

# Northeast MIDDLE SCHOOL



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**Please visit the [NEMS Calendar](#) on website for up-to-date information.**

Tip: To see if additional information is available, click on a calendar item, and then click on "more details".

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January 23-26 (Monday - Thursday)

No Afterschool

January 26 (Thursday)

End of First Semester.

January 27 (Friday)

No School - Teacher Record Keeping Day

January 30 (Monday)

No School - Teacher Professional Development Day

## **African American Family Involvement Day**

***FUN & FREE***

**Roller Garden**

**Monday, February 13th**

**6:00pm-8:00pm**

**5622 West Lake Street, St. Louis Park**

**Student must be accompanied by a parent or guardian**

**AUDITIONS for the Spring Musical, Bye, Bye Birdie will be after school the week of Jan 31<sup>st</sup> (Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday).**

**Attention 8<sup>th</sup> graders/8<sup>th</sup> grade Families:** The High School Request **deadline of February 4<sup>th</sup>** is fast approaching. All 8<sup>th</sup> graders are expected to complete the request process even if they are planning to attend their attendance area high school. The request form is available online at the MPS website or ask the 8<sup>th</sup> grade counselor, Ms. Nelson, for assistance.

**Check it out!**

**CHESS TOURNAMENT**

**Saturday, January 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017**

8:30 AM to 4:00 PM

**SANFORD MIDDLE SCHOOL**

**3524 42<sup>nd</sup> Ave S Minneapolis, MN 55406**

Enter door 4 off 41<sup>st</sup> Ave

Minneapolis

### UPCOMING DEBATE TEAM - Location, Date & Time

Seward Montessori School	1-Feb	3:30 PM to 7:30 PM
Washington Technology Magnet School	22-Feb	3:30 PM to 7:30 PM
University of Minnesota – Blegen Hall	15-Mar	3:30 PM to 7:30 PM

GEMS and GISE students were in a tournament This past Saturday. The GEMS team "Black Widows" won the Core Values Award - Congratulations! GISE coaches: Jason Jirsa and Ken Vreeland GEMS coaches: Sarah Muncy and Susan Thyen



On Monday, January 16, TRIO ETS took 14 NEMS students to volunteer at Second Harvest Heartland in honor of MLK Day. The students joined nearly 100 other volunteers for the morning shift. Together the teams measured, labeled and packed 4,536 lbs of rice to be distributed to local families. After volunteering at Second Harvest, students ate lunch at Great Moon Buffet. It was a fun trip! Check out some of the photo highlights below:







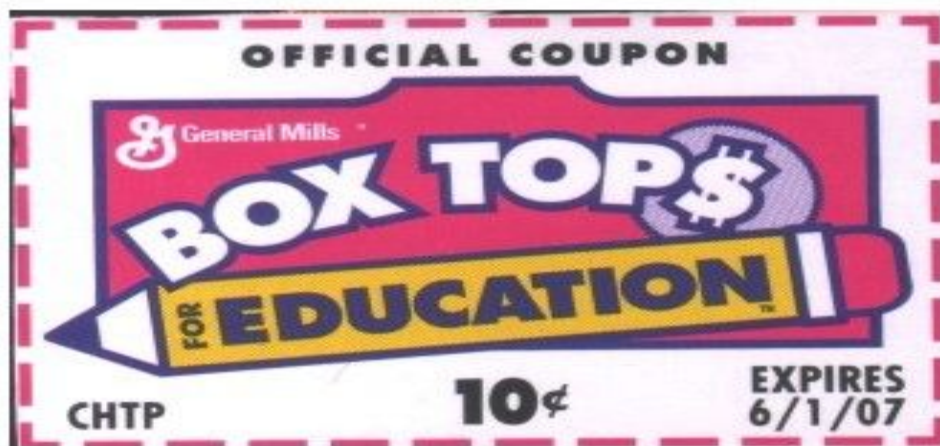
**Come & Join Northeast Middle School PTA  
Monday, March 13th 6:30-8:00p  
In the Media Center**

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**Parkway Pizza donates 5% of all sales the first Monday of every month to  
North East Middle School's PTA**



Please save your Box Tops and have your student turn them into their Advisory teacher. This money raised will go towards student incentives here at NEMS! In the months of February & March the students will be having a contest in the advisories and the top two will receive treats!



### **Thomas Edison High School news**

Positive Coaching Alliance Workshop for current athletes and parents from NEMS, Marcy, Edison High School - Monday, January 23rd from 6 - 8 p.m.

All parents of current student athletes from Marcy, Northeast Middle School and Edison are *strongly* encouraged to attend the Positive Coaching Alliance Workshops.

Parents session: meet in Edison's Auditorium

**The Second-Goal Parent:** Developing Winners in Life Through Sports draws from the Double-Goal Coach model (winning and life lessons) to help parents focus on the second goal, ensuring their children gain the higher value of youth and high school sports regardless of scoreboard results.

Athletes session: meet in Edison's Community Gym lobby.

**Becoming a Triple-Impact Competitor** - trains student-athletes of middle-school age and older to impact sport on three levels by working to improve themselves, teammates and their sport as a whole.

PCA workshops combine the latest in sports and educational-psychology and organizational behavior with practical advice from a National Advisory Board of top pro and college athletes and coaches, educators and organizational leaders, who use our principles at the highest levels of competition. Many workshops are complemented by books by PCA Founder Jim Thompson and all are highly interactive and engaging as facilitated by PCA Trainers with deep experience in coaching, sports parenting, athletic administration or all three!