

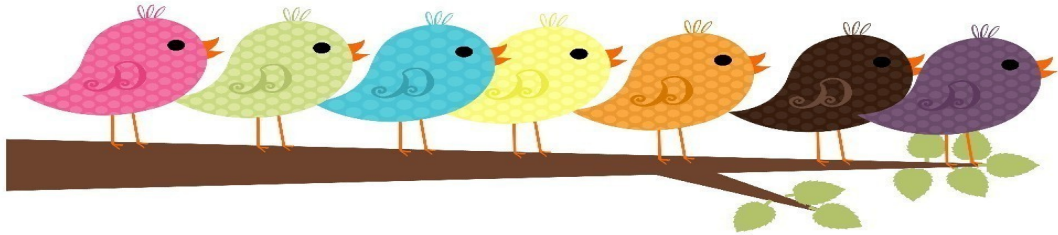
Memorial School Weekly

Email March 30, 2023

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IMPORTANT DATES

Friday, March 31st - No School (Professional Development)

Friday, April 7th - No School (Good Friday)

Monday, April 17 - Friday, April 21st - Spring Vacation

Dear Families,

We hope that your week is going well as we close out the month of March and head into April. As a reminder, there is no school tomorrow as staff will be involved in professional development. As we enter into the final few months of the school year, there are several dates to keep in mind. Please note that as specific events approach, additional information will be shared with families.

Special Olympics - April 14th

PreK-5 Spirit Day - Crazy Hat/Hair Day

Author Visit - David Biedrzycki - May 22nd & 23rd

Bubble Man - May 26th

Grade One Flag Day Performance- May 31st (Rain Date - June 2nd) - 9:30 AM (see info below)

Art Show - June 1st - 5:00 - 6:30 PM

Field Day - June 8th (Rain Date - June 9th)

Transition Day - June 14th

Last Day of School - June 15th

Student Placement Webinar Link Information

Thank you to all who were able to attend the Student Placement webinar hosted by the elementary principals last evening. For anyone who was able to attend or who would like to view the presentation

again, please click on this [link](#). A separate email will be sent to all families tomorrow regarding the parent input letter.



TYLER THE TEAMWORK MOUSE

remembers that working together is very important.

April's Value of the Month is Teamwork and Tyler will help us learn all about it. In Preschool, teachers will read Duck and Goose by Ted Hills and will talk about the importance of working and playing together as a team. Kindergarten, teachers will read Camille's Team by Stuart J. Murphy. As a class they will play a game, "keep the beach balls up" which will require that kids communicate and work together to make sure the beach balls remain in the air without touching the ground. In First Grade, teachers will read Officer Buckle and Gloria by Peggy Rathmann. As a class they will play the game "Island," where all of the students need to work together so that when the music stops everyone is on the same "island."

[Preschool At Home Activity Guide](#)

[Kindergarten At Home Activity Guide](#)

[Grade One At Home Activity Guide](#)

Join us for a Free Parent Webinar
on Tuesday, April 4th

Raising Healthy Kids in a Culture of Dependence

with *New York Times* bestselling author
Jessica Lahey



Jessica Lahey, author of the *New York Times* bestselling book *The Gift of Failure* and *The Addiction Inoculation: Raising Healthy Kids in an age of Dependence*, will speak to the Medfield community about her most recent book.

The Addiction Inoculation is a comprehensive resource parents and educators can use to prevent substance misuse in children. Including, evidence-based strategies and practical tools adults need to understand, support, and educate resilient, addiction-resistant children.

When:



**Tuesday, April 4th
from 7:00-8:30PM
via Zoom Webinar**

Registration Required
scan here to register.

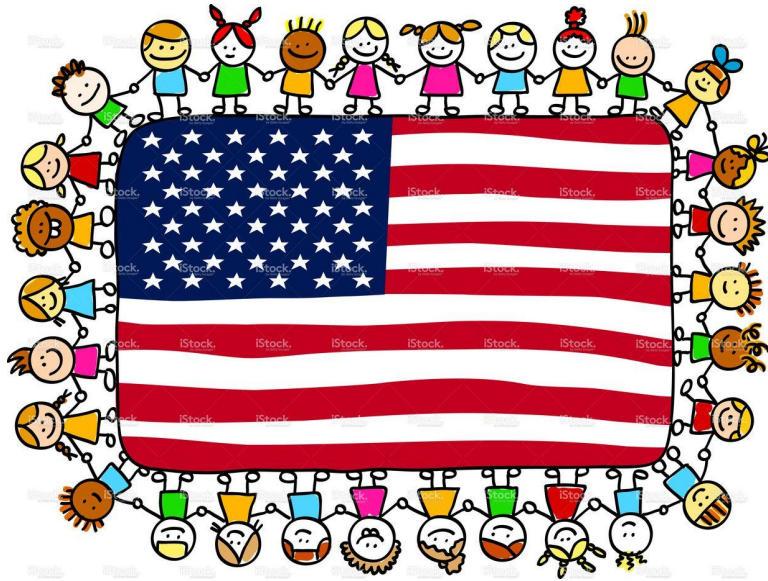


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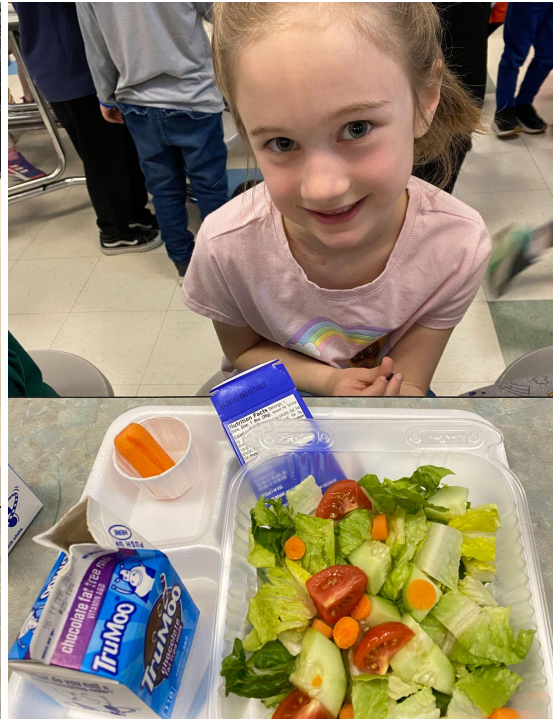
SPECIALISTS SPOTLIGHT

The Music Show Bulletin from Mr. Ruggiero



Bring your red, white, blue and patriotic spirit to Memorial School's annual music show, *A Salute to America and its Symbols*, brought to you by your grade one student(s). The children are working very hard and cannot wait to sing for you. The show will take place at Memorial School in the small field in the back of the library near the ball field and along the music room windows. Bring a comfortable chair to sit on. The time is 9:30 am. The date will be Wednesday, May 31, 2023 and the rain date is Friday, June 2, 2023. A full parent letter, program and flyer will be sent to you via email at a later date. Also, visit my music webpage at <http://memorialmusichappenings.weebly.com> and click "Music Show" on the top menu. Here, you can also find the parent letter and download and print a copy of the program, flyer and show location and child find map. Also, click through the slideshow to read historical facts that relate to the show. Finally, Please email me at druggiero@email.medfield.net if you have any questions or concerns. Mark your calendars. See you there.

From the Cafeteria



Some happy diners!



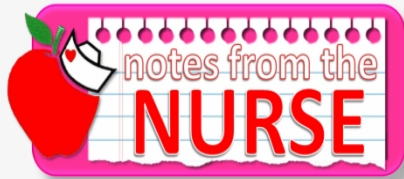
April Lunch Menu

Lost and Found

If you are missing any items, please feel free to drop by and check out the lost & found bin. It is filling up quickly with sweatshirts, coats, hats, water bottles, etc. The bin is located in the Main Office.



Please note all items that are not claimed by the end of the day on Friday, April 14th will be donated to charity.



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Movie Night

The School Committee and the Medfield Energy Committee are co-sponsoring the movie "Catching the Sun" on solar energy. Solar energy is an important part of Medfield's Climate Action Plan. Learn how the transition to solar power is taking shape in many diverse communities.

The movie will be shown twice - Monday night March 27th at 7pm in the Medfield High School auditorium and again on **Sunday April 2nd** at 1pm in the Medfield Library meeting room. Please join us.



Library Stock Up Event

As a reminder, we have launched a month-long **"Memorial Class Library Stock Up Event"** where we will be collecting donations to buy books off Teacher Wishlists. Use this SignUp Genius link to donate:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c084dafab2ba5f58-memorial#/>

MEMORIAL PTO

Every year t-shirts are created for the Kindergarten class to commemorate their first year. The t-shirts include everyone's names in the design. There is also an option to purchase an adult size so your Kindergartner can wear it years from now when they are seniors in 2035!

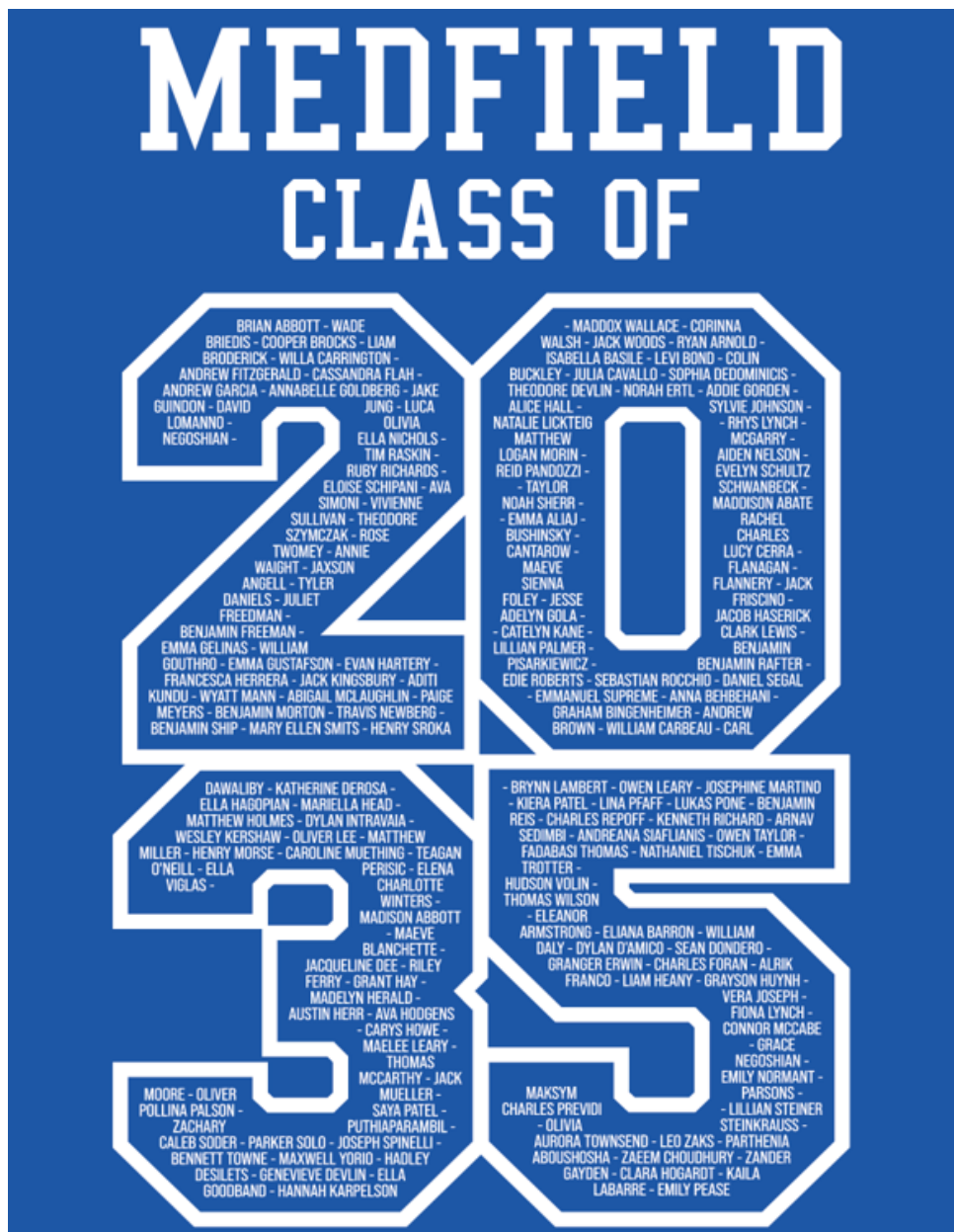
Purchase a youth size for \$14.00, or get both a youth & adult size for \$25.00.

Don't forget to wear your shirt for Field Day (June 8th; rain date June 9th)!

Orders are due by April 15th. Use this link to complete your order:

<https://forms.gle/X3djQQC8AeuXCMVs7>

Thank you for your support!



[A MESSAGE FROM MCPE](#)



[Help us paint the town blue!](#)

Have you been spotting all those blue mailbox ribbons around town and wondering how to get yours?

There's still time to [make a gift to the MCPE 35th Anniversary Appeal](#)! Through the 35th Anniversary Appeal, MCPE is raising community support to fund one ambitious project at each of the five Medfield schools that will make a real difference in our students' educational experience. Every Medfield residence that makes a charitable contribution to the 35th Anniversary Appeal will receive a blue ribbon placed on their mailbox, showcasing support for Medfield Public Schools and proudly helping us paint the town blue!

MEMORIAL SCHOOL is seeking funding for the first stage of a playground project that will ultimately provide a playground that is updated, safe, and accessible for all Memorial School and Medfield children.

Your donation today will support this project and the projects at the other four Medfield schools.

[Click here](#) to learn more and donate today!