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Middle School Principal

June 4, 2010

Class Requests

Requests for class placement next year need to be in writing, either through letter or email, to me by July 1, 2010. It is important to remember that a classroom and/or teacher request is about more than just wanting a certain teacher or your child placed with their friends, it's about proving that your child will benefit academically by being in a specific environment. Middle School is structured by teams, which is different from the Elementary School. The students will move from classroom to classroom and will be taught by all the team teachers. Classroom requests are just for homerooms. To meet the children's academic needs, the 5th Grade homerooms were split into 3 academic groups after the first Trimester this year. It is the goal of the Middle School for the students to recognize themselves as a grade level team, as opposed to individual classrooms. Please feel free to contact myself or Mrs. Farrar, Guidance Counselor, if you have any questions.

Report Cards

Report Cards will be sent home on the last day of school. If your child has overdue library books or has any debt owed to the school or cafeteria, they will not receive their Report Card until these obligations are cleared up. Students who did not meet expectations on individual standards during Trimester 1 and 2, will receive an End-of-the-Year Report updating progress made on those standards. **Only students who received a Below Expectations (BE) or Approaching Expectations (AE) during Trimester 1 and 2 will receive an End-of-the-Year Report.**

Supply Lists

Teachers will be turning in supply lists by the end of the school year. These lists will be placed on our website by July 1st.

Lost and Found

Hooded sweatshirts are, once again, abundant in the Lost & Found. Before the end of **June**, please take a few minutes to stop by Ellis School to look through the accumulated items (since **April** vacation) that are neatly arranged....making it easier to "find" something that has been "lost"! **All unclaimed items will be donated to charity on July 1st.**



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Field Day

On Friday morning, June 11th, the Fremont PTA will be sponsoring Field Day. All of the students and staff in Kindergarten through 6th Grade will be there for this great event! Field Day is held at the Joe Bonis Memorial Field Complex. Students will spend the day participating in fantastic Field Day activities. **Students should bring in a refillable water bottle to their homeroom teacher as soon as possible. We will label them with students' names and have them ready for Field Day. Water will be provided at the field.** Any parent wishing to volunteer is asked to contact the PTA or Shawn Perrault at Shawn_Perrault@hotmail.com.

NHAMLE Scholar Awards

On June 3, 2010, two of our 8th Grade students were honored at the New Hampshire Association for Middle Level Education Awards Dinner in Manchester. Hannah Keane and Jonathan Brown were selected to receive the New Hampshire Middle Scholar Leader Award for 2010.

Awards Assemblies

There will be an Awards Assembly for Grades 7 and 8 on Monday, June 21st, at 8:30 a.m. This is in addition to awards that will be presented at Graduation. There will also be an Awards Assembly for Grades 5 and 6 on Tuesday, June 22nd, at 8:30 a.m. **Parents are invited to attend.**

Graduation Class of 2010

Dinner Dance - Saturday, June 12 - Dinner Dance for 8th Grade Students from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Canobie Lake Park - Friday, June 18 - All 8th Grade students will be going to Canobie Lake Park

Awards Assembly - Monday, June 21 - Awards Assembly for 7th and 8th Grade (description above)

Class Day - Tuesday, June 22 - 8th Grade students will receive their Yearbooks,
view the 8th Grade Video, and attend the 8th Grade Luncheon

Graduation - Tuesday, June 22 - Graduation Ceremony in the Ellis School Gym beginning at 6:30 p.m.
(Please note the time of Graduation is 6:30 p.m., not 7:00 p.m.)



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Thank You

I want to thank everyone who helped to make this a great year. The staff at Ellis School is a dedicated and talented group of individuals who truly care about students. The parents, community, and School Board have been generous with their support. I especially want to thank the students for their incredible pride and respect of Ellis School. Their hard work has made this a great year and the reason I come to work every day.

Upcoming Dates

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| June 8 - Parent Forum 5:00-6:00 p.m. | June 18 - 8th Grade trip to Canobie Lake |
| June 8 - School Board Meeting 6:30 p.m. | June 21 - 7th & 8th Grade Awards Day |
| June 11 - Field Day for Kindergarten through 6 th Grade | June 22 - 5th & 6th Grade Awards Day |
| June 11 - 7 th Grade trip to Canobie Lake Park | June 22 - 8th Grade Class Day |
| June 12 - 8th Grade Dinner Dance 5:30 p.m. | June 22 - Last Day of School |
| June 18 - 5 th & 6 th Grade trip to Odione State Park | June 22 - 8th Grade Graduation 6:30 p.m. |
| June 18 - 7th Grade trip to the State House, Concord | |

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Have a Great Summer!



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