Petoskey Middle School Announcements

Tuesday, March 15, 2022

$3.00 Dance tickets will be for sale Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday During Lunch!

Lunch Menu

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
~~Pancakes~~ ~~Turkey Sausage Patty~~ ~~Scrambled Eggs~~	Beef Ravioli Garlic Breadstick	Savory Salisbury Steak Mashed Potatoes Whole Grain Dinner Roll	Chili Cheese Dog Sour Cream Salsa	X

****8th Graders,there is important information about elective changes & 9th grade schedules near the bottom of this announcement.**

ATTENTION! SOUND AND LIGHT THEATRE APPRENTICES: There will NOT be a need to meet today after school. Please check your email for more information. Today's meeting has been CANCELED.

<u>6th grade Track:</u> There will be an informational meeting for track TODAY, March 15th during homeroom in the cafeteria. Please check in with your homeroom teacher first. Remember - you must have a physical on file to be able to participate once the season begins.

<u>7th and 8th grade Track:</u> Sign up for track here. The website also has information about your uniform, Remind 101, and your practice calendar. Running practice begins today, March 15th 3:20-4:15, in the gym. You must have your physical on file to run with us today.

8th grade girls:

If you are interested in playing basketball at the HS next year there will be an informational meeting TODAY, March 15, during HR in the Library.

Yearbook & Photo Club will meet on Wednesday, March 16th at 3:15 – 4:15 pm in Mrs. Ingalls classroom. If you are in either club, please make sure to attend & wrap up our projects before break! We will have a guest to help us edit & finalize photos.

(PMS Help for Young Anglers; Strategies & Hints for Fishing). Mr. Swidorski will have a meeting after school on Wednesday, March 16th from 3:15 to 4:00 for PHYSH Club. Guests from Trout Unlimited will be teaching fly tying during our next meeting. Contact Mr. S with questions.

Peer to Peer: Our next meeting will be March 17th during HR in Mrs. Zamarron's classroom!

The next RC Club meeting will be Monday, March 21st in Mrs. Martin's room from 3:30-4:30. Bring your vehicles and dress for the weather.

ENRICHMENT

Math Counts for ALL 6th graders will meet on Tuesday during 6th hour. Please meet in Mrs. Dionne's room.

Social Studies Enrichment:

8th grade will meet on Wednesday during 6th hour this week.

6th and 7th grade will meet next week on Tuesday & Wednesday.

Submissions for the Crooked Tree Writing Contest are due by March 25th at 5 p.m. Mrs. Dionne will host an open writing session on Wednesday, March 23rd during 5th hour.

Girls Outreach Grants are available again for girls in 5th - 10th grade who have an idea or passion to try something new such as: an outdoor activity, lessons, or other experiences they might not otherwise be able to afford without financial support. Grants range up to $500! GO Grant information and applications can be found in the counseling center or online here. Applications are due April 8th. See Mrs. Pinney or Mrs. Kelley for more information.

The first Winter Olympic Event will occur next Monday through Wednesday, March 21st-23rd. This is a grade level / staff competition in which participants are asked to bring the following supplies to school to be donated to our own Northmen Den.

6th Grade: Shampoo / Conditioner

7th Grade: Soap / Body Wash

8th Grade: Deodorant (Spray or Stick)

Staff: Toothbrushes and Toothpaste

The winning grade level earns 5 points, second place wins 3 points, and third place wins 2 points to add to their total scores for the Olympic Games.

Attention Track Team Members: The online clothing store is now open! You must have a uniform shirt, but can use one from past years or a sibling if you'd like. Other items are optional. Orders must be made and paid for online by April 11th. They will arrive in April before our first meet.

Are you ready for a Dance?

Our first dance is Thursday, March 17th after school until 5 pm. Advanced tickets are $3 and will be sold during lunch March 15th, 16th and 17th. Tickets will be $3.50 at the door.

Virtual Art Show

An Art Show featuring students from the 2nd marking period will be displayed until March 24th!

8th Graders ONLY

Many of you haven't met with either Mrs. Kelley or Mrs. Pinney yet to go over your completed 4-year plans for high school. You need to do so before Wednesday when we will be entering them into your Xello EDP (Educational Development Plan). Please see one of the counselors ASAP with your completed planning page!

Fourth Marking Period Elective Changes

If you would like to request a change to your fourth marking period elective(s) you can do so through the google form (link). The counselors work on the requests in the order they are received and will respond to you via email telling you whether or not they were able to change your schedule. The form will be open for you to request an elective change until the end of the school day Tuesday, March 22nd.

Keep in mind:

-You cannot drop Ac Lab without parent and teacher permission.

-You cannot repeat an elective you have already taken this year. The exception is Art, and you will need teacher permission.

- You will not be able to request or make any changes to your schedule once the new marking period begins.

Talk to a counselor if you have any questions.