Thomas R. Grover 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, PTSA news, district updates as well as athletics, community education, counseling information and more.

School News

 Check out the <u>Daily Announcements</u> on our website for more dates and information!

Reminders

• April 30: Grades 6-12 report cards will be available after 3 p.m.

Athletics

- Check out the 2019-20 Registration Dates for High School Athletics
- High School South and Grover Middle School's <u>athletic schedules</u>.
- Check out the WW-P High School Girls <u>Summer Soccer Conditioning Program</u>.

PTSA News

Reminders

• **SEPTSA**: SEPTSA in conjunction with AAPSG and Dutch Neck, Maurice Hawk, Town Center andWicoff PTAs, present Best Practices in Early Literacy – Becoming a Reader: May 1, 7 p.m. at Grover Middle School. Deborah Lynam, director of partnerships and engagement at the AIM Institute for Learning and Research, will be the presenter. Deborah is active in literacy and education initiatives at local, state and national levels, and holds graduate-level certification in Orton-Gillingham through Fairleigh Dickinson University. The AIM Institute for Learning and Research provides teachers and professionals both training and access to field experts in the areas of spoken language, reading, writing, and math. The programs reflect the latest research and knowledge of best practices and evidence-based instruction within each area.

- **Just Write a Check Update** We are running out of time to meet our \$5000 goal. We've only raised \$3,700. We need to start planning and paying for next year's assemblies. We are asking each family to send in \$10 for each student if they are able. THANK YOU to all the families who have already donated!
- Don't forget to drop off your **Box Tops for Education and McCaffrey's receipts**in the plastic bin in the lobby. They do expire so get them in soon.

Volunteers Needed

- **Mother's Day Plant Sales** Thursday, May 9. We need help with set up, sales, and clean up. Click <u>here</u> to sign up.
- **Staff Appreciation Lunch** May 17. <u>Sign up</u> to help with food donations, set up, and clean up.

Useful links

- PTSA Email
- Donate Online
- PTSA Website
- Facebook
- Twitter
- Amazon Smile: 157261 Thomas Grover Middle School PTSA

District Updates

Events

 Mark your calendar for the opening of the <u>HAPPy Museum</u> on June 4, 2019, from 6-8 p.m. at High School South.

Reminders

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

Community Events

- 2019 Plainsboro Centennial Events Information
- A letter from the Mayor of Plainsboro Township about Founders Day

• Looking for more programs, clubs and things to do around WW-P? Check out the community event section on the district's website!

Counseling

• The Parent University Program: Parenting in the Age of Social Media has been canceled.

Community Education Program and Event Reminders

- <u>Summer Programs</u> Summer registration has opened for students ages five to 14. Programs run from June 24 through Aug. 9, 2019. Half and full day options with extended care are available.
- 2019-20 Kindergarten Extension Registration Kindergarten Extension registration is now open. 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 Registration</u> Integrated Preschool registration is now open The program will be held at Village School. Participants must be 3 or 4 by Oct. 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 <u>menus</u> for May!
- Sodexo <u>Parent Survey</u>
- Sodexo Student Survey
- Check out the <u>April 2019 Sodexo Newsletter</u>

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>STAR Campaign</u> Give a STAR to honor your child's teacher, guidance counselor, principal or other staff people who make a difference in your child's life. STAR requests are due by May 3, 2019.

Make sure to follow the district on WW-P's official social media pages.

<u>Twitter</u> | <u>Facebook</u> | <u>Instagram</u> | <u>LinkedIn</u>