

South Middle School Newsletter

May 28th, 2023

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Upcoming Events

May 29th- All schools are closed.

May 30th -Choir 8 Concert 7:00 pm

May 30th – South Falcon Advisory Meeting 6:00 pm

May 31st-1 Camp Manitou for 6th grade team J.

June 1st-2nd Camp Manitou for 6th grade team K.

June 6th- Last day of school for students



I've missed more than 9000 shots in my career.
I've lost almost 300 games.
26 times, I've been trusted to take the game winning shot and missed.
I've failed over and over and over again in my life And that is why I succeed.

⁻ Michael Jordan

 Our greatest weakness lies in giving up.
 The most certain way to succeed is always to try just one more time.

Get back up and learn from a mistake. Overcome obstacles.

Get back up and learn from a mistake; Overcome obstacles; Run toward a fear; Work through emotions; Be determined; End strong

News and Announcements

Counseling Corner

As our school year winds down everyone has different thoughts about summer. Some are excited to be done with school, some are worried about what they will or can do and some are just looking forward to just not having school. If you need some ideas for activities check out this article that list mindful summer activities for families. <u>https://www.mindfulschools.org/inspiration/10-mindful-summer-activities-for-kids/</u>



10 Mindful Summer Activities for Kids

If your household is anything like mine, the excitement of summer break can come to a crashing halt when the cries of "I'm bored!" begin. And that can happen on day two of summer. If you're feeling fresh out of ideas, check out this list of 10 Mindful Summer Activities. These mindful summer activities are mindful in the sense that they are helping our kids learn to pay attention (to their bodies and their minds) and to understand their feelings. You don't even have to use the word mindfulness—make it a fun activity and the learning will happen organically. Get Outside! 1. The Popsicle Challenge The

www.mindfulschools.org

Please note your students school counselors will be out of the office from June 8th until August 21st and will reply to any questions or concerns you may have at that time. If you need immediate attention, please call the main office at 715-852-5200.

School counselors for next year are as follows.

Mike Polzer - 6th grade

Roberta Kostka - 7th grade

Maggie Kison - 8th grade

Weekend Kids Meal Summer Sign- up

You can sign up for meals <u>here</u>. Please contact Jen Whatley (<u>iwhatley@ecasd.us</u>) if you would like a paper copy. Check out the ECASD Family Services page to find helpful ECASD and community resources.

WWW.ECASD.US/FAMILYSERVICES



BASKETBALL MEETING MAY 31, 2023 6:00 P.M.

8TH GRADE BOYS INTERESTED IN BASKETBALL AT MHS SHOULD ATTEND



8th grade boys interested in trying out for high school basketball at Memorial High School should attend the informational meeting on Wednesday, May 31st at 6:00 p.m. At this meeting, you will receive all the information you will need for this summer and upcoming tryouts. If you have questions, please contact Coach Chad Brieske at cbrieske@ecasd.us.

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	Meals are f	ree for children a	ge 18 or under and	for students w	ith physical or cog	nitive disabilities	up to age 21.	
Wit	n parental permiss	sion and progra	m enrollment, We	ekend Kids M	eals sponsored b	y Feed My Peo	ole Food Bank av	/ailable:
June 1	5, 22, 29 at Main Offi	ce, Meadowview, N	lontessori, Putnam He	eights, Robbins,	Roosevelt, Sam Dav	ey, Delong, Northst	ar, South, Memoria	and North
J	uly 13 at Main Office,	Flynn, Lakeshore, L	ocust Lane, Longfello	w, Manz, Northy	voods, Sherman, De	long, Northstar, So	uth, Memorial, and I	North
	July 20 at	t Main Office, Flynn	, Lakeshore, Locust La	ine, Longfellow,	Manz, Northwoods,	Sherman, Memoria	al and North	
			, Lakeshore, Locust La					

Summer Pop-Ups

Free groceries for anyone in need.

Meat • Fresh Produce • Dairy • Dry Goods • Snacks

• Drive-thru style • Groceries are loaded directly into vehicle • No ID required • May pick up for more than one household



Yearbooks

All students that have ordered a yearbook can pick them up in the cafeteria in the morning or during lunch on **May 30th and 31st**. You can also purchase a yearbook during that time for **\$25.00**.



Patriot Pen Award



Congratulations to Alexa, Lucy, and Taylor for winning the Patriot Pen award. Lance from the VFW Post 7232 came and presented the awards to the three 8th graders.



Willy Wonka

For the entire 4th quarter, all of Mrs. LaVelle's ELA, Reading and Math classes have been doing curriculum around the story, Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory. Students earned Wonka tickets for staying on task, turning in missing assignments, improving class grades and being a kind person. During certain days, the students can turn in their Wonka tickets in their very own classroom store for candy and other prizes.



Global Issues Book Fair

On Friday 6th graders had a global issues book fair to celebrate the work that they have done on a major research project regarding a variety of global issues. Students learned about teen activism and what it means to "take action" about an issue. They then stepped into the shoes of a teen activist and researched a topic that they are passionate about in order to write a Nonfiction Chapter Book trying to teach and inform others about their issue.







