MWES NEWSLETTER WEEK OF 9-17-18

A NOTE FROM MRS. DEBORD & MRS. BIALESKI

Hello Manor Woods Community!

As we get settled back into our daily routines, I just want to share briefly about the wonderful things we see going on at Manor Woods within our classrooms. (You too can see some photos if you follow us on Twitter!!!) Kindergarten is learning the routines and expectations of the classroom and also a lot about themselves and others. First grade students are reviewing skills and preparing for the Daily 5. Second grade is already building their reading stamina by knowing how to pick an OK book for their skill set. Third grade students learned about different types of stress and how to handle stress during one of their Health lessons. Fourth grade completed the various math tasks to show the teachers what great mathematicians they are and what the students already know! Lastly, our fifth graders have enjoyed being the "oldest" in the building and have shown kindness towards our younger students.

If you are a parent of a 3, 4, or 5th grader, don't forget that Back to School Night is Monday. NEW Orchestra parents will be in the gymnasium at 6:00 pm.

September 17, 2018

6:00 pm Fourth and Fifth Grades

7:00 pm Third Grade & GT Math

Lastly, just a gentle reminder that we are counting on you to join the PTA! Our students have many wonderful culture and instructional opportunities in which they participate and learn because of the money that your membership provides. Please consider joining today!

Fondly,

Carol DeBord, Principal

Julia Bialeski, Assistant Principal

SAVE THE DATES

Back -to- School Nights for the 2018-2019 School Year

September 17, 2018

6:00 pm Fourth and Fifth Grades

7:00 pm Third Grade & GT Math

September 28, 2018

5:30-7:30 pm PTA Back-to-School Picnic - More details coming soon!

CALENDAR

- **September 17, 2018** 6:00 pm New Orchestra Parent Orientation in Cafeteria
- September 19, 2018 Yom Kippur Schools and Offices Closed
- September 24, 2018 MAP (math) testing 1st Grade 12 pm
- September 25, 2018 MAP (ELA) testing 1st Grade 9:00 am
- October 1, 2018 MAP (math) testing 5th Grade 10:05 am
- October 2, 2018 MAP (math) testing 5th Grade 10:05 am
- October 4, 2018 MAP (math) testing 4th Grade 8:50 am
- October 8, 2018 JA Day
- October 8, 2018 7:00 pm PTA Meeting

SCHOOL NEWS

STAY UP TO DATE WITH OUR WEBSITE!

Dear Families, We would like to encourage all of you to use our website frequently to stay up-todate on the happenings at Manor Woods. Many frequently asked questions can be answered just from visiting our home page. We are working hard on our end to update information on a weekly basis, and will be adding much of our correspondence through the News portion of our site. Each week, we will upload the latest version of our newsletter, and we will archive past versions as well.

Our web address is mwes.hcpss.org

Also, please be sure to follow us on Twitter @hcpss_mwes for pictures and updates!

JA DAY OCTOBER 8TH, 2018

JA Flyer.pdf

FROM THE HEALTH ROOM

The flu clinic is scheduled for October 15th at MWES and will take place during the school day. Consents are due back to school by September 21st or can be completed on line. Any questions please call the health room.

Howard County ENGLISH Letter and Consent 2018 flu.pdf

Howard County SPANISH Letter and Consent 2018 flu.pdf

ORCHESTRA INFORMATION

Orchestra reminders: Parents of 3rd, 4th and 5th grade students can sign enroll them in the orchestra program at http://mwesorchestra.weebly.com/enrollment.html. Please register by Friday, September 14th

Are you new to the MWES orchestra program? Please join us at 6:00 PM on Monday, September 17th for a Parent Orientation meeting. Please contact Mrs Lahan: sarah_lahan@hcpss.org or Mrs. Zeitler: bonnie_zeitler@hcpss.org with any questions about the string program.

COMMUNITY INFORMATION

ANNUAL VIKING 5K

The 26th Annual Viking 5k and 1m Fun Walk SUNDAY Oct 7 @ 9:00 am. Join the Mt. Hebron High School community on Sunday, Oct. 7 to kick off homecoming week by running (or walking) the Hebron trail, neighborhood and stadium track! Compete for age group or MtH Awards (Alumnus, Student, Parent, Faculty and more!). New to running? We have a Novice award this year! and Bullseye Running keeping time! Proceeds benefit the efforts of the Viking Backers, supporting student clubs and athletics.

Race Information: http://www.vikingbackers.org/viking-5k-race-details.html

Online Registration: https://www.athlinks.com/event/viking-5k-cross-country-race-2018-210846

Not running this year? Please consider to volunteer some time to support this Viking tradition!

Race Committee: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090c44afae2fa2fa7-viking1

Race Day: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090c44afae2fa2fa7-2018

Feet First is providing certificates for the top male and female finishers! Clark's Ace Hardware has provided a basket, to be raffled. And there will be a special raffle for 8-13yo!

REGISTRATION (Note Online Registration closes Oct 4, with price increase on Race Day):

Race Tshirts guaranteed for the first 120 registered participants. Questions? Email: MTH.Viking5K@gmail.com Mike Bosilovich, Chairperson

COMEDY SHOW

The Mount View Middle School PTA is hosting a comedy/hypnosis show on Friday, Sept 21 at 7pm. It'll be a SUPER fun family night, hilariously funny, and great for everyone... 2 to 92. Join in the fun! Click the link below to buy tickets!! https://mvmspta.weebly.com/fallfundraiser.html

COMMUNITY NEWS AND PROGRAMS

In alignment with Howard County Board of Education <u>Policy 10010</u>, <u>Distribution and Display of Materials and Announcements</u>, the following announcements have been approved by the Public Information Office for distribution. Please visit <u>Distributing Community Information through the School System</u> or contact the Public Information Office at 410-313-6682 if you have any questions.

The link below will take you to community notices are neither sponsored nor endorsed by the Howard County Public School System.

http://www.hcpss.org/community-news-and-programs/

PTA NEWS

BACK-TO-SCHOOL-PICNIC is Friday, 9/28, from 5:30-7:30 at MWES!

Bring a picnic or purchase food from our 3 food trucks: Kona Ice, Pablo's Taco Truck, and Noble Pit BBQ! Tons of gluten free and vegetarian options!

Sponsored by your PTA

Please see the $\underline{\text{PTA website}}$ for details and additional news as PTA information is now sent separately via School Messenger.