 2 to 5 days a week. We can be very flexible with other work and sports schedules! More hours during non-school days are available. Looking for high schoolers that enjoy working with children, friendly, dependable, and responsible.

Please contact Director Sara Wollschlager for more information.

OPEN GYM INFO

2022-2023 Ortonville Open Gym dates:

- Sundays ONLY - Starting November 6 and going through February 26
- Open from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm
- Please use door #7. This is open to youth, adults, senior citizens to come indoors and get some activity in these colder Minnesota months. All are welcome!
- Cost is FREE.



Dance classes that start with **eager anticipation** and end with **happy memories** - Just For Kix prides in putting the **FUN** into dance.

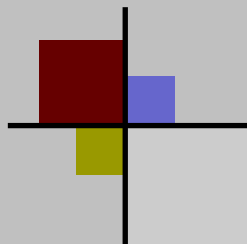
**Dance Classes for ages
3 years - 12th grade**

Classes are held at Big Stone Fitness Center - come try your first class with no obligation.

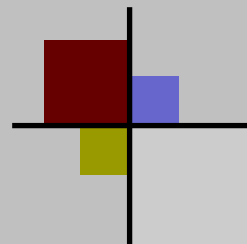
• Kick • Jazz • Lyrical • Hip Hop

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Pickleball

Pickleball? Yes, pickleball! And yes, it's a real sport! It's a little tennis, a bit of ping pong, a splash of badminton and fun to say! It's fun, it's easy, anyone can play! Described as one of the fastest growing sports in the nation and among the fastest growing senior sports in the country! Come for some fun & exercise!

Location: Pickleball courts by the OHS Football Field

Days & Times: please watch their Facebook page for updates!

Cost: FREE





Tiny Trojans had it's first summer program this past summer and wow, were we busy! We had anywhere from 30-35 students every day. Their days were filled with trips to the pool, trips to the library, speakers, demonstrations, crafts, singing, walks, visiting local parks, and lots of FUN! To end the summer, the group took a field trip to the Brookings Children's Museum! We took the "big yellow bus" as said by the 3 year olds, and had a fun day exploring, learning, eating, and enjoying the splash pad area! Friends of the Ortonville Library got a grant to feed all the children for FREE all summer long both breakfast, lunch, and snacks. Thank you Patty for the yummy food that filled their bellies every day! The teachers this summer included Ms. Heather, Ms. Amanda, Ms. Jeana, and Ms. Candace. They also had help from Jadin, Ashley, and Taya. If you are interested in Tiny Trojans for next summer, watch for info coming home after the new year.

Sara Wollschlager

Tiny Trojans Director

Minnesota Math Corps

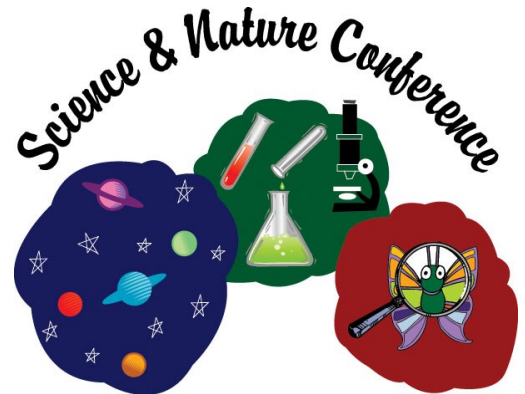
Math Enrichment Tutor:

Provide math tutoring to improve the skills of 4th-8th grade students at a local public elementary or middle schools. Positions are available at hundreds of schools throughout the state.

Training is provided, so no prior tutoring, formal education experience or experience with children is required. Tutors will also receive on-site support from trained school math coaches.

Assist 4th-8th grade students with math skills in an elementary or middle school setting, during school hours.

How to Apply: Please Visit www.ReadingandMath.net to apply.



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Do you have students who are intrigued by technology, love to invent, build things, are adventurous, fascinated by how things were created or are just curious about science and nature? Then you will not want them to miss the Science & Nature Conference. This is one of the largest and most popular science conferences for students in the country! A one-day event filled with fun, excitement and learning. Students will want to come back for more! This year, this conference will be held on May 9th, 2023.

Registration deadline is April 1. This is open to K-8th graders. If you are interested, please come see me or email me and I can get you more information so you can pick the sessions you want to attend. (Session descriptions come out in January.)

HIIT Cardio Fitness with Tyra

A little about me- I have recently been trained and certified in teaching HIIT

classes through Fit and Fire Studio in Aberdeen, SD. I am so excited to be able to bring back what I have learned through this awesome program to our community.

What to expect- Instructor led work out classes combining strength and cardio training, alternating high intensity exercises with low intensity exercises. Classes are 60 minutes long, beginning with 5-10 minutes of stretches and a warm up workout, followed by 35-40 minute main workout, and ends with a 5-10 minute burnout. Every work out is different each day. These classes are effective for weight loss, improving energy, strength, and endurance.

Exercises are primarily body weight, with incorporating equipment including boxes, kettle bells, jump ropes, dumbbells, bands, etc. All levels of fitness are welcome, instructor provides various options to modify or intensify exercises for each individual's fitness needs and goals. Classes are located at the Ortonville Trojan gym.

Minimum of 5 for a class, max of 20. Registration is done through the Spond app. Price per class is \$5.50. Payments can be made per class or a "punch card" of 10 classes for \$55. Cash, check, or Venmo is accepted.

If you are interested or would like any additional information on class dates, times, and location, please reach out to Tyra Biever 605-880-4904 or by email at tyra.biever@gmail.com



Community Education

Ortonville Community Education exists to facilitate the learning and participation of adults & youth so they can improve their lives and our community. We provide opportunities for local citizens, schools, agencies and institutions to become active partners in addressing education and community concerns. Community Education brings community members together to identify and link community needs and resources in a manner that helps people to help themselves and to raise the quality of life in our community.



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How to Register, Payments, & Refunds Info:

- A full refund will be made if Community Education cancels a class. If you have registered for a class and you cancel at least three (3) business days prior to the start of the class, you will receive a full refund of the class fee. You are not eligible for any refund beyond the three day period.
- No-shows are not eligible for a refund.
- A refund may take up to three weeks to process.
- Payment for class fees must be paid directly to the community education coordinator by cash or check prior to the start of the class.
- Pre-registration is mandatory for all Community Education classes. Your pre-registration and payment reserves your space in class. Classes fill quickly. Register early!

**President's
Day Break:
February 17 &
20**



**OHS ACT Test
is April 4, 2023**

Minnesota Permit to Carry Class

This class meets Minnesota's requirement to receive instruction in the fundamentals of pistol use, and the fundamental legal aspects of pistol possession, carry, and use, including self-defense and the restrictions on the use of deadly force. Students will also be required to complete a live fire qualification exercise.

Students will need to bring a hand gun and at least 50 round of ammunition. All other material will be provided.

Cost: \$100

Date: Saturday, September 24

Time: 9:00am-1:00pm with shooting portion of the class to follow

Website with more information: <https://www.ballisticdefense.com/mncarry>

Walking/Jogging Club

We are opening our doors for you to get some exercise during the cold Minnesota months! Come in during the hours of **6:30am-7:30am and 4pm-7pm Monday-Friday** to have hallways open to walk or jog at your own pace. The cost is **FREE!!!** Please use Door #7 to enter the school. Pre-registration is **REQUIRED** in which you need to pick up a Walking/Jogging Club lanyard identification. This identification lanyard **MUST** be worn at all times when walking/jogging in the school. Walking/Jogging club will run from November 1-April 15.

Days: Monday, Wednesday, Friday

Times: 6:30am-7:30am AND 4pm-7pm

*****Must be wearing identification lanyard at all times.*****



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Community Education Policy Statement

The District #2903 Community Education Department does not provide accident insurance for participants in any of its programs/activities. Participants assume all inherent risk of injury resulting from their involvement in programs or activities.

Participants, upon payment of activity/program fee, give consent to the use of any photographs taken by Community Ed, its employees, agents and elected officials, and such photographs shall become the property of Community Ed. Participants are not entitled to compensation of any kind for such photographs.