



District E-News

September 25, 2023

Newark CCSD 66

www.ngsd66.org

815-695-5143

Newark Families and Staff,

Don't forget the upcoming 5 B's Drive through Dinner! Flyer is below to sign up for the September 26 drive through event at Newark Grade School from 4:30 - 6:30 pm. Proceeds from these dinners go to fixing playground equipment. Did you see the new blue swings at Millbrook Jr. High? Thanks PTO for supporting our students!

Pictures from Grandparents Day are being printed and our goal is to send home copies to families this week! Sorry for the delay!

Highlights for this week:

Our Kindergarten class starts their visits within the community. On Monday, they will take a visit to our public library!

Tuesday is the 5 B's dinner drive through from 4:30 - 6:30 pm at NGS.

Wednesday - come cheer on our MJH Vikings! We will honor our 8th graders in Soccer and Volleyball!

Thursday - Mrs. Sapsford has arranged our Dental Presentation at NGS. This is to help teach children how to brush their teeth and why dental health is important. This aligns with our health curriculum for students.

Also on Thursday - BBB/Cheer parent meeting at MJH 4:30 pm.

Fall is officially here and we have almost completed a whole quarter of school! Please remember to check out your Teacherease accounts to keep updates on your student's academics, attendance, teacher logs and emails.

Reminder! Attendance matters, as does being to school on time to get started on a positive note! Classes begin at MJH at 8:00 AM. Classes begin at NGS at 8:05 AM. Don't forget all vacation absences are unexcused per school policy and school code. See the Attendance Matters flyer below to show how much your child misses when not in school.

Parent - Teacher conferences are only weeks away! We will be sending home conference times for K - 5 students in the next few weeks. At conferences, we will share MAP data and IAR & Science data with our 3 - 8 graders. We have also received our 5Essentials Data - but we did not have enough parent participation for any feedback. We will try again in January.

Ms. Chase and I are excited to start our Viking Voices get together! Please join us for our first Viking Voices on October 26 from 7:15 - 8:00 am in the Cafe at NGS. Parents are welcome to ask questions, tell us your thoughts, any concerns you have for our district. Light refreshments will be provided. There is a flyer below with more details!

Be sure to check the website: www.ngsd66.org and the district APP to keep up with all the information!. Preschool links have been added under the Newark Grade School Tab. Kindergarten and Preschool have added classroom pages for parents! Please don't hesitate to contact us with any questions or concerns. Wishing everyone a wonderful week!

Partners in Education,

Mrs. Turman and Ms. Chase

Dates to Remember:

September 25 - Kindergarten visit to Library

September 26 - 5B's Dinner Drive Thru - Flyer Below! Pre-order is open!

September 27 - 8th grade night for GVB and Soccer!

September 28 - K - 4 Dental Presentation at NGS 2 pm;

BBB/Cheer parent meeting @ MJH 4:30 pm

October 4 - PTO meeting @ NGS 6:00 pm

October 5 - PK to Heap's Farm; Kinder visits the Fire Station

October 6 - Teacher Institute

October 9 - No School - Columbus Day

October 12 - Kinder to Woody's Apple Orchard

October 14 - **Mobile Food Pantry at NGS 9:00 - 10:30 Flyer below! **

October 16 - BOE meeting @ MJH 6:30 pm

October 18 - Parent/Teacher Conferences 4 - 7 pm

October 19 - Dismissal 1:15/1:30; Parent/Teacher Conferences 2 - 7 pm; 6th - 8th Halloween Dance @ MJH

October 20 - No School

October 23 - 27 - Red Ribbon Week!

October 24 - 1st grade to DuPage Children's Museum

October 26 - Viking Voices 7:15 - 8:00 am NGS Cafe (flyer below)

October 31 - Happy Halloween!

Download the Mobile APP! Search Newark CCSD 66, IL on Android or Apple.

Follow us on Facebook and Twitter and Instagram!

Website: www.ngsd66.org

Youtube channel: Newark School District

Millbrook Jr. High Vikings Updates

Week of September 25-29

Monday, September 25

Morning Report: Jameson W.

Student Sports & Activities:

Soccer @ Serena, 4:15 PM
7/8th VB Practice 3:00-4:30 PM
5/6th VB Practice 4:30-6:00 PM
XC Practice 6:30-730 AM

Tuesday, September 26

Morning Report: Sophia L.

PTO 5 B's Drive Thru @ NGS 4:30-6:30 pm

Sports & Activities:

Homework Club 3-3:45 pm

Speech Team Practice 3-4 pm

XC Meet @ Seneca, 4:00 PM **Bus:3:00 PM**

8th VB @ Trinity Christian, 5:15 PM

5/6th VB Practice 3:00-4:30 PM

Soccer Practice, 3:15-4:30 PM

Wednesday, September 27

Morning Report: Sean C.

KINDNESS DAY - Wear Kindness Shirts

Student Sports & Activities:

7/8th VB/Soccer HOME vs HBR, 4:15 PM; **8th Grade Night**

XC Practice 3:00-4:00 PM

Thursday, September 28

Morning Report: Avery S.

BBB/Cheer Parent/Coach Mtg. 4:30 PM

Student Sports & Activities:

Homework Club 3-3:45 pm

Speech Team Practice 3-4 PM

7th & 8th VB Going to NHS VB Games

5/6th VB Practice 3:00-4:30 PM

XC Practice 3:00-4:00 PM

Soccer Practice 3:15-4:00 PM

Friday, September 29

Morning Report: Wyatt C.

Viking Gear

Student Sports & Activities:

7& 8th VB Practice 3:00-4:30 PM

Soccer Practice 3:15-4:30 PM

5/6th VB Practice 4:30-6:00 PM

XC Practice 6:30-730 AM

Saturday, September 30

Student Sports & Activities:

Fox Trot XC Invitational @ Yorkville, 9:00 AM

7th VB Jr 10 Tourney @ Earlville

Viking News



Notes from the Principal

**Did you know? After 5 tardies, your child receives a lunch/recess detention?
School starts at 8 am. Please be on time to school!**

PARENT/COACH MEETING

Boys Basketball & Cheer

Thursday, September 28

4:30 pm



Please remember that both fees (\$50 registration and \$60 Sports Boosters fee), a current sports physical, and Parent Signature Consent forms must be turned in before practice. **Students will not be allowed to practice without submission of any of these items.**

For the fees: \$50 made payable to NCSD 66

\$60 made payable to Sports Boosters

NOTE: The \$60 is refundable if volunteer shifts are completed during home games.

SPORTS BOOSTERS

HOME GAME VOLUNTEERS

Wednesday, September 27 7th & 8th VB vs HBR, 4:15 PM

4:00 -5:15 pm

Concessions

Erika Johnson

Amanda Akre

Book

Kristy Carlson

5:15-6:30 pm

Concessions

Erika Johnson

Chrissy Callier

Book

Christy Carlson



Don't want to cook, we got you covered!

The current funds being raised will be going to:

NGS - playground repairs

MJH - playground repairs



Time to Dine with 5B's Drive Thru
Let's go to dinner fundraiser!

Tuesday, September 26th

4:30pm-6:30pm @ Newark Grade School

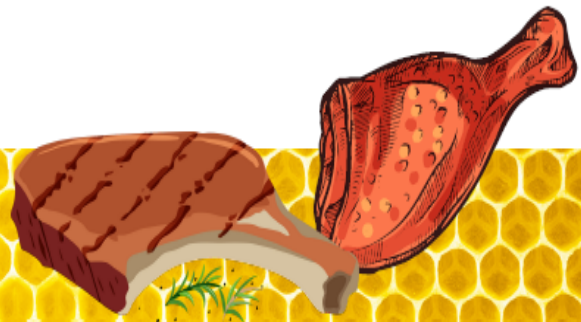


Please stay in your cars, volunteers will be outside to direct you!

Pre-order by clicking ticket link below and pay cash or check during pickup.

Forgot to pre-order that's ok, we will see you then!

<https://forms.gle/JtrtmCvjQkw68k7q6>





WE ALL BELONG

Need groceries? The Northern Illinois Food Bank Mobile distribution can help. Food is free to all neighbors; no ID, proof of address or income is required. Just need to provide zip code and how many in your household. Food is distributed on a first come, first served basis, while supplies last.

Where:

Newark Grade School
503 Chicago Road
Newark, IL 60541



When:

Saturday, October 14th
9:00-10:30 am



Our SNAP team is available and ready to help!
Call or text "Food" or "Comida" to 844-600-7627

[SOLVEHUNGERTODAY.ORG](https://solvehungertoday.org)



**NEIGHBORS.
EMPOWERED.**

Newark CC District 66

VIKING VOICES



As your leaders, we want the best for our community's children. Come connect with your administration team. Share your thoughts about our schools.

- ✓ Meet with Mrs. Turman & Ms. Chase
- ✓ Get your questions answered
- ✓ Let your Viking Voice be heard

For More Information

(815) 695-5143 NGS
(630) 553-5435 MJH

THURSDAY

26

OCTOBER

7:15-8 AM

NGS CAFE

NO RSVP NEEDED

*One Community
Building the
Future*

Charles B. Phillips Library September Calendar Events

MON	TUE	WED	THR	FRI	SAT
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				9:15 AM Chair Yoga	10:00 AM Lego/ Duplo Club
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CLOSED 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM The library will be at Lisbon's Labor Day providing a free craft	10:30 AM Storytime <i>Apples</i> 6:00 PM Write Now! JR	9:15 AM Chair Yoga	3:30 PM Board Game Club	9:15 AM Chair Yoga 1:00 PM Hand & Foot Canasta	10:00 AM Adult Book Chat <i>Come Fly the World</i> By Julia Cooke
11	12	13	14	15	16
All Day Take home craft, while supplies last <i>American Eagle</i> 9:15 AM Chair Yoga 1:00 PM Adult Matinee <i>About My Father</i>	10:30 AM Storytime <i>Bus</i> 1:00 PM Homeschool Meet Up <i>Meet other Homeschool Families in a casual setting.</i> 2:30 PM Write Now! JR	9:15 AM Chair Yoga	5:00 PM <i>Mary Todd Lincoln</i> Performed by Lynn Rymarz	9:15 AM Chair Yoga 1:00 PM Hand & Foot Canasta	
18	19	20	21	22	23
9:15 AM Chair Yoga	6:00 PM Write Now!	9:15 AM Chair Yoga		9:15 AM Chair Yoga 1:00 PM Hand & Foot Canasta	
25	26	27	28	29	30
9:15 AM Chair Yoga	10:30 AM Storytime <i>Fair</i>	9:15 AM Chair Yoga		CLOSED For Staff Development Day	

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

Missing a day of school here and there may not seem like much, but absences add up!

When a student misses **2** days a month..

They will miss **20 DAYS** a year.

They will miss **30 HOURS** of math over the school year.

They will miss **60 HOURS** of reading & writing over the school year.

They will miss over **1 YEAR** of school by graduation.

When a student misses **4** days a month..

They will miss **40 DAYS** a year.

They will miss **60 HOURS** of math over the school year.

They will miss **120 HOURS** of reading & writing over the school year.

They will miss over **2 YEARS** of school by graduation.



Ordering Information



Orders will be collected using the online ordering system, accessible through the provided QR code. Orders can be submitted at anytime, however production of items does not begin until orders are closed for the month and payment is received. Please see the open order schedule below.

Open order dates:

- September 1st-8th
- October 2nd-6th
- November 1st-10th (last order before Christmas)
- February 1st-7th
- March 4th-8th
- April 8th-12th (last order of the year)





Newark Spirit Wear Price Guide



10% of profit is returned back to your schools through the PTO!

Youth Sizing:

- T-Shirts: \$20
- Long Sleeve: \$22
- Crewneck Sweatshirt: \$25
- Hoodie: \$29

Adult Sizing:

- T-Shirts: \$22 (+\$3 for 2XL and up)
- Long Sleeve: \$25 (+\$3 for 2XL and up)
- Crewneck Sweatshirt: \$37 (+\$3 for 2XL and up)
- Hoodie: \$40 (+\$3 for 2XL and up)



Newark Spirit Wear Ordering Link



Scan the QR code with the camera of your phone to be linked directly to the Newark Spirit Wear Order Form. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at waycodesigns13@gmail.com



**Get Connected.
Get Answers.**



**OPERATORS ARE STANDING BY TO
ANSWER YOUR QUESTIONS 24/7/365**

**ONE FREE CALL TO 2-1-1 CONNECTS YOU WITH ALL
HUMAN SERVICES IN KENDALL COUNTY**

GET HELP ★



- Food
- Clothing
- Shelter



- Housing
- Rent / Utility Assistance
- Counseling



- Substance Abuse
- Domestic Violence
- Sexual Assault



- Transportation
- Support Groups
- Senior Services



- Aging Parents
- Child Care
- Employment



- Legal Assistance
- Health Care

GIVE HELP ★

- Volunteer locally
- Find where to donate food, clothes and furniture

SAVE 211

**IN YOUR
CONTACT
LIST
FOR FUTURE
REFERENCE!**

**211 IS YOUR NEW,
FREE & CONFIDENTIAL
INFORMATION
& REFERRAL HOTLINE!**

**HELP IS AVAILABLE IN
150+ LANGUAGES**






WHAT IS SAFE2HELP IL?

Safe2Help IL is a program with a multifaceted approach to help prevent suicides, bullying, school violence, or other threats to school safety. The program offers a website with self help resources and videos, a classroom resource kit to help change the culture in Illinois schools, and a 24/7 **confidential** way to share information regarding safety issues impacting you or your friend's safety. Our goal is for students to **"Seek Help Before Harm."**



DID YOU KNOW?

- 70%** of teens have experienced struggles with mental health.
-  1 in 6 students experienced a major depressive episode in 2020.
-  1 in 5 high schools students report being bullied in school.
-  15% of adolescents increased their use of alcohol.

Source: NAMI- https://www.nami.org/NAMI/media/NAMI-Media/Infographics/NAMI_2020MH_ByTheNumbers_Youth.pdf

HOW TO SHARE INFORMATION



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Pre-School Calendar 2023-2024

August

8: Preschool open house 3:30 – 5:00 pm

21: First Day of Pre-School

September

7: Regular Pre-School Day (SIP Day 11:15)

October

6: No Pre-School (Teacher Institute)

9: No Pre-School (Columbus Day)

18: Regular Day of Pre-School Conferences 4-7 pm

19: Regular Day of Pre-School Conferences 2-7 pm

20: No Pre-School (No NGS)

November

22-24: Thanksgiving break

December

20: Regular Pre-School Day (SIP Day 1:30)

21: No Pre-School or No PM Pre-School (SIP Day 1:30)

22-31: Holiday Break

January

1-7: Holiday Break

8: No Pre-School (Teacher Institute)

15: No Pre-School (M.L. King Day)

February

19: No Pre-School (Presidents' Day)

March

23-31: Spring Break

April

1: No Pre-School (Easter Monday for NGS)

25-26 No Pre-School Spring Conferences (NGS regular school)

May

23: Last Day of Pre-School

NEWARK CCSD 66 2023-2024 CALENDAR

JULY '23						
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30	31					

4 Independence Day

1 – 7 Winter Break
8 Teacher Institute
9 Students return
15 M.L. King Day
26 SIP 1:15/1:30

JANUARY '24						
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8 In person Registration
1:30-5:30 @ NGS
14 Teacher Institute
15 Teacher Institute
16 First full day

9 Q3 Midterm
16 SIP day 1:15/1:30
19 Presidents' Day

FEBRUARY '24						
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4 Labor Day
7 SIP Day 11:15/11:30
15 Q1 Midterms

15 End of Q3
22 - 31 Spring Break
22 SIP 1:15/1:30 Dismiss
29 Good Friday
31 Easter Sunday

MARCH '24						
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6 Teacher institute
9 Columbus Day No School
13 End of Q1
18 conferences 4 – 7pm
19 conferences 2 – 7 pm
19 1:15/1:30 dismissal
20 No School
31 Halloween

1 No School
2 School resumes
19 Q4 Midterms
26 SIP day 11:15/11:30 dismiss

APRIL '24						
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10 SIP 1:15/1:30 dismiss
17 Q2 midterms
22 No school
23 - 24 Thanksgiving break
27 School resumes

10 SIP 1:15/1:30 dismiss
12 Mother's Day
24 Last Day 1:15/1:30 dismiss
End of Q4
27 Memorial's Day

MAY '24						
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20 SIP 1:15/1:30 dismiss
21 SIP 1:15/1:30 dismiss
21 End of Q2

22 – 31 Holiday Break

16 Father's Day
19 Juneteenth

JUNE '24						
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