

Northeast MIDDLE SCHOOL



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".

May 1st (Monday)
Parkway Pizza Day

May 4 (Thursday)
Last Day of Afterschool

May 6th (Saturday) 10a-2pm
WING DING at Audabon Park
(NEMS if rain)

May 8th (Monday) 6:30pm-8:00pm
PTA Meeting

May 12th (Friday) 6:30pm-8:00pm
PTA Sponsored "Hollywood Red Carpet" Dance

Hollywood Red Carpet Dance
Friday, May 12
6:30pm-8:00pm
Dress up fancy & Be ready for a Grand
Event!



****Students must have a permission slip signed by
parent/guardian to attend****

*****Please arrange for a ride to and from the grand event*****

MCA Dates

Science Test (Grade 8 ONLY) May 2-3

MCA Test Prep - Item samplers are provided to help teachers and students become familiar with the format and type of content included in the accountability assessments. Item samplers contain fewer items than an actual full-length test and are aligned to the Minnesota Academic Standards. They are NOT suitable for predicting how students will perform on the accountability assessments.

Item samplers, along with other resources for teachers and parents, can be found on the Pearson Access Next website, including:

- Reading, Mathematics, and Science MCA online item samplers
- Reading, Mathematics, and Science MCA paper accommodation item samplers
- MTAS item samplers

<http://minnesota.pearsonaccessnext.com/item-samplers/>

6th Grade Families

All 6th graders are heading to Camp Miller in Sturgeon Lake, MN!

Thursday-Friday, May 25 & May 26th

Parents/Guardians are Welcome to Chaperone!

Chaperones are free!

Contact Deb Reutter if you would like to chaperone.

The cost is \$50.00 per student.

Permission packets are being sent home.

If you haven't seen one, call the school or go online to the Northeast

Website: http://northeast.mpls.k12.mn.us/camp_miller

All forms are available online at the address above.

Questions, please contact Debra Reutter debra.reutter@mpls.k12.mn.us

FAST TRACK SCHOLARS

Minneapolis Public Schools would like to invite current 8th graders to be a Fast Track Scholar this summer. This exciting program provides students with the opportunity to meet new high school classmates and begin earning high school elective credits. Course offerings include linear algebra, literacy, physical education, health, science, guitar, theater, drawing, ceramics, engineering, robotics, work readiness, web design, geography, dance, and more. Fast track scholars will be located at Edison High School 9:00a-3:00p, June 26 through August 3 (Mondays through Thursdays). This program is free and includes breakfast, lunch and Metro Transit Go To Cards. Registration deadline is June 1st. Please contact our 8th grade counselor Debbie Nelson for application or questions at 612-668-1505.

2017 MPS 8th Grade Family Registration Nights for High School:

**May 2 (Tuesday) South High School Auditorium/Commons 6:30-8:00pm
3131 19th Avenue South (612-668-4300)**

**May 3 (Wednesday) Patrick Henry Media Center 5:30pm-7:30pm
4320 Newton Avenue North (612-668-2000)**

**May 4 (Thursday) Roosevelt High School Auditorium 6:30-8:00pm
4029 28th Avenue South (612-668-4810)**

**May 11 (Thursday) Edison High School Media Center/CCC Lab 6:00-7:00pm
700 22nd Avenue NE (612-668-1300)**

Stage Crew

Backstage: Deashiana Host Banks*,
Asia Timberlake
Light Technician: Danielle Ricci
Sound Technician: Derek Swappach
Costumes: Danielle Ricci, Carol Buzzelli
Choreography: Danielle Ricci
Poster created by: Danielle Ricci
Program created by: Sarah M. Greer

Staff and Community

Very special thanks to Northeast Middle School faculty and staff, particularly Kimberlee Adams, Diane Fjerstad, Charlie Pries and Vernon Rowe.

Special thanks to North Hennepin Community College; Chaska High School Theatre; Edison High School Theatre; Christian, Derek and Matt at EMI Rentals; Gopher Stage Lighting

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APRIL 13TH & APRIL 14TH



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!

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

Like Northeast Middle School PTA on [Facebook](#) for more information

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

Summer Enrichment Opportunities

Northeast Middle School will be having GEMS/GISE Summer STEM Academy.

- **Amazing Structures: Bridges & Towers** - Students will investigate tower and bridge designs, the forces that act on them, and the materials that can withstand those forces.
- **Cooking by Design** - This design-based integrated STEM – Nutrition class engages students in using a variety of creativity and idea generation tools.
- **Drumline or Guitar** -Develop performance skills, rehearse music and choreography, and create a composition and arrangement.
- **Engineering the Ride** - Explore the mechanics of the standard road bike while riding through the urban parks and streets of Minneapolis.
- **Expedition Minneapolis** - Engage in a wide variety of environmental field experiences through the use of scientific inquiry, while learning to use the tools of a naturalist.
- **Explore Robotics**- Students will utilize their prototypes and programming skills to solve design challenges using the LEGO Mindstorms Robotic System.
- **STEM Gear by Style Engineers** - Activities are designed to explore the science and technology of fashion.
- **Game On! Recreational Sports & Activities** - Learn and practice the skills of Lacrosse, Soccer, Volleyball and Rugby.
- **SOAR** - The sky is the limit in this course that focuses on aerospace engineering.
- **Theatre or Dance** - Design and perform while learning the technical elements of theatre or dance.
- **Design Art Meets Engineering** - Students will work on various Art Engineering Design Challenges.
- **Tech 4 Boyz / Tech 4 Girlz** - Studio production, graphics, green screen production, and more.
- **Urban Boatbuilding & Exploration** - Design and construct wooden boats, canoe waterways and improve swimming

Summer GEMS/GISE STEM Academy Website:

Current K-4th Grade: <http://summerschool.mpls.k12.mn.us/k-4applicationforms>

Current 5th -7th Grade: <http://summerschool.mpls.k12.mn.us/5-7applicationforms>

