

**April 2, 2019**

## **Community Middle School Weekly Update**

The West Windsor-Plainsboro Regional School District has created a new email system for parents and guardians. Every week you will receive our school's newsletter. This email will include school information, district updates as well as athletics, community education, counseling information and more.

### **School News**

#### **Announcements**

- Looking for more information on CMS check out the links below.
  - [Daily Announcements](#)
  - [February/March Parent Bulletin](#) and past [Parent Bulletins](#)

### **Events**

- April 9 - End of Marking Period 3
- April 9 - 12- CMS/GMS sixth and seventh-grade dance tickets on sale during lunch
- April 10 - Seventh grade Band and Orchestra Clinic at 6 p.m. in the CMS Theater
- April 11 - [Light the Way Parent Program](#) with the CMS Counseling Department at 7 p.m. in the CMS Commons
- April 12 - CMS/GMS Spring Fling Dance (6th/7th grade only), 7-9 p.m. at Grover Middle School

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### **PTSA News**

#### **Reminders**

- CMS/GMS Spring Fling Dance (6th/7th grade only) tickets on sale Tuesday – Friday, April 9-12, during sixth and seventh grade lunch periods.
  - Seventh-grade parents can [sign up](#) to chaperone and assist with ticket sales.

- Note: Due to the volume of students at last year's dance, GMS has put a cap on the number of students that will be able to attend the spring dance. Community Middle School is selling 250 tickets during lunch at a first come - first served basis. Students will be made aware of this through Flex announcements, lunch announcements, and Wake Up Community announcements.
- Box Tops and McCaffrey's Receipts: Please put unexpired Box Tops or your McCaffrey's receipts in a bag or envelope labeled with your child's name, homeroom teacher's name and grade. If you have any questions, please contact [Salena](#).

### **Attention ALL parents: volunteers are needed!**

- The CMS PTSA is organizing a Grover's Mill Road Safety Group. Click [here](#) for more information on how you can participate.  
\*Thank you to those who have already emailed your interest. We will be in touch shortly.\*

### **Useful links**

- [PTSA Email](#)
  - [PTSA Website](#)
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### **District Updates**

- Each week we will upload all flyers and a PDF version of this email to the [website](#).
- Useful links for the district: [District Website](#) | [Academic Calendars](#) | [Calendar of Events](#) | [Community Events](#)

### **Counseling**

- [Parent University Event](#): Healing & Recovery - What Parents Should Know at 7 p.m. Tuesday, April 9, at High School South.
  - It is difficult at times for some adolescents and some adults to navigate their emotions following the sudden death of a friend or school community member. This is especially true if the death was due to suicide. The conversation will be facilitated by

George Scott, Resource Coordinator for the State Traumatic Loss Coalition. The purpose of the evening is to support parents and other adults to be aware of signs of concern and to connect children to resources for support.

## **Athletics**

- High School North and Community Middle School's [athletic schedules](#)

## **Community Education Program & Event Reminders**

- [Saturday Youth Sports Programs](#) (K-8) - Registration for On the Court Basketball, TGA Tennis, TGA Golf, and TGA Cheerleading programs will remain open until Thursday, April 4, 2019. Programs begin April 6, at Millstone River.
- [Summer Programs](#) (K-8) - Summer registration has opened for students ages five to 14. Programs run from June 24 through August 9, 2019. Half and full day options with extended care are available.
- [Summer Open House](#) (K-8) - Join WW-P's Community Education and summer vendors Saturday, April 6, for an informational open house at Millstone River School from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.
- [2019-20 Kindergarten Extension Registration](#) (pre-k to 12) - Kindergarten Extension registration opens, for the 2019-20 school year, Wednesday, April 10, 2019, at 9 a.m. Participants must reside in and attend a West Windsor-Plainsboro school in order to use the service. The program will be held at Dutch Neck Elementary School.
- [2019-20 Integrated Preschool Registration](#) (pre-k to 12) - Integrated Preschool registration opens, for the 2019-20 school year, Wednesday, April 10, 2019, at 9 a.m. The program will be held at Village School. Participants must be 3 or 4 by October 1, 2019, and independently toilet trained prior to the program start. West Windsor-Plainsboro Regional School District residency is required.

## **Food Services**

- Check out the breakfast and lunch [menus](#) for April!
- Sodexo [Student Survey](#)
- Sodexo [Parent Survey](#)

## **WW-P Board of Education Foundation**

- [Innovation Fair](#) - The West Windsor-Plainsboro Education Foundation is hosting its Third Annual Innovation Fair. The fair will be held at High School North Saturday, May 18, 2019, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- [Tech Event](#) - Check out the Tech Event for grades K-8 on April 13 from 8:30 a.m. - 7 p.m.! This event is organized by the Junior STEM group and the WW-P Education Foundation Youth Committee. Click [here](#) to sign up.

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