

Jan. 17, 2020

Grover Middle School Weekly Update

Monday, Jan. 20: All WW-P schools and board offices will be closed.

PTSA News

- Winter Wonderjam sponsored by GMS Student Council is **tonight, Friday, Jan. 17!** Please sign-up to chaperone via signup genius: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080b48abaf2ca6f49-winter1>
- Please plan to attend the [GMS PTSA general meeting](#) on **Wednesday, Jan. 22 at 6:30 p.m.** in the GMS commons. WWPd and PPD will be sharing important information on social media safety and drugs/vaping. *Please note this presentation is for parents only, no children will be permitted to attend. Co-sponsored by GMS and CMS PTSA's.
- Assembly for 8th graders on **Tuesday, Jan. 28!** A special free encore [presentation of the "Do You Know Mykee" assembly](#) at 7 p.m. in the HSS New Theater sponsored by the district PTSA's. Parents and students in grades 8-12 are encouraged to attend.

Useful links: This is your PTSA and we want to hear from you. Reach out to us with questions or comments!

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SEPTSA

- **Jan. 30: PTSA Meeting "Understanding How to Improve IEPs and 504s" - 7 p.m.**, at Community Middle School (55 Grovers Mill Rd, Plainsboro). The speaker, Beth Manes, J.D., Special Needs Attorney, will help parents understand how to effectively use IEP documents and evaluations to improve your child's school experience.

Please contact Jennifer Riccards (jenballen@yahoo.com) for questions or to RSVP.

Links: [WW-P SEPTSA Facebook](#) | [WW-P SEPTSA Website](#) | [Membership Form](#)

- **Jan 28:** [SPAN, Parent Advocacy Network](#) will present **“Look to the Future: Transition from School to Adult Life”** hosted by WW-P and the West Windsor-Plainsboro Education Association Jan. 28, 2020, at 6:30 p.m. at Community Middle School. Click [here](#) for more details and registration information.
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School News

- **Spring club lottery registration:** Registration will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 21, Wednesday, Jan. 22 and Thursday, Jan. 23 during all lunches. Clubs will begin in February. The most up-to-date GMS club descriptions and information is available [online](#).
- **8th Grade Parents:** High school administrators and content supervisors will be hosting a Program of Studies Orientation for 8th grade Grover MS Parents at **HS South Auditorium, Wednesday, Feb. 5, 2020, 7 p.m.** A special education parent presentation will begin at 5:45 p.m. in the HS South playhouse. Curriculum details, scheduling procedures and the importance of making sound course selections will be reviewed. The information provided at this forum will be of great assistance as you and your child plan courses for next year.
- Check out the [Daily Announcements](#) on our website for dates, club and event announcements, information and more!
- Check out the [important upcoming dates for January and February](#).
- Click [here](#) for the district’s communication process and please make sure your phone numbers and email addresses are up-to-date in Genesis.

Athletics

- Spring sports registration for middle school students will open on Genesis at 8 a.m. on Jan. 27 and will close at 11 p.m. on Mar. 4.

Around the District News

- [WW-P athletes and fans can now find out about game and practice cancellations by calling our athletic hotlines.](#)
 - **Tuesday, Jan. 28:** A special free [presentation of the “Do You Know Mykee” assembly](#) at 7 p.m. in the HSS New Theater sponsored by the district PTSAs. Parents and students in grades 8-12 are invited to attend.
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District Updates

- [District Website](#) | [Academic Calendars](#) | [Event Calendar](#)

Athletics

- Check out the [WW-P Athletics monthly newsletter](#) with information on spring sports registration, exciting upcoming competitions, and honors achieved by our student athletes.

Counseling and Wellness

- **Parent University:** The next Parent University event will be held Thursday, Feb. 20, 7 p.m. at CMS. The topic is “Vaping: What Your Kids Don’t Want You to Know.” Check out the 2020 dates for our upcoming [Parent University Events](#) or review the previous presentations.

Community Education

- **Extended Day Program** registration is ongoing throughout the school year. [Sign up by clicking here.](#)
- Space is available in the morning and afternoon **Kindergarten Extension!** [Register by clicking here.](#)
- **Upcoming SAT Programs** - Community Education sponsored classes through [Kaplan](#), [Princeton Review](#), and [Lentz & Lentz](#) are offered throughout the school year at High School North and South.

Community Events

- Are you looking for programs, clubs and things to do around WW-P? Check out the [community event section](#) on the district's website!

Food Services

- Download the [Sodexo's So Happy app](#) to view nutritional information, allergens, [menus](#) and more.

WW-P Board of Education

- Check out the upcoming [Board of Education Meeting](#) dates. Agenda and materials for Board meetings are published after 3:30 p.m. the Friday prior to the meeting.

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

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