



Edgewood

Creative Thinking Through STEAM

Magnet School

The Leaf 11-15-21

CALENDAR

Monday, November 15th	Picture Day; 9:00AM with retakes on 12/10/21.
Monday, November 15th	ARC Meeting, 7-8PM
Wednesday, November 17th	Student Only Early Dismissal, 12:30PM K-2nd; 12:40PM 3rd-8th.
Wednesday, November 17th	Report Card Conferences, K-8. Look for correspondence from teachers.
Wednesday, November 24th	Early Dismissal for Thanksgiving Holiday, 12:30PM K-2nd; 12:40PM 3rd-8th.
Thurs/Fri, Nov. 25th/26th	School is NOT in Session- Thanksgiving Recess.
Thursday, December 23rd	Early Dismissal for December Recess, 12:30PM K-2nd; 12:40PM 3rd-8th.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PICTURE DAY

Picture day will take place on Monday, November 15th at 9:00AM. Please see the attached flyer with more information and reach out to Ms. Esdaile with any questions.

VACCINATION CLINICS

Initial shots: Wednesday, November 17th from 9-3

Wednesday, November 24th (9-12). Follow up shots: December 17th and 23rd, both 9-12

MIDDLE SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Middle School Girls Basketball (Grades 7 and 8)

Tryouts: Monday- 11/15, Tuesday-11/16, Wednesday 11/17

@ Beecher School- New Haven

Time: 4:00pm to 5:30pm

Transportation is not provided. Please wear a mask.

Anyone interested please contact Coach Maddox

Email: Jade.Maddox@New-Haven.K12.CT.US

Phone: 203-543-0962

Student's will need a sports physical within the past 13 months to participate.

ANTI-RACISM COALITION AT EDGEWOOD

Anti-Racism Coalition November Meeting: 11/15 from 7-8PM

Join the Anti-Racism Coalition at Edgewood (ARC) for our first all-school meeting of the 21-22 school year. We plan to begin our time with a guided meditation with a special guest from One Village Healing and then move into some community building and sharing opportunities for further work. Edgewood families, faculty, and staff are welcome to join us.

Zoom link: <https://yale.zoom.us/j/93377010304?pwd=YVY4YjJEL0FhSkIyWHpsUmVaSEppdz09>

Meeting ID: 933 7701 0304 Passcode: 203

Please email us at arc.at.edgewood@gmail.com if you have any questions.

FREE WORKSHOP FROM THE WORD POETRY (FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS 13+)

The Word is offering a free workshop with pioneering beatboxer & songwriter [Chesney Snow](#) Friday November 19th, 4:30-6pm at our Writing Liberation workshop at Neighborhood Music School, 100 Audubon Street, New Haven. Open to young people ages 13-24, and Word alums. No experience necessary. Space is limited so sign up [here](#). Questions? Email thewordpoetry@gmail.com.

UPDATING ADDRESSES IN POWERSCHOOL

Parents can now update their address in PowerSchool. This helps the school to have the most up-to-date information, and directions are included in the following links:

How-to Links for Parents to update addresses using PowerSchool

English: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1xp9mhSQ7OE1yvXgf29HGwZcQfGdTzRzM/view?usp=sharing>

Spanish: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1fUeBjXcHBzJ0oAIP-YcBs4rXURdscIq5/view?usp=sharing>

STEAM HAPPENINGS FROM MRS. SMITH

STEAM Updates

This week we are featuring second grade. Led by the team of dedicated teachers Ms. Hodge, Mr. Sturges and Ms. Searles, this group of students are a wonderful mixture of creative, strong-willed enthusiastic learners. Ms. Hodge says the best way to learn is by doing and Ms. Searles adds that it must be fun so students stay engaged participants. Mr. Sturges looks to see how much students care about their learning. There are many posts this week on Instagram of these classes in action, so don't miss out! [edgewood_STEAM](#) is where you will find the happenings of all things in grade two. Enjoy!

PICKUP REMINDERS

Parents/Guardians- Please be sure to scan the QR code only when you arrive at the school, and not prior to arrival. This is our way of knowing that you are on-site and ready to receive your student. Additionally, all parents/guardians must be on the blacktop in order for us to release students (unless you are on the playground picking up from K).

PARKING REMINDERS

We must stress the importance of following our drop-off and pick up procedures for the safety of our students, families, and staff at all times. **There is absolutely NO DROP-OFF in front of Edgewood on Yale Avenue.** The only drop-off that occurs is in the bus lane for BUSES ONLY. Please do not drive your car through the bus lane to drop off your child. If you would like to park and walk your child into school, please do so using the designated parking spaces further down from the school on Yale or on Edgewood and West Rock. Furthermore, do not block the driveways of any surrounding homes, or park in non-designated spots such as crosswalks and bus or bike lanes. We must have all families adhere to these guidelines in order to maintain safe conditions for all. Thank you and please reach out with any questions.

MISS KENDRA PROGRAM- INFORMATION FOR FAMILIES

We are excited to implement the Miss Kendra Program at Edgewood, and have an informational flyer to share with families that can be accessed through the following link:

<https://www.flipbookpdf.net/web/site/e8a2d1b7d413ddc5d1c02b2148671b7f37762cba202109.pdf.html#page/1>

LUNCH MENUS

The following link will provide you with access to the monthly lunch menus. Just click the menu drop-down option to view: <https://www.schoolnutritionandfitness.com/index.php?sid=1596058078549>

Please email Ms. Rizzo with any items you'd like to have included in the Leaf: andrea.rizzo@nhboe.net