## BULLDOG BRIEFS



Edgar Middle School Newsletter February 5, 2024



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#### Report Cards

- Report cards will be published tomorrow at about 3:00 pm.
- You can find the report cards in the Grading section on your Genesis Parent Portal.

# CATCH A DATE 2/12 WITH A -2/16 BOOK HOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

Purchase a book and support the Edgar Middle School 7th and 8th Grade Student Council. Students will visit with their ELA class during the week of 2/12 - 2/16.

USE THE LINK BELOW TO CREATE AN E-WALLET FOR **PURCHASING BOOKS:** 

HTTPS://BOOKFAIRS.SCHOLASTIC.COM/BF/EDGARMIDDLESCHOOL1

#### January Students of the Month

- Each month grade level teachers will recognize students in their grade level that stand out and positively contribute to the school community.
- January's Students of the Month were:
  - o Grade 5- Sai Kodela
  - o Grade 6- Anabella Messina
  - o Grade 7- Saffia Lone
  - o Grade 8- Nathanel Villaneuva
- Students of the Month will have the privilege to have lunch with friends in the courtyard.
- Congratulations to the students!! Keep up the great work.

### Souper Bowl of Caring

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- The 5th & 6th Grade Student Council is proud to announce that we are hosting the Student Council's Souper Bowl of Caring.
- Souper Bowl of Caring uses the energy and excitement around our nation's largest sporting event, The Super Bowl, to create an opportunity for our students and families to join a national movement of giving and serving.
- During the week of February 6th through 9th, students are invited to participate in a school-wide service project by donating canned soup or other non-perishables that will be delivered to the First Presbyterian Church of Metuchen Food Pantry.
- At the same time, students will have the opportunity to predict who they think will win the BIG GAME on February 11th! When students bring their non-perishable donations, they can choose to put them in the CHIEFS' box or the 49ERS' box- whichever team they think will win Super Bowl LVIII.

#### Attention 8th Grade Families

- Your 8th grade student's Metuchen High School scheduling process has begun!
- Please read this <u>letter</u> outlining the process and important dates. It's essential that you read about what is ahead so that your student (and you) are prepared and so that deadlines aren't missed.
- For those of you attending the parent orientation this evening, scheduling will be briefly covered there as well.
- MHS has a detailed Scheduling and Course Planning page within our website. We recommend that you become familiar with this page and look around at the others while you are there.
- Your Edgar counselors will be available to assist you with the scheduling process.

THE STAFF AND ADMINISTRATION OF

## METUCHEN HIGH SCHOOL

WELCOME YOU TO

# NINTH GRADE PARENT ORIENTATION

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5

AGENDA ITEMS:

- INTRODUCTION - CURRICULUM
- CCHEDIII INC – COKKICOLOM
- ATHLETICS & CO-CURRICULAR OFFERINGS
- PARENT ORGANIZATION



Location

Metuchen High School Auditorium 400 Grove Avenue Enter Through Door 1

FOR MORE INFORMATION, GO TO: www.metuchenschools.org/o/mhs

FOR UP-TO-DATE INFORMATION, START FOLLOWING US ON SOCIAL MEDIA: @MHSPOROWSKI

Inclement Weather Date: Thursday, February 8

#### Silver Award Project

- One of our students is completing her Girl Scout Silver Award Project.
- She is running a book drive from January 22<sup>nd</sup> through February 12<sup>th</sup>.



## CHILDREN'S BOOK DRIVE



EVERYONE DESERVES TO HAVE NEW BOOKS!

When kids have new books they get more excited about reading, which is important. But, not all families can afford new books.

I am collecting new books to donate to families and kids who need them, so if you would like to donate them drop off books in the bin by the main office. The books will be donated to Multicultural Community Services in Edison, a nonprofit organization serving kids and families.

WHAT SORT OF BOOKS ARE BEING COLLECTED?



All New or Like New Books

Ages Newborn - 16

Books In English & Spanish



4th-8th Grade - Robotics Teams!

Free Open House/Information Session for new





Tuesday, February 6 7-8PM Edgar Middle School Cafeteria

Please RSVP here to attend: https://forms.gle/ZMG2EFpGnCCTfEvz6

We are the Metuchen Momentum, Electric Mushrooms, Creative Controllers, Cosmobots, Revolu-Techs. RoboCraft, Metuchen Bots, Ronkafellers & Cyber Duckies!

We compete in FIRST (<a href="https://www.firstinspires.org/">https://www.firstinspires.org/</a>) competitions in FIRST LEGO League, FIRST Tech Challenge, and FIRST Robotics Competition programs.

This information session is for parents and students who are interested in joining one of the teams for the Spring season. In the Spring, new members will learn the techniques that go into designing, building and coding a robot and help their team members to improve on the robots and compete in the Menlo Park Mashup on May 4, 2024!











