# MAYFIELD WOODS

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# From the Principal's Desk...

It is hard to believe we only have two more weeks of school so I would like to take this opportunity to provide you with key dates and deadlines for the end of the year.

At this point, media books were due June 5th, so they are now considered overdue. Please return them as soon as possible.

Report cards will be mailed home on June 23. Please remember that any book which is not returned, or has not been paid for, will result in the student's report card being held by the school until payment is received, the book is returned, or a replacement is purchased.

Student Medication – If your child has had medication in the health room this year, please arrange to have it picked up on the last day of school (June 19). Any medication not picked up by this time must be destroyed per county policy.

The 8th grade Celebration, which consists of a dinner and dance will be this Friday, June 12. The PTA has done a wonderful job organizing this event for our students and I am sure they will have a memorable time.

Those students who purchased a Memory Book in advance will receive them on June 17.

#### Regards,

#### JoAnn Hutchens



# STUDENT RECOGNITION & ACTIVITIES

#### **CITIZENS OF THE MONTH:**

MAY

6th Grade:Andrew Datz, Camille Young7th Grade:Sean O'Rourke, Emily Kubinak8th Grade:Ankit Mohan, Sharon ZhangRelated Arts:Parker Gribbin, Heily Torres

Congratulations to all of these students for demonstrating BARK attributes: Be Safe, Act Responsibly, Respect Self and Others, and Keep Focused!

#### 8th GRADE EVENTS

Music Awards Banquet - June 11 - 6:30 pm EOY Dinner/Dance - June 12 - 6:30 pm

#### **PARENTS OF CURRENT 6TH GRADERS - IMMUNIZATIONS**

Students entering 7th grade in the 2015-2016 school year will be required to show proof of Tdap and MCV4 immunizations. Please check with your child's doctor to see if your child has already received these immunizations. If you have questions, please contact Mrs. Sterenberg in our Health Room.

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#### LAST 2 DAYS OF SCHOOL

June 18 - 2 Hour Early Dismissal June 19 - Last Day of School - 3 Hour Early Dismissal

#### SCHOOL SUPPLY KITS FOR 6th & 7th Graders

School supply kit order forms were sent home with current 6th and 7th graders last week. Online orders are due by June 19. If you would like to place an order using the paper form, please return the form to school no later than Friday, June 12. Questions? Please contact Jill Witkin, PTA President, at mayfieldwoodspta@gmail.com.

## **SCHOOL MEALS**

June 8 Beef Taco, Chicken Nuggets	June 12 Kosher Hot Dog, Chicken Patty w/Roll	6/18 Chicken Patty on Roll
June 9 Popcorn Chicken w/Roll,		6/19 Popcorn Chicken & Roll
Toasted Cheese Sandwich	6/15 Beef Taco, Popcorn Chicken	*EVERYDAY OPTION: Pizza, Grilled
June 10 Chicken Nuggets w/Roll, Chicken Patty w/Roll	6/16 Cheese/Hamburger, Manager's Choice	Veggies on Roll, Salad Bar
June 11 Cheese/Hamburger, Meatball Sub	6/17 BBQ Pork Rib Sub, Manager's Choice	
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#### More Information... Student Search and Seizure

#### (Policy 9260)

Authorized school officials have the right to search students, their possessions, and automobiles during the school day and at schoolrelated activities when the school official has a reasonable belief that the student possesses an impermissible item. Additionally, authorized school officials may search property assigned to a student for school use, such as lockers, desks, electronic devices, and cubbies, at any time.

#### Middle School World Language

Students are now able to register for the Middle School World Language program through the HCPSS BSAP/K-9 Summer Institute. Rising 8th graders, who were not enrolled in world language in grade 7, may enroll in French or Spanish this summer. Successful completion of this course will prepare students to enroll in the appropriate grade 8 language course for the 2015-2016 school year. The course meets from June 29 - July 24 from 8:30am -12:15pm at Lime Kiln Middle School (\$275).

If interested, please complete the online registration form on the summer school website. Registration website - http://tinyurl.com/HCPSSsummer . Direct link to MS World Language Program registration form - http:// tinyurl.com/ MSlanguage-2015

#### 2015 Summer Classes & Camps

Summer school course catalogs and registration information is available on the HCPSS website, http:// www.hcpss.org/summer/.

#### 2015-2016 Long Reach HS Baseball

Long Reach Baseball will be holding tryouts for all players entering 9th grade this August. If you are interested in playing baseball at Long Reach High, please provide your name and contact information on the baseball sign in sheet located at Student Services during high school visitation day, June 3,2015 or contact Coach Chris Young at e-mail address: christopher.young@pnc.com

#### Food and Nutrition Survey

Please take a moment to share your opinions of our food service program. The input will be used to improve your

school cafeteria experience. The survey requires you to login though your Google Apps for Education account. The survey will close on June 12.

#### Middle School Survey Link: http://hcpssne.ws/ msfoodnutrition

Note: The Google account is the same username and password as your school computer login.

# CALENDAR DATES

June II 8th Grade Music Banquet - 6:30 pm

**June 12** 8th Grade End of Year Celebration, 6:30 pm

June 18 Schools close 2 hours early

**June 19** Last day of school - schools close 3 hours early

June 29 Summer School begins (MWMS summer school is being held at Elkridge Landing MS.)

August 24 2015-2016 School Year begins - First Student Day

Support MWMS? With

the exception of Target, please be sure to redesignate your store cards each year. Please see the web sites below :

Giant - School code: 02707 www.giantfood.com/aplus

Safeway- Group ID: 6534676 Use your Club Card and please pay with any form of payment that is NOT a credit card so our group will earn. Sign up with eScrip please visit <u>http://</u> www.escrip.com/signup .

Target - Our School ID is 58072. <u>www.target.com</u> Go to Community – Take Charge of Education

Food Lion - School ID 211854. <u>www.foodlion.com</u>/ Community-Connections/ Lion-Shop-And-Share

SAVE YOUR BOXTOPS!

**Fall Sports Physicals** will take place at Howard High School on Thursday, June 11, 2015 from 6:00 pm-7:30pm in the Nurse's Office across from the Media Center. The cost for the sports physical is \$30/per student – cash, check (payable to Lions' Pride), or \$33.00 for charge. Please sign up for appointments on pick-a-time via this link: <u>https://</u> pickatime.com/client?date=6/11/15&ven=11603666

**Concussion Testing for High School Athletics** 

Concussion testing will take place on Thursday, June 11th and Friday, June 12th from 2:30pm - 4:00pm and 4:30pm - 6:00pm in the Media Lab. There will also be testing on Monday, July 13th and Tuesday, July 14th from 10:00am - 11:30am and 12:00pm - 1:30pm. Concussion testing is required for all incoming freshmen athletes and any athlete who has not tested in the last two years. Contact Joe Thomas at (410) 313-7414 or at joseph\_thomas@hcpss.org with any questions.

# **PTA NEWS**

<u>mayfieldwoodspta@gmail.com</u> "Like" MWMS PTA on Facebook!

• PTA MEETING: Please join us on Wednesday, June 10, for the last PTA Meeting of the 2014-2015 school year. It will be held at 7 pm in the Media Center.

• 2015-2016 COMMITTEE POSITIONS There are still a number of open PTA positions. Please contact Jill Witkin at jswitkin@comcast.net or

410-799-4571 if you are interested.

- 8th GRADE EOY DINNER/DANCE June 12, 6:30 - 9:30 p.m.
  - To donate supplies, please click on the following link :

www.SignUpGenius.com/go/ 10C0E49AAAC29A1FB6-mwms/ 22092415

### COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

(THESE EVENTS ARE NEITHER SPONSORED NOR ENDORSED BY HCPSS.)

#### Howard County Arts Council ARTreach,

June 20, 11a.m.- 4 p.m., Join us for ARTreach, a free, outdoor, community arts festival at the Long Reach Village Center. Visit http:// www.artreachhoco.org or contact 410-313-2787 or outreach@hocoarts.org.

#### Benjamin Banneker Historical Park

Colonial market fair, Sat-Sun., June 13-14, 10 a.m.- 4 p.m., Benjamin Banneker Historical Park, 300 Oella Avenue, Catonsville, MD., a \$5.00 donation for parking is requested.

#### **Stressless Test**

Don't miss out on the 2015 Summer Study Skills Camps, Aug. 3 -7 and Aug. 10-14 at the Owen Brown Community Association Center in Columbia. Middle School classes meet from 9-11 a.m. High School classes meet from 12-2 p.m. To register, go to <u>www.Stresslesstests.org</u>. For more info, contact Betty Caldwell at 410 740-4659, or Bcaldwell202@gmail.com