

Marshall Middle School

Weekly Update

October 15, 2024

Dear Marshall Community,

Thank you for your participation in the "Hats for Helene" fundraiser for hurricane relief. We raised \$1,484 and the students and staff enjoyed wearing hats on Friday. There were some unique hats! All proceeds will be donated to the American Red Cross hurricane relief. Thank you.

A few years ago our school council moved the conference times to the middle of the trimester to aid the school/home partnership in supporting student success, rather than waiting until after final grades were issued. October 16, 2024 is the midpoint of the first trimester, day 30. We will have conferences on November 6 and 13 from 6-8 PM. In the next two weeks we will email out invitations to sign up for conference times. Conferences will be in person at the Marshall Middle School.

Our PTO is off to a wonderful start. Please consider coming to our next meeting on November 21, at 6 PM in the school library. Please take a minute to review the PTO information in this week's Weekly Update. [Fall Events](#)

As a reminder, students must have a fully charged Chromebook to school each day. Our learning resources require the use of the Chromebook.

Warmest Regards,

Mr. Rossi

Weekly Notices and School Information

Lost and Found

We have been in school for almost 30 days and the lost and found is full. Please ask your child if anything has been lost, jackets, sweatshirts, hats, water bottles, and lunchboxes. Please ask them to check out the lost and found rack in the cafeteria. Any unclaimed items will be donated after conferences.

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Marshall PTO Corner [PTO Information](#)

President: Kristen Glazer

Vice President: **OPEN**

Treasure: Dominic Spoto

Secretary: Jen Thomas

Upcoming events:

- **10/24- [5th Grade Halloween Party/Dance](#) 5:30-7:00 PM ([volunteer sign up genius](#))**
- **10/25- 6th/7th Grade Halloween Dance 6:00-8:00 PM ([volunteer information](#))**
- **[Bake Sale Signup Genius Link](#)**
- **[Election Day and Conferences Raffle Information](#)**
- **[Turkey Tape Off Signup Genius Link](#)**

Please help make these and other events a success for our kids.

Library Corner - Book Fair [Book Fair Announcement](#)

Here's everything you need to know about the Book Fair:

Dates: Oct. 17-22 (and during homeroom on Oct. 23)

Location: Library

Students will attend the Book Fair with their ELA classes.

There's even more info on our school's Book Fair homepage:

<https://www.scholastic.com/bf/marshallmiddleschool1>

After School Activities & Study Club began on Monday, October 7, 2024

There are NO late buses this year. Please plan accordingly.

Sign ups will end on 10/17/24.

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Open After School Activities

We still have openings in all of our activities so far! We only have two spots left in our Session One, Class A Cooking and Baking that meets Mondays, and only one Spot left in our Session One Class B Cooking and Baking that meets on Wednesdays.

Program Fees

Please note: Each activity is \$25. It is NOT \$25 per day. The most anyone would pay is \$75 if your child signed up for three activities. I apologize for any confusion that I may have caused in an earlier email. Please call the school if you have any questions. (978) 528-8670.

NOTICE: (it is \$25 for a one day per week, 8 session activity.)

After School Activities for the Fall of the 2024-25 school year have been posted. A few reminders:

- We do **not** have late buses this year.
- Pick up time is 2:45 PM.
- The cost per activity is \$25.
 - **(Basically it is \$25 total, for a one day per week, 8 session activity.)**
- We do have financial assistance, please see your child's counselor.
- All sessions/programs/clubs are first come first serve.
- Parents must sign students up.

Please sign up here.... [After School Activities Sign Up](#)

If you have questions, please contact Mrs. Neville at aneville@billericak12.com

Marshall Yearbook Cover Contest

Congratulations to the 2024-25 Marshall Middle School Yearbook Cover Contest

First Place, Front Cover of the Yearbook.....Keira Ivanova

Second Place Back Cover of the Yearbook.....Kinsey Campos

Third Place Inside page of the Yearbook.....Lydia Black

Congratulations to every student who participated in the contest. We have great artists at Marshall Middle School. We are proud of all of you!

Calling all artists....Peace Poster Contest

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Students are invited to participate in the Lions International Peace Poster contest!

The theme is: Peace without limits

Posters must be created by students ages 11-13.

No lettering is allowed on the posters and they are due by 10/25/24

The contest will be displayed and held in the Billerica Public Library Wednesday, 11/6/24.

Questions? Contact Maureen Gardner, (508) 873-6990, (978) 667-5608, gardnermol.mg@gmail.com Billerica Lion Chairperson of Peace Poster Contest

Please see the link for all important details for contest submissions:

<https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/start-our-approach/youth/peace-poster>

Posters can be turned into the office by 10/25/24

Good Luck!

Week of... October 14 - 18th, 2024

Monday, October 14, 2024 **NO SCHOOL**

- Holiday - Columbus Day - No School

Tuesday, October 15, 2024 **A-Day**

- Starbase, Homeroom S11, Mrs. Aucoin's homeroom
- No Afterschool

Wednesday, October 16, 2024 **B-Day**

- Starbase, Homeroom S09, Mr. Anderson's homeroom
- After School Activities - NO LATE BUSES
- 30th Day, midpoint of the Trimester

Thursday, October 17, 2024 **C-Day**

- After School Activities - NO LATE BUSES

Friday, October 18, 2024 **D-Day...**

- Starbase, Homeroom S29, Mrs. Rossetti's homeroom

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- Book Fair Begins

Have a great week!

“Be the best version of yourself!”