

MCMS NEWSLETTER

November

Mifflin County Middle School

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Office Hours: 7:30 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.



Parent/Teacher Conferences

Monday, November 9, 2020 (4:30 -7:30 p.m.)

Due to current COVID-19 protocols, we will be conducting all parent/teacher conferences via phone calls or Zoom video sessions. You must pre-schedule a time for all conferences you wish to hold with each individual teacher by emailing the teacher and notifying them if you would like to participate in a phone call conference, or a meeting via a video conference. Please begin contacting teachers soon.

***Information/email addresses can be found on the MCMS website

Ski Club

We regret to inform you that due to Covid restrictions, MCMS will not be able to have Ski Club this year. We hope to resume ski club activities next school year. Thank you for your understanding!



Tech Tutorials

Having difficulty with technology on Remote Fridays? Check out Tech Tutorials. This cite is designed for MCSD students and parents. Simply go to the MCSD website, click on the Students/Parents tab, and then go to Tech Tutorials. You will find step-by-step directions for converting documents, PDF's, connecting to MCSD Wifi, Google Classroom, changing your password, using webmail, etc.

Upcoming Events

November 6, 2020

End of the Marking Period

November 9, 2020

Parent/Teacher Conferences

November 10th and 11th, 2020

No School for Students

November 6th, 13th, and 20th

Remote Learning Fridays

Upcoming Events Cont'd

November 18, 2020

Report Cards Issued

November 25, 2020

Early Dismissal (1:15 p.m.)

November 26th - 27th, 2020

Thanksgiving Vacation

December 1, 2020

Picture Retakes

Husky Educational Learning Program

(H.E.L.P.)

Tuesdays and Thursdays (3:00-4:30 p.m.)

MCMS offers an after-school tutoring program for all 6th and 7th grade students who may need additional assistance with any of their academic subjects. Students may receive help with classwork/homework, study for tests, receive additional instruction, or get caught up with work. MCMS teachers supervise the program and are available to assist students with academic needs. Computer access is available. Student pick-ups are in the cafeteria parking lot.

From the Nurse

As your child prepares for their middle school years, please note the following PA Department of Health school health requirements:

6th Grade Vaccinations and Physical Examination: The school nurse will accept a completed physical examination with the student's healthcare provider from up to one year prior to the first day of school this year or at any time during the sixth-grade year. A copy of the child's immunization record must be completed and turned in with the physical. Prior to the 2021-2022 school year, every student entering seventh grade must have a TDAP and an MCV (meningococcal) vaccination. These vaccines are a state requirement and failure to either turn in proof of vaccination or an exemption due to moral or religious belief can result in the student being excluded from school until proof of the vaccine or appointment to get one is turned in. Students may request physical examination forms in the school nurse's office or they can be downloaded and printed from the district's webpage.

7th Grade Dental: The school nurse will accept a dental form dated from up to one year prior to the school start date or anytime during their seventh-grade year. It is a state requirement that every student in 7th grade must have a dental exam. Dental forms can be picked up in the nurse's office or downloaded from the district's webpage.

MCMS Computer Club

MCMS Computer Club will be starting Nov. 2nd from 3:00-4:00 p.m. in Mr. Yerger's computer lab. Flyers with additional information (including future meeting dates) are located outside of his classroom door for students to pick up. All MCMS students are welcome to attend. Parent pick up must occur no later than 4:00pm at the flagpole in the cafe parking lot for students interested in participating. Please email Mr. Yerger with any questions at: mry48@mcsdk12.org



HOMELESSNESS AWARENESS WEEK

November 16-20

Please help Mifflin County School District & the Association of Mifflin County Educators support students who are experiencing homelessness. Donations will benefit the MCSD Student Supply Pantry and the Weekend Power Pack Programs at EDES, IVES, LES, and SMES.

Students & Community Members

Please consider donating any of the non-perishable food items listed below. Donations can be dropped off outside the main office of any school building.

Cereal Bars	Muffins	Pop Tarts	Drink Pouches
Crackers	Pretzels	Canned Soup	Ramen Noodles
Snack Packs	Fruit Snacks	Fruit Cups	Chips
Cup of Noodles	Easy Mac & Cheese		
Chef Boyardee Cans	Microwavable Meals		

Monetary donations and gift cards are also helpful and can be dropped off at the Mifflin County School District Administration Building.

**Everyone is encouraged to wear a red shirt on
Thursday, November 19.**

Thank you for your support!

Questions? Michelle Sime. MCSD Homeless Liaison. 717-248-0148. Ext. 2546.mrf33@mcsdk12.org

NOVEMBER HUSKY OF THE MONTH WINNERS

6th Grade:

Bryce Hartsock

Catalina Snyder

Da'liyah Crawford -
George

Griffin Damicantonio

Payton Weaver

7th Grade:

Aubrey Walls

Ava Kratzer

Jamarcus Cuff

Raul Alexis Garcia
Marin

Yavier Ramos
Batista



