CHATFIELD SCHOOL NEWS

JUNE 1 - JUNE 13

FROM DIRECTORS

The focus of our remaining 12 school days is on academic and social growth. Teachers still have a lot of great instruction planned. Please make sure your child is getting a good night's rest and coming to school ready to learn. We are looking forward to ending the school year strong!

This year Middle School Exams have been adjusted slightly for this school year only. At the sixth and seventh grade level students will only have exams in Mathematics. At the eighth grade level students will have exam in the four content areas. The purpose for taking exams in middle school is to help prepare students for the experience of exams in high school and to teach proper exam preparation to students at the middle school level. At the middle school level final exams account for 10% of a student's final grade.

Please read through this newsletter carefully. There are several areas where we need your help! Olympics are June 11 and we still need many volunteers! Please sign up! We have a call for parent leaders for Chatfield P.I.E. Also in this newsletter is information about Chatfield Summer programs including Meet Up and Read Up, Basketball Camp, Volleyball Camp, Ecology Camps and Sports Physical Night.

PLEASE VOLUNTEER FOR THE OLYMPICS! SIGN UP HERE!

Please help us make the Olympics a great success this year. Please sign up to run a morning session of games, an afternoon session of games, or for the whole day! We are looking forward to having you here. Lunch is provided for all. This sign up is for the K-5 Games.

Sign Up LINK

OYMPICS 2021 - FRIDAY, JUNE 11, 2021

Olympic Day is Friday, June 11. We are hoping for good weather and fun times. Students should be prepared to spend the majority of the day outside. Students will wear their Olympic shirts that the class had printed or tie-dyed. It may be a good idea to have a change of clothes and towel in case they get wet. Each student should bring their own water bottle...make sure it is labeled. They should wear sun screen and athletic shoes. Hot dog(s), macaroni and cheese, chips, fruit, and cookies will be provided to all students and guests. Students who might prefer to eat something different are welcome to bring their own packed lunch.

SUMMER SCHOOL - BY INVITATION

We are excited about the summer learning program we are offering our students this summer. The program called Rise Up will have a heavy emphasis on literacy and improving students overall literacy skills. The program is scheduled to run 9am to 11am Monday through Thursday starting July 6 through August 5. Enrollment will be via invitation. Check your mail. Upon receipt of your invitation please sign up digitally by June 11.

CHATFIELD BASKETBALL CAMP

Basketball camps will held in three different programs: There will be a program for students entering third and fourth grades, a program for students entering fifth and sixth grades and a program for students entering seventh and eighth grade. These will be held in the afternoon the week of July 13-16.

SIGN UP FOR ECOLOGY CAMP IS NOW OPEN!

Ecology Camp is on the schedule this summer. Peter is especially excited about a middle school camp program in the works. The informational flyer and sign up information is attached to this newsletter and is also located here: Ecology Camp INFO

CHATFIELD VOLLEYBALL CAMP

The sign up for Volleyball Camp is now active. The Volleyball Camp information is attached to this newsletter and can be found at this Volleyball LINK.

SPORTS PHYSICAL NIGHT - JUNE 8

LCS is hosting a Sports Physical Night open to the public at Lapeer High School on Tuesday, June 8 from 5pm to 7pm. Sports Physicals are required for all school organized team sports. Please see the flyer attached to this newsletter with the details.

P.I.E. NEWS

Shakespeare in the Park: The Lapeer Community Theater will perform A MId-Summer's Night Dream this July in the Chatfield Amphitheater. PIE will be responsible for selling concessions and managing the grounds. Please watch for a sign up coming to help out with this. Concessions sales will go directly to PIE.

Bike Rodeo: PIE will hold a Bike Rodeo on a Saturday this October. The Bike Rodeo is open to the community but is specifically a fund raiser for PIE. Participants will ride for sponsorship. We will also seek support from community businesses. Lunch will served. Sign up for committee will be sent out soon.

P.I.E. CALL FOR OFFICERS

If you would be willing to be considered for a position on the P.I.E. Board, would you please complete the attached survey at this link: LINK for P.I.E. Board We hope to have our new P.I.E. Board Officers in place this summer. Please submit your interest on the survey link by June 11, 2021. Thank you in advance!

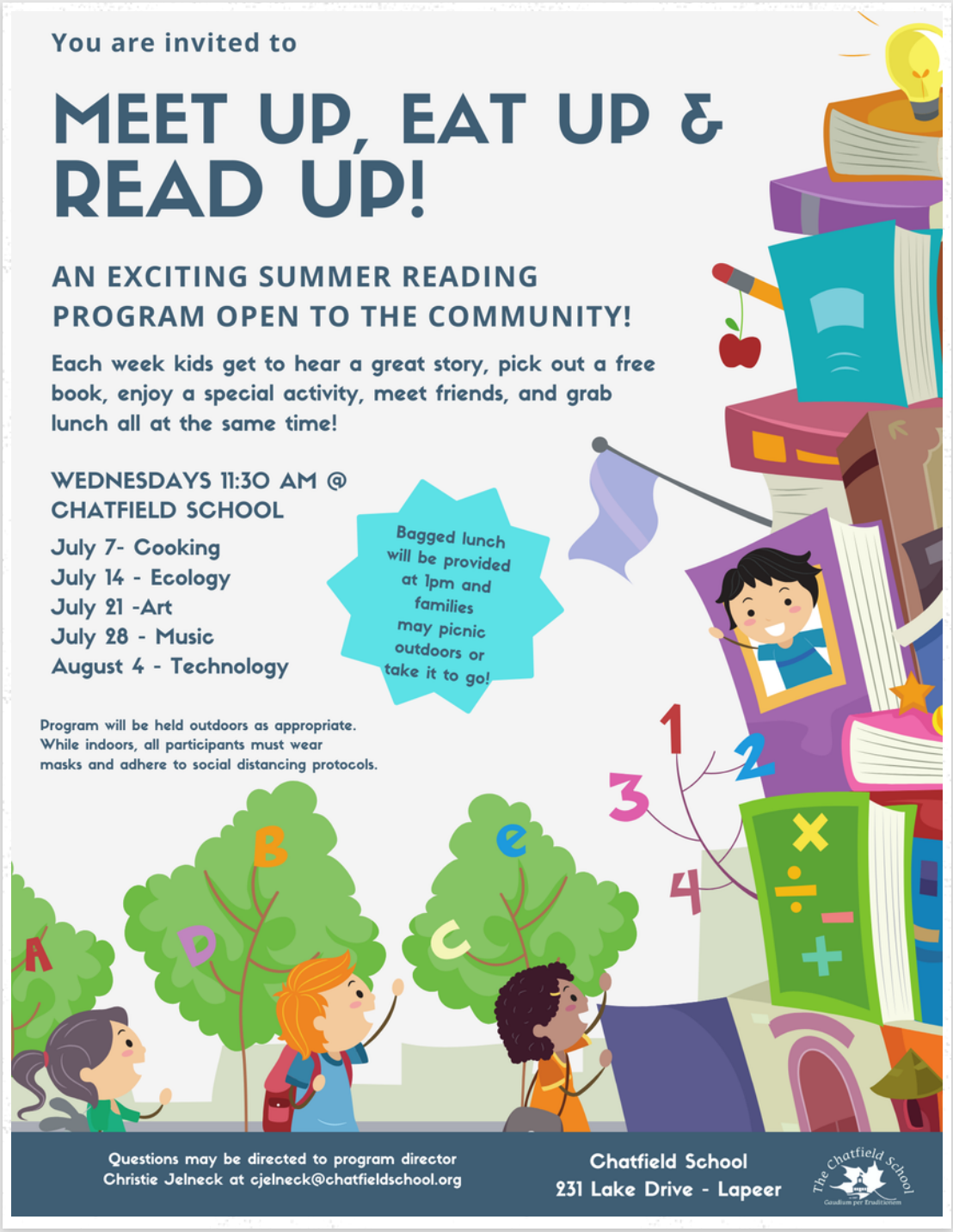
BIKE RODEO COMMITTEE VOLUNTEERS – PLEASE SIGN UP!

The Bike Rodeo is a fun event for families and it is also a major P.I.E. fundraiser. Students get sponsorship for their riding and then enjoy the bike paths around the school on a Saturday in October with their family. In addition, we seek sponsorships from businesses. In order to make this a great success we need committees to divide and organize the work. Please sign up to join a committee. We will plan to meet in late July and then in August. The committees are:
Silent Auction
Business Sponsorship
Bike Rodeo Events
Food and Drink

LINK TO SIGN UP

MEET UP, EAT UP AND READ UP!

Meet Up, Read Up and Eat Up will continue this summer on Wednesdays July 7 - August 4 from 11:30-1:30. This will be open to all Chatfield students. Students will be able to pick out a new book, participate in a unique read aloud and activity, and then take a sack lunch home.



NOT RETURNING TO CHATFIELD? PLEASE LET US KNOW!

If your child is not returning to Chatfield in August, would you please notify us via email, phone call, or stop in. We want to help make a positive and smooth transition for your child. Additionally, your notification allows us a new student to begin to prepare for enrollment at Chatfield. Thank you for communicating with us. Please email chatfieldschool@chatfieldschool.org

HOT LUNCH UPDATE

Hot lunch with one milk is free until the end of the school year! But, an extra milk does cost 50 cents. Payments may be made by check, or online at chatfieldschool.org. If you have any

questions, please e-mail Ami Davis at adavis@chatfieldschool.org.

HONORS PRESENTATIONS

This June honors presentations and awards will be presented to students in the classrooms by their teachers and Mr. Young and Mr. Kraly. Our eighth grade farewell will be held outdoors the evening of June 15. Rain dates for the farewell are the 16th and 17th.

UPCOMING DATES

6/2/2021 LEAF (Grades K-1) Drive Thru Deposit at CFI 3:30-5:20pm
6/10/2021 NJHS Induction Ceremony
6/11/2021 Olympics XXIV
6/14/2021 Flag Day - Wear Red, White and Blue
6/15/2021 Last Day of School Dismissal 11:30am
6/15/2021 8th Grade Farewell 6:30 pm (Rain dates 6/16, 6/17)

PARKING LOT SAFETY REMINDERS

Here are a couple of parking lot reminders:
1. For those that drop off or pick up on the north/east side of the building, **please pull all the way forward to the middle school door steps when picking up and dropping off.** This will allow more people to pick up and drop off at a time.

2. **If you are dropping off your child and you need to get out of your car to help your child out, please do not stay in the drop off line, park your car in a spot and help your child out of the car.** This will prevent the drop off line from backing up.

3. *Please drive slowly and carefully in the parking lots. Safety must be everyone's first priority.*

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