

Easton Middle School Monthly News- November

Dear Easton Middle School Families,
What a successful quarter we have just completed! Thanks for continuing to be involved in your student's education. Students are working hard and persevering through daily lessons and activities by striving to meet the high expectations set by their teachers and staff. #emsGRIT

Middle school is a very important time to be involved in your student's school life. We wanted to update you on a couple of other types of communication we have available to you. On our EMS Website, you can find our daily announcements. These announcements are updated daily. Students can access these throughout the day on FROG, as well. If you are not receiving TCPS/EMS School Messenger messages via text, please do the following: Text "YES" to 67587. In addition, please visit our Easton Middle School Facebook Page AND our Easton Middle PTO Page.

We continue to encourage you and/or your student to fill out a Panther Pride Award for our extremely dedicated and talented staff members. This form can be found on our website. Each month a drawing is held and a staff member is recognized. Congratulations to Mrs. Sorrell for being our Panther Pride Award Winner for the month of October.

Our very first Parent Advisory Committee was held and it was a success! Thanks to all of our parents and teachers who attended the meeting. All parents are welcome to be a part of this committee. Our next meeting will be held January 3, 2018. Email me or let me know if you are interested and I will add your name to the email list.

Thank you to our Student Government Association (SGA) for hosting our first Movie Night. It was a success! In addition, a special thank you to Easton Premier Cinemas for donating popcorn and to Giant for donating water bottles for the evening.

Congratulations to the following EMS students for being elected and appointed:

6th Grade- President- Autumn Redman; Vice President- Jake Jacobs

7th Grade- President- Jaylen Nixon

8th Grade- President- Joel Duah; Vice President- James O'Connor

Thank you for allowing us to serve and teach your students each day! In addition, thank you for your continued support!

Mrs. Jackie Valcik
Acting Principal

Note Our Important Dates:

November Dates:

11/13-11/17- American Education Week- More information can be found on EMS Website and EMS Facebook Page.

11/15- Board of Education Meeting 7:00p.m.
11/17- Report Cards are sent home
11/20- EHS/EMS Town Hall Meeting- with Dr. Griffith at EHS 6:30p.m.
11/21- Quarterly Awards
 8th Grade- 8:00a.m.
 7th Grade- 9:00a.m.
 6th Grade- 10:00a.m.
11/22-11/24- Thanksgiving Holiday- Schools Closed

December Dates:

12/7 Picture Day Retakes/Make-ups
12/14 Band and Chorus Concert at EHS 6:30p.m.
12/20 Board of Education Meeting 7:00p.m.
12/21 Half-day for students, PBIS Incentive
12/22-1/1 Winter Break
1/2 School Reopens

EMS School Goals:

Academic Excellence- All students have equitable access to high quality and culturally relevant instruction, curriculum, support and other educational resources to insure college and career readiness for all students.

Community Partnerships- EMS effectively communicates with diverse constituencies to identify and facilitate ways for the community to partner with the school.

Organizational Resources- Maximize organizational efficiency and effectiveness in order to provide a 21st century education in equitable, safe, well-maintained environments.