## Millstone River 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 Reminders

- April 2 Grades K-5 Report Cards will be available after 3 p.m.
- April 12 Grades K-5 Early Dismissal Day for Parent-Teacher Conferences.

## PTA News Events

- April 2 Girls on the Run is a nonprofit youth development program for girls in third-eighth grade that uses running as a tool to promote physical, social and emotional growth. This program will be run in Millstone River by our very own school counselors. For more information check out the <u>Girls on the Run</u> <u>flyer</u> and click <u>here</u> to register.
- April 5 The school Supply Sale for spring is here! We are celebrating Earth Day, Mother's Day and of course spring! Children have the opportunity to buy items for school related to these three themes. <u>Sign up to volunteer at the Supply Sale!</u>
- Keep an eye on this section for news on upcoming meetings and events. There are several events coming up this spring and we will be looking for volunteers!

## Announcements Attention ALL parents: volunteers are needed!

• The CMS PTSA is organizing a Grover's Mill Road Safety Group. Click <u>here</u> for more information on how you can participate.

## Reminders

- PTA General Membership Meeting is April 3 at 9:45 a.m. We will be sharing PTA bylaws, and the nominating committee will be sharing its report on the nominations for next year's PTA board. An opportunity shall be provided to give nominations from the group present as well.
- MRS Yearbook: <u>Create a special message</u> for your child in the MRS Yearbook! Spaces are limited, so act quickly! All student portrait pictures, events, memories of the school year are all in this special yearbook. Click <u>here</u> to order an MRS Yearbook.

## Useful links

- PTA Facebook Page
- PTA Website

## **District Updates**

- Each week we will upload all flyers and a PDF version of this email to the <u>website</u>.
- Useful links for the district: <u>District Website</u> | <u>Academic Calendars</u> | <u>Calendar of Events</u> | <u>Community Events</u>

## Counseling

- <u>Parent University Event</u>: 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.

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

- <u>Saturday Youth Sports Programs</u> (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.
- <u>Summer Programs</u> (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.
- <u>Summer Open House</u> (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.
- <u>2019-20 Integrated Preschool</u> 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 lunch <u>menus</u> for April!

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

• <u>Innovation Fair</u> - 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.

 <u>Tech Event</u> – 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 <u>here</u> to sign up.

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