# IVIJS Weekly Update

May 28, 2021 =

#### Dear MJS Community,

I hope our MJS families and staff have a wonderfully restful and enjoyable long holiday weekend.

#### 8th Grade Beach Social sponsored by the MJS PTO

Come celebrate! DJ, Photobooth, outdoor games, & treats. The MJS cell phone & school code of conduct policies will be in effect.

WHEN: Friday, June 11, 6-8 pm WHERE: Madison Junior School

WHO: MJS 8th Graders

#### \$10 admission

- pay via Venmo @MJS-PTO
- send a check payable to MJS PTO to the main office

In order to attend, all students must have a permission slip electronically signed by a parent/guardian. Click here to sign the permission slip.

#### 2021-2022 School Supply Kits

Support our PTO and order your 2021-22 school supplies now. Your kit will be delivered to your home by mid-August. Order online at <a href="https://www.shopttkits.com">www.shopttkits.com</a>

- Enter the MJS account number: 50086
- Deadline: 6/18/21

#### 8th Grade End of Year Events

Eighth-grade families should be on the lookout for a letter mailed home regarding MJS Promotion and end-of-the-year events scheduled for our 8th-grade students. Please keep an

eye out for the mailing as it contains tickets required for admission to the Ferguson Recreation Center Gym at Fairleigh Dickinson University. FDU is our venue for promotion, in the event of rain only.

• Click here for an online copy of this letter.

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**COME CELEBRATE** 

# 8TH GRADE BEACH SOCIAL

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WHERE: Madison Junior School
WHO: MJS 8th Graders

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IN ORDER TO ATTEND, ALL STUDENTS MUST HAVE A PERMISSION SLIP ELECTRONICALLY SIGNED BY A PARENT/GUARDIAN

CLICK HERE TO SIGN THE PERMISSION SLIP.

A big thank you to the Madison high schoolers who joined us here at MJS to help us share in their Day of Service Activities.

- In our sixth-grade social studies classes, MHS students helped students write cards of thanks to members of our military service.
- In our MJS Creates classes, MHS students helped students in all grades create painted rocks for our school rock garden.















#### MJS & CarePlus Wellness Corner

As we usher in the unofficial start to summer, it's important to also reflect on the significance and true meaning of Memorial Day. Click here for 22 activities that can help us celebrate and honor the brave men and women who have sacrificed their lives for our freedom while we relax and enjoy the time away from our daily routines.



# Help support the MJS PTO!

Card My Yard is pleased to offer Madison folks \$5 off all lawn signs!

# Use code MJS8THGRADE

Proceeds will benefit the MJS PTO!

Place orders and search sign looks on their website at cardmyyard.com





#### **MEF** Corner

The 2021 Virtual Madison 5K Run/Walk is underway. Run or walk throughout May for a great cause... our schools!

Proceeds from the month-long virtual race will fund MEF grants in all five Madison District public schools that inspire teachers and enrich the academic and creative lives of students.

Register HERE.



## MADISON 5K Run/Walk virtual



May 1 - 31, 2021



# Support MEF and Madison Public Schools



2 RACE OPTIONS:

1-Mile Run/Walk 5K Run/Walk

**LOCATION OF YOUR CHOICE:** 

Neighborhood Streets/Treadmill \* Abide by all CDC Guidelines

#### Register at ww.mefnj.org or with the QR code

- Find a Madison 5K banner at a Madison public school or Dodge Field and send a selfie to virtualmadison5k@mefnj.org
- Post Selfies on social media with #MEFMadison5K
- T-shirts available to all registered participants
- · Kick off the Madison 5K at our Health & Wellness Fair on Sunday, May 2nd from 12-2pm at Dodge Field in Madison













## SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE

WITH AN ENTIRELY NEW COURSE GROUPS FOR STUDENTS ENTERING 1ST THROUGH 3RD GRADE, AND REAL-WORLD COURSES FOR 9TH THROUGH 12TH, WE HAVE A CHALLENGE FOR EVERYONE!

## DESIGN YOUR SCHEDULE

WE HAVE BOTH IN-PERSON AND VIRTUAL COURSE OFFERINGS THAT CAN BE TAKEN DURING AM, PM, OR FULL-DAY SESSIONS!





## LIMITLESS POSSIBILITIES

FROM MAKER CRAFTS TO PROTOTYPING, ROBOTICS, CODING, PHOTOGRAPHY AND MORE, INNOVATE AND DESIGN EVERYTHING!

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON PRICING, ENROLLMENT, AND COURSE OFFERINGS CAN BE FOUND AT:

WWW\_MADISONPUBLICSCHOOLS\_ORG/STEAMACADEMY

Piece together your perfect summer at this year's

## **Madison Summer Arts Program**



In Person at Madison Junior School - June 28th - July 23rd 2021

Virtual Lessons - June 28th - August 20th 2021

Registration Link!

#### Madison In-Person Summer Arts Program Information



June 28 to July 23, 2021

The Department of Visual and Performing Arts is excited to announce the details for the upcoming 2021 Summer Arts In-Person Program. All classes will be given at Madison Junior School and will be held between 9:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m., Monday-Friday. Our program will include instrumental music, vocal and musical theater classes and new for this summer, is dance! Students also have the option of participating the state of the summer of the summer of the summer of the summer.

in the district STEAM camp in the afternoon which is a separate registration form and fee.

- Beginning Strings, Brass and Woodwinds (entering grades 4-6) This class is for students who have NEVER played their chosen instrument before or for those with limited experience. Students who have had at least 6 months of instruction should consult their music teacher to confirm they are ready for the intermediate class. All classes will meet from 9:00-9:45 a.m. (Daily, Monday-Friday)
- Beginning Percussion (entering grades 4 and up)
   All students must receive prior approval from their school's music teacher before registering for this class. Each group will receive two 45 minute lessons each week or if scheduled as a private lesson, will have two 30 minute lessons. The lessons will be given sometime between the hours of 9:45-12:30. Dependent upon progress, and
   if so desired, beginning students will be able to attend the intermediate ensemble
- 3. Intermediate Brass, Strings, Woodwinds, and Percussion (entering grades 5-8) Each group will receive two 45 minute lessons a week or if scheduled as a private lesson, will have two 30 minute lessons. The lessons will be given sometime between the hours of 9:45-12:30. Each intermediate student will also have 2 ensemble rehearsals. 5th/6th grade band will take place on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:45-10:30. 7th/8th grade band will take place Wednesdays and Fridays from 10:45-11:30. An optional flute ensemble will also meet for flutists entering grade 5-8 from 10:45-11:30 on Tuesdays and Thursdays. 5th grade flutists wanting to participate in flute ensemble should receive prior approval from their music teacher before registering. Flutists should select either band or flute ensemble. Students may participate in both for a \$40.00 additional fee. Finally 5th-8th grade orchestra will meet from 10:00-10:45 on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
- Advanced Instrumental Lessons (entering grades 9-12) or Beginning Instrumental Lessons (entering grades 7-12) Each group will receive three 45 minute lessons each week, or if scheduled as a private lesson, will have two lessons. The lessons will be given sometime between the hours of 9:45-12:30. Dependent upon progress, and if so desired, beginning students will be able to attend the intermediate ensemble rehearsals.











#### **HW Calendars**

6A Homework Calendar 6B Homework Calendar

6th Grade Periods 789

#### **HW Calendars**

7A Homework Calendar
7B Homework Calendar

7th Grade Periods 789

#### **HW Calendars**

8A Homework Calendar 8B Homework Calendar

8th Grade Periods 789

#### **MJS Link Bank**

MJS Bell Schedule

MJS Yearly Calendar - A/B Days - Color Cohort Days

**MJS Morning Announcements** 

MJS Archive of Updates & Newsletters

#### **Upcoming Dates**

May 31 - School closed - Memorial Day

June 1 - School closed - Unused snow day

June 2 - School closed - Staff In-Service

June 7 - Band Spring Concert 6:00 pm (Rain date 6/8)

June 9 - MJS Family Trivia Night 7:00 pm - Series Finale!

June 11 - 8th Grade Social 6:00 pm (rain date 6/14)

June 14 - 8th Grade Breakfast 8:00 am (rain date 6/16)

June 14 - 8th Grade Yearbook Party 9:33 am (rain date 6/16)

June 15 - 8th Grade Moving Up Day at MHS 1:00 pm

June 16 - Last day of Fourth Marking Period

June 17 - Awards Assembly (In-school/students only) 9:30 am

June 18 - MJS Promotion Ceremony 10:30 am

June 18 - Last day of school - 12:40 pm dismissal - No periods 789

June 18 - Report cards available in Genesis

#### I'd like to know about...

Please feel free to use this <u>Feedback Link</u> to ask Ms. Phillips to include certain information in a future update. It's helpful to know what you would like to learn more about.

