



October 28th 2016

Night Hawk Awesomeness on Display

A huge shout out to our safety patrols who help make sure our walkers are getting to and from school safely. Now that the mornings are chillier and a bit darker, their commitment is even more impressive!

Congratulations to our new Student Council Officers: Vivian Meger & Sasha Resig tied for President (they will have a run off at the next meeting, Irma O'Meara is Vice President, Sheliyah Mitchell is Secretary, Ymani Rivera is Public Relations, and Hnukusha Vue is the Liaison. We look forward to your leadership!

GIRLS Academy: Fifty Northeast middle school girls came together on the 15-16 of October to enrich their leadership capacity. Led by a women's organization from the University of Minnesota, the girls participated in workshops all day Saturday, as well as Sunday morning. They showcased their learning with a presentation to parents Sunday morning. We are thankful for so many positive leaders in our school and look forward to seeing the ways they will continue to take leadership in our building and in our communities!

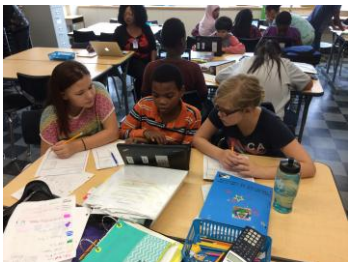


6th Grade Updates

6th Grade students have started their 2nd rotation for their Liberal Arts class, you can find the rotation schedule on the NEMS website.

6th Grade families will be participating in a fundraiser to help provide scholarships for the spring camping trip. Be on the lookout for materials coming home next week.

6th Graders are also studying silk worms as part of their math, language arts and science classes, ask them all about it!



7th Grade Updates

Stay Tuned for exciting news from 7th grade!

8th Grade Updates

8th Graders are starting to think about High School! Check out our Counselor's Website on the NEMS Website for more information regarding High School Open Houses, or contact Debbie Nelson at 612-668-1505.

School Wide Events

- ☞ Please be advised that Halloween Costumes are not allowed at school.
- ☞ NEMS PTA will be holding an Election Day bake sale as a fundraiser for the teacher grant PTA fund. Home baked contributions are needed as well as volunteers to staff the table. Please drop contributions off at the main office Monday or Tuesday. Please check out the NEMS PTA Facebook page or the NEMS website for more details.
- ☞ The Northeast Lion's club will sponsor the Northeast Middle School Leo's program again this school year. The Leo Club Program gives young people the opportunity to serve their communities and make a positive impact. They offer a great way to have fun, make new friends and develop valuable leadership skills. Space is still available for interested students. Contact Aamina to sign-up Aamina.Muhammad@mpls.k12.mn.us
- ☞ School Picture Retakes are Wednesday November 2nd. If you want to have your child's picture retaken (or if the missed the first one), they can pick up forms in the main office.
- ☞ No School Next week, November 3rd and 4th: it is the end of 1st quarter and teachers will be completing grades and participating in Professional Development in Culturally and Linguistically Relevant teaching strategies.
- ☞ Spread the word, November 10th at 6:00 is our Middle School Open house for current 5th grade families. Also, that same night at 7:00 our Somali and Latino Families will be meeting.
- ☞ On December 8th and 9th NEMS will have a Site Visit from the IB to evaluate our program. We need parents to be a part of a conversation with the Site team to help identify the areas we do well, and determine next steps. If you are interested, please contact Dawn Lucken Hills at 612-668-1500.

A NOTE FROM THE ATTENDANCE OFFICE:

- ☞ Parents if you move or have a new phone number, please contact Nancy in the main office at 612-668-1511. Reminder to report an absence to the attendance office if your son/daughter is out of school for the day by calling 668-1511. Thank you, Nancy Borgen, Attendance clerk