

#### HOLICONG WEEKLY UPDATE

### Week of September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2019

✓ Please see the <u>Holicong Announcements Page</u> for daily announcements and links to the weekly update. Please check our <u>Parent Council Page</u> for Parent Council presentations, meeting dates and other parent presentations throughout the year.

### WEEK IN REVIEW

- ✓ PD Faculty Meeting Teachers worked in content area and cross-grade level groups on canvas and instructional technology. This allowed teachers to collaborate, share resources, and learn from each other this is the best way to achieve our building goals and continue to get better!
- ✓ 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Music Kickoff Concert Band, Chorus, and Orchestra groups kicked off the music season as Mr. Chodoroff, Mr. Glaser, and Mrs. Repper welcomed parents for an informational session and a live performance our students! Pictures on the website!
- ✓ Book Talks Holicong staff and students led book talks in our newly designed summer reading plan. Students from mixed grade levels met with teachers who read the same book. This was a Holicong "first" and was a positive experience for a variety of reasons...and a reminder that Holicong is a place that values literacy and building relationships with students! A shout out to our staff and Ms. Ambrosini & Mrs. Wentz for their efforts in planning this event!
- ✓ Student Activities Fair Friday we will hold our second Activities Fair during Advisory. This event is being led by Student Council & NJHS and the goal is for our students to see the extracurricular clubs and activities that we offer at Holicong. A great way for all students to find something they can join during the year!
- ✓ Spirit Night Friday is our annual Spirit Night sponsored by the Power of Positive Students (POPS). This night includes a DJ, ping-pong, volleyball, and our big event – the inflatable obstacle course. This event is a great kickoff event for the year and allows for students to come together and have fun with new and old friends!
- ✓ Celebrate Chocolate Milk Day The Holicong Wellness Club & Farm to Fork Club sponsored an event to recognize this day. They created a presentation for Advisory and the Tanners Brother Dairy Farm donated chocolate milk to all students & staff. The Warrington Shop Rite also donated cups and soy milk. We want to thank both of them for these donations and supporting the Holicong community.

### WEEK AHEAD

- ✓ Monday NO SCHOOL
- ✓ Tuesday Leadership Council
- ✓ Wednesday
  - National Custodians Day
  - English Classroom Diagnostic
- ✓ Thursday English Classroom Diagnostic

# ✓ Friday – Colonial Dress Day

## **ANNOUNCEMENT & UPDATES**

- ✓ NOVA Presentation The Network of Victims Assistance (NOVA) of Bucks County will be offering their Stewards of Children training on the St. Jude Church campus in Chalfont on Saturday, October 5. Please see the flyers on the Holicong website for more information.
- ✓ Holicong Community Involvement Please complete our <u>2019-2020 Holicong Community</u> <u>Involvement & Feedback Form</u> if you would like to be more involved in the Holicong community and provide feedback on "anything Holicong!"
- ✓ If you haven't signed up yet…here are 2 more ways to follow "all things Holicong!"

## • Holicong Twitter

You can follow us on Twitter at @CBHolicongMS. Our twitter account includes sports and other event information and cancellations, Holicong announcements, and pictures and videos of Holicong events. We have tied our Twitter account to the homepage so everything we post will be visible on the website.

## • Blackboard Connect

This feature allows you to receive all of the emails and updates we send on your mobile device. Please see here for details on how to set this feature up on your phone - <u>Blackboard</u>.