

🐾 MVMS 🐾 PAWS NEWS



Thank you!

Thank you to MVP for the themed picnic lunch and snack bar. The MVMS staff enjoyed every bite. We are so grateful for the treats and show of support! Special thanks to Sully's for their donations and to Ms. Neal and Ms. Hendershot for spending the day preparing and serving lunch.

MVMS ADMIN

Principal: [Ms. Jessica Milligan](#)
Assistant Principal: [Ms. Brandy Williams](#)
Dean of Students: [Mr. William Demers](#)
Special Education Facilitator: [Ms. Lindsay Phillips](#)
Curriculum Coordinator: [Mr. Joshua Lewis](#)

SCHOOL DAY TIMES

Drop Off Begins: 8:00
School Day begins: 8:25
School Day ends: 3:10

MVMS SCHOOL COUNSELORS

5th Grade: [Ms. Ryanne Roy](#)
6th Grade: [Ms. Erin Sakolosky](#)
7th Grade: [Ms. Jessica Jordan](#)
8th Grade: [Ms. Rachel Nault](#)

Attention 6th Grade Parents

The State of NH requires all students entering 7th grade to receive the Tdap vaccine (Tetanus and Pertussis) prior to the start of 7th grade. Most children receive this vaccine between ages 10-12. Many current 6th graders are still missing documentation of this vaccine. If your child received this vaccine, we ask that you send in a copy of their immunization record prior to the end of the school year. If your student has not had the Tdap vaccine, please make arrangements with your child's health care provider for him/ her to receive this vaccine before the start of school in September and submit a copy of your student's vaccine record to the MVMS nurses once completed. Feel free to contact the MVMS Health Office with any questions or concerns.

Thank you,
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Thank you Ace Hardware of Goffstown!

Ace Hardware recently donated beautiful spring flowers to MVMS and the Flex 1 classroom planted them in the front of the building.



Office of the **PRINCIPAL**

Dear 8th Grade Families:

The end of the school year is rapidly approaching, and it is an exciting time for our grade 8 students. Many activities are planned to recognize and celebrate our students' accomplishments at Mountain View Middle School. Below are some important dates and details regarding the end-of-the year activities. Feel free to contact an administrative team member if you have any questions or concerns.

Grade 8 Recognition Dance/Celebration

Date: Friday, June 7, 2024

Time: 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Where: MVMS Hilltop Cafeteria

- We encourage all our MVMS Grade 8 students to attend the Grade 8 Recognition Dance/Celebration sponsored by Student Government.
- Admission to the Dance/Celebration is free and limited to currently enrolled MVMS Grade 8 students.
- Drop off – 6:00 behind the Hilltop/playground entrance.
- Pick-up – 8:00 in the front of MVMS.
- As a gentle reminder, the recognition dance is not a formal event. Students are encouraged to dress comfortably. In the past, most students chose to wear khaki style shorts, polo shirts, short-sleeve button up shirts (with or without a tie), skirts or dresses
- Students must be in school on June 7th in order to attend the dance. Students may not be dismissed prior to 2:00.

Grade 8 Promotion Ceremony

Date: Thursday, June 13, 2024

Time: 2:00. (Students arrive at 1:15)

Where: St. Anselm College, Sullivan Center

- We welcome all our MVMS Grade 8 students to attend our promotional ceremony
- We recommend appropriate student dress for a promotional exercise.
- Students will need to leave their cell phones with their families during the ceremony.
- Tickets for spectators are not required.
- It is our hope to live-stream the event on GTV.
- All students/families are responsible for transportation to/from the event.
- Students should be dropped off in front of the Sullivan Center.
- Before this day, students will meet with Mrs. Milligan to review logistics for the day.

PLEASE NOTE: Thursday, June 13th will be a remote learning day for all 8th grade students. Students will be encouraged to attend a Microsoft Teams meeting with their team teachers beginning at 9:00. This meeting will include reminders about the promotional ceremony and a fun, virtual team activity. More information will be provided to students about this day by their team teachers.

Best regards,
Jessica Milligan



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Date	Upcoming Events
May 24	Memorial Day Assembly
May 27	No School: Memorial Day
May 28	Spring Music Concert (All Chorus)
May 29	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Spring Music Concert (All Band & Orchestra) -NBCS Step Up Day
June 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Field Trip: 7-2 Camp Lincoln -Transition Activity: Grade 6 @ YMCA
June 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Grade 8 Excellence Night (Invitation only) -Field Trip: 7-3 Camp Lincoln -Field Trip: Grade 6 Canobie Lake Park
June 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Grade 8 Promotion Dance -Field Trip: 7-1 Camp Lincoln
June 10	Field Trip: Grade 8 Mel's Funway
June 12	Paws Pride Field Day
June 13	8th Grade Promotion @ 2:00
June 14	MVMS Step Up Day
June 18	Last Day/Early Release



8TH GRADE PROMOTION SLIDE SHOW

8TH GRADE PHOTOS NEEDED!

Got Photos?

email all 8th grade photos to:

david.saunders@sau19.org

by June 3rd, 2024

PHOTOS FROM:

- School Field Trips (DC, etc)
- School Concerts
- Athletic Events
- School Clubs
- Theatre Productions
- Any School event!

Chess Match Update

On Saturday May 11th, your MVMS Chess team took on St. Benedict Academy in Manchester. After a difficult three hour match it was a draw. They fielded a tough team this year. As always, students, staff and family were gracious hosts. We thank the MVMS parents who turned out to support our team. We hope to host next year.



MISSING SOMETHING?

THE FRONT OFFICE HAS HOUSE KEYS, JEWELRY, ELECTRONICS AND MULTIPLE PAIRS OF PRESCRIPTION GLASSES, WHICH HAVE BEEN FOUND DURING THE SCHOOL YEAR. ANYTHING NOT CLAIMED BY THE END OF THE SCHOOL YEAR WILL BE DONATED. IF YOU HAVE LOST ANYTHING PLEASE ASK AT THE FRONT DESK AS THEY MAY HAVE YOUR MISSING ITEM(S)!



Update from the Nurses: Seasonal Allergies

Allergy season is here. If your child suffers from seasonal allergies, please make sure they are taking their allergy medication daily, at home. The MVMS Health Office does not supply seasonal allergy medication to students. Please contact us with any questions.

Thank you,

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Food Service Accounts

Thank you for such a great year! We have enjoyed serving your students this year!

We have a bit of information to share with you.

If your child has money leftover, the money will roll over into the next school year.

If your child is leaving the district (moving or graduating) you can request a refund at this link: [Lunch Account Refund Request Form \(office.com\)](#).

If your child owes money, the bill must be paid by the end of the school year.

To check your child's balance, log into www.linqconnect.com.

Online payment can be done at www.linqconnect.com or you can send cash or check (Goffstown Food Service) to school with your child.

We wish you all a safe, healthy and fun filled summer!

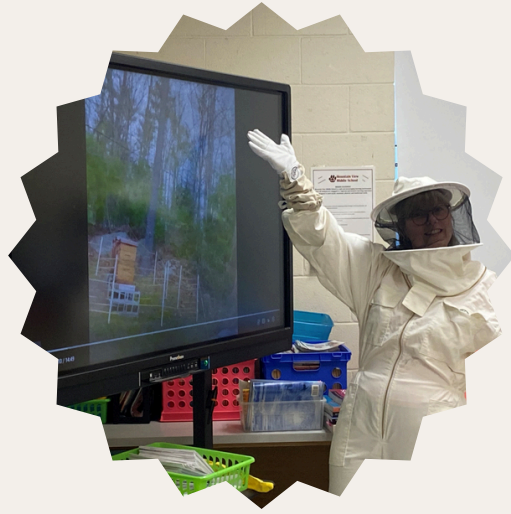
The Food Service Team



Ms. Bishop and several Grade 5 students presented their research on Pompeii and Roman mythology on May 22nd to small groups of students and staff. Everyone worked so hard and did such an excellent job presenting!



Ms. Bishop visited 5th grade classes this month to share her knowledge of honeybees! Ms. Bishop has 4 beehives in her backyard. She created a cool video where we got to see the workers, drones, and even the queen! The students got to do a taste test between store-bought honey and Ms. "B's" honey! Thank you, Ms. Bishop.



Field Trip Volunteer Information

Spring is almost here and that means field trips will be happening! Often, teachers will reach out for volunteer chaperones. **In order to chaperone a school field trip, individuals need to complete the volunteer fingerprinting process and complete an online bullying training. This process can take up to 8 weeks for results to come back, so please don't wait until the last minute.**

The Goffstown Police Department (GPD) has partnered with our district and will now accept SAU 19 volunteers at the police station during the hours of 9:00 AM and 3:00 PM, Monday through Friday. You do not need to make an appointment, but you will need to bring a photo ID with you and tell them you are an SAU 19 volunteer. In the event you cannot make it during these open hours, you may stop by the GPD at any time, but the availability of an officer to take your prints may be limited and you may have to wait for an available officer, or you may be asked to try again at a different date and time.

Once your fingerprinting is complete, GPD will provide you with an electronic receipt. This receipt needs to be brought to the SAU office along with the following forms and payment for the State of NH for \$21.25. Please visit the following link for more information and forms.

[Volunteering Fingerprinting](#)



SUMMER MUSIC LESSONS AND VOCAL ENSEMBLE



Dear Students and Parents,

We are excited to announce a great opportunity for our incoming 5th through 8th grade music students at MVMS this summer. **This program is provided to the community for free through a grant for all experience levels from beginners to advanced.** Below you will find the schedule information and we hope your student is able to participate. This is an optional extension of your student's music instruction they receive during the school year. Lessons are weekly and if your student needs to miss a week due to a conflict please notify the teacher ahead of time.

If you have any questions feel free to contact Mr. Saunders at david.saunders@sau19.org, Mr. Mancuso at christopher.mancuso@sau19.org or Mr. Kenyon at michael.kenyon@sau19.org

All programs will run for five weeks from July 8 to August 8, 2024.

Instrumental Group or Individual Lessons

Instrumental students have the opportunity to participate in either group lessons (1 hour) or individual lessons (30 minutes). These lessons will be scheduled between 10-5 pm on either Tuesday or Thursday. The type of lesson a student receives will be based on enrollment and individual or group lessons can not be guaranteed.

Summer Vocal Ensemble

Vocal Students have the opportunity to participate in the Summer Vocal Ensemble that will meet from 6:00-7:00 pm on Tuesdays. This group is open to all incoming 5th through 8th grade students and will focus on healthy singing and a variety of popular singing styles. Students will participate in selecting music to perform. The Vocal ensemble will have a performance of works on Tuesday, August 6th @ 7:00 pm at MVMS.

Please fill out the online form by June 18th at:

<https://forms.office.com/r/0tyWsJnMje>

Please select all time slots that could work for you so we are able to schedule as many students as possible.

Confirmation email will be sent upon receipt and

lesson time assignments and health forms will be emailed out on June 24, 2024.

