



HOLICONG MIDDLE SCHOOL PARENT COUNCIL

May 19, 2022

Tips & Format

- 1) Camera & Video off when join
- 2) If able – have website browser open to navigate/follow along on your own website
- 3) Use chat feature to ask questions on topic “in the moment” if someone presenting and don’t want to forget or interrupt – we monitor the chat & will also put links in the chat
- 4) Agenda – Allows for approximately 5 minutes of “presentation” from our staff and time for questions live or in chat





Parent Council Norms & Values

- **Be Considerate** – of other people's thoughts and opinions
- **Be Responsible** – ready to begin on time, be prepared, and maintain joy
- **Be Healthy** – create a safe meeting environment where all feel comfortable
- **Be Respectful** – of the time and feelings of attendees and presenters





Agenda

- Superintendent Parent Report – Dr. deSilva
- School Calendar– Mr. Canelli
- Athletics – Mr. Rittenhouse
- Music – Mrs. Repper, Mr. Chodoroff, & Mr. Glaser
- Student Activities –Mr. Canelli & Ms. Howley
- Guidance – Mrs. Louderback, Mr. Striano, & Mrs. Chickanosky
- Health Office – Mrs. Irrera
- Technology – Mrs. Lovuolo & Mr. Striano





Parent Superintendent Advisory

Dr. deSilva

Late start time

- Children need to be educated in the need for sleep

LGBTQ+ related issue at Lenape

- Parents were referred to email sent by Lucabaugh and Board President
- Expectation is for teachers to help all students, and teachers are trained to handle these types of situations
- Emphasis was placed in the fact that the Lenape teacher was not put on paid leave due to counseling LGBTQ+ student
- CBSD is conducting an after-action review

Mental Health

- Waiting lists are significant, and resources are low
- Teachers and counselors will be given training on how to identify certain behaviors, but additional mental health resources are needed
- Changes to the schedule such as lunch and learn have been beneficial to students getting additional help and completing assignments
- Increasing self sufficiency and building resilience in students is the goal
- Additional town halls etc may be rolled out in the 2022/2023 school year for parents





SWPBIS Update

- Holicong Middle School will foster a climate of academic, social, and emotional learning with an emphasis on respectful, responsible, considerate, and healthy behaviors.
- SWPBIS Team met with Bucks County IU to begin planning for next year.

STRENGTHS	AREAS OF FOCUS FOR NEXT YEAR
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Safety Procedures• Clearly Defined Expectations• Common Language• Administration Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Booster Trainings for Students• Patterns of behavior• Clearly Defined Consequences





Athletics

Mr. Rittenhouse

- **Spring Sports- Spring seasons wrap up**
- **Summer Updates - We will announce workouts (football) via email blast and website**
- **Sports Physical (PIAA) - We will announce when the Family ID portal for Fall 2022-23 school year will open. Sports Physicals must be dated on or after June 1, 2022 for the 2022-23 school year.**



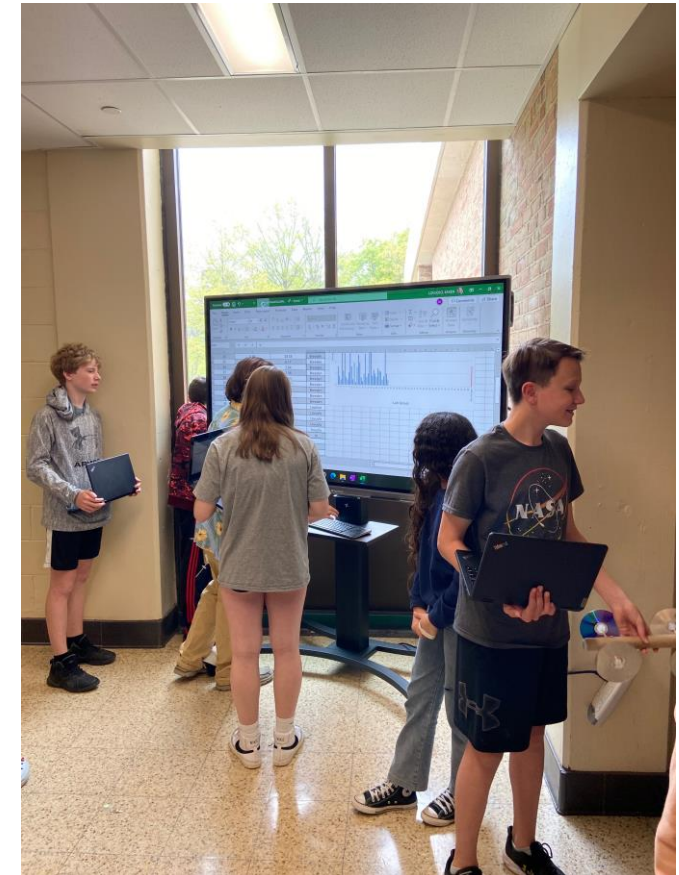




Technology Mrs. Lovuolo

A Look at the Future...

Clear Touch 4K Interactive Whiteboards





Music

Mr. Chodoroff, Mr. Glaser, and Mrs. Repper

- **Thanks for your support of an awesome concert season**
 - **AV Club members will be helping us convert all concert videos so they can be put on our YouTube channel – will share out with school community!**
- **Dorney Park Music Adjudication Trip TOMORROW**
 - **Thanks to Mr. Morehouse (East) & Miss Romig**
 - **Jazz, Wind, Robe, String – reporting to Holicong at 6AM**
 - **Adjudication at Boyertown HS, then a day of fun at the park!**
 - **Should return to Holicong around 7PM**
 - **One more email blast/Remind update coming today**





Music

Mr. Chodoroff, Mr. Glaser, and Mrs. Repper

- **Talent Shows**

- **Sign-ups are ongoing (outside choir room)**
- **We are looking for both hosts and acts!**
- **Auditions are next Tuesday (8th/9th Grade) and Wednesday (7th Grade)**
- **Shows are on 2nd to last day of school (7th has a separate show)**

- **End of Year Events**

- **5/30 - Holicong Marching Band @ Doylestown Memorial Day Parade**
- **6/1 - Jazz Band at Doylestown Central Park**
- **6/4 - H-Factor (with other schools) at Valley Square**
- **6/10 - Traditional Closing Ceremony Performances**





School Calendar & Updates

WEEK OF May 23rd

Monday, 23 rd B DAY	Tuesday, 24 th A DAY	Wednesday, 25 th B DAY	Thursday, 26 th A DAY	Friday, 27 th
✓ 6 th Grade Elementary Visits (Buckingham, Cold Spring) ✓ Faculty Meeting	✓ 6 th Grade Elementary Visits (Warwick, Bridge Valley, Linden)	✓ Intervention & Enrichment Schedule ✓ Washington D.C. Trip (9 th Grade)	✓	✓ NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS ✓ Teacher In-Service

WEEK OF May 30th

Monday, 30 th	Tuesday, 31 st B DAY	Wednesday, 1 st A DAY	Thursday, 2 nd B DAY	Friday, 3 rd A DAY
✓ MEMORIAL DAY ✓ NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS/STAFF	✓	✓ Intervention & Enrichment Schedule ✓ Freshmen <u>Moveup</u> Day	✓ WL Exam	✓ Freshmen Day (Briarwood) & Festival (CB East)





School Calendar & Updates

WEEK OF June 6th

Monday, 6 th B DAY	Tuesday, 7 th A DAY	Wednesday, 8 th B DAY	Thursday, 9 th A DAY	Friday, 10 th B DAY
✓ Leadership Meeting	✓ Math Final	✓	✓ Activity & Awards Day for Students - Department Awards - Talent Show - Yearbook Signing	✓ Last Day of School for Students ✓ ½ Day for Students ✓ Formal Awards Ceremonies & Final Team Activity

- **9th Grade Laptop Collection** – Will take place during week
- **Awards Ceremonies** – Parents/Guardians will receive communication



FRESHMAN EVENTS



2021 - 2022

Please read the end-of-year letter about all upcoming events!

The MyPaymentsPlus portal will be open TODAY for students to start registering for these events.

Reach out to Señor Palmer or Mr. Maigur with important questions.

FRESHMAN EVENTS



2021 - 2022

FRESHMAN DAY

- ☐ Friday, June 3
- ☐ Briarwood Camp
- ☐ Pool, sports, games, paddle boats, recreational activities.

FRESHMAN EVENTS



2021 - 2022

FRESHMAN NIGHT

- ☐ Friday, June 3
- ☐ CB EAST
- ☐ Outdoor games/activities, food, drinks, DJ music & dancing

This is NOT a formal dance.

FRESHMAN EVENTS



2021 - 2022

OTHER EVENTS

- ☐ Freshman Breakfast
- ☐ Talent Show
- ☐ Yearbooks & signing
- ☐ Department awards
- ☐ Formal awards



Student Activities

Ms. Howley & Club Advisors

- NJHS Induction
- Student Council Elections
- Clubs Next Year





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Holicong Middle School

ALS Beanbag Toss Tournament

Who: 7th, 8th, 9th Grade Students

What: Bean Bag Tournament

Where: Wednesday's During I & E

When:

8th May 18th

7th May 25th

How: Get a team of 2
\$10 a team with form to Ms. Bauer



#TeamRosica

Forms and Money is given to Miss Bauer in Lunches. Money and Forms Due:

8th Grade: May 16th

7th Grade: May 23rd

All proceeds from this event will be donated to Team Rosica and the Team Rosica U-Knighted Against ALS!





Health Office

Mrs. Irrera

- Medication Retrieval for end of the year
- Meds sent home with students last week of school
- All controlled medications must be picked up
- I will need new orders/action plans for next year
- Thank you for an amazing year and have a safe and wonderful Summer





Guidance Office

Mrs. Louderback, Mr. Striano, Mrs. Chickanosky

- SEL Goal and Student Connections Survey/Follow Up
- Minding Your Mind
- Preston Centulo's Presentation & Kind Like Joey
- Fialko – Vaping for Parent
- Discussion Groups
- Program Planning
- Response to increase of mental health concerns among students





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Thank you!





Q & A

When is the first day of school for next year?

First student day is August 29, 2022 The full calendar can be found on the district website. Here is the link:

<https://www.cbsd.org/site/Default.aspx?PageID=2#calendar1/20220519/month>

