**HARPER PARK WEEKLY NEWSFLASH**

*Tomorrow is a B day.*

All Harper Park Students will be administered the Reading MAP Assessment on Tuesday, March 12 and Reading MAP Assessment on Tuesday, March 19. These assessments will take place from 8:30 AM – 10:30 AM. Students needs to bring their chrome books fully charged. Please be on time.

Be mindful of parking in the handicapped parking spots or blocking these spots unless you have a parking placard or handicapped license plate. Leesburg Police are enforcing violations. Fines may be issued up to $200.

Tuesday, March 12 at 6 PM – Harper Park is being honored at the school board meeting for our 3rd re-designation as a National School to Watch. Also, Eric Penka will also we recognized for receiving his National Board Certification! Congratulations to Mr. Penka.

Two attachments are included in this news flash that discuss the VDOE graduation requirements that recently changed.

Wednesday Harper Park hosts the You be the Chemist Challenge from 5:45 PM – 9 PM.

Friday 9 AM – Parent Coffee – Topic – “College Place”

Friday – Wear Green!

The 7th grade class party is this Friday from 3:30 PM – 5 PM! Dancing, games, pizza and fun!

Hello Harper Park Families! I am reaching out to you in hopes of finding volunteers who will be willing to spend a day chatting with our 6th grade students about your working experiences! Whether you are a nurse, mechanic, astronaut, custodian, business owner, or anything in between - we need YOU!

We are looking for a variety of people interested in spending the day talking to our students about their career. Many of our students are unaware of the career opportunities available to them and this is a fantastic way to provide them with first hand knowledge of potential career paths. This is also a great way for YOU to get involved with HPMS and make an impact on students' futures! If you are not interested, but know someone who is, please send them this information and google form (below). The 2019 Career day will be held on Friday March 22nd during school hours.

Please fill out the google form below to indicate your interest:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd9uwd486FQJExikM7HyMHOh_GWNP2oD7TUv4kkwP7d6lQ4w/viewform?usp=pp_url

Please register with Giant and Harris Teeter so the PTA can earn money that they use for projects at Harper Park.


Collect and send in your BOX TOPS – to the main office.
Harper Park
PTA
Spirit Night
Monday, March 11, 2019 • 3:00 – 9:00 PM

WE SAY: EAT MOR
YOU SAY: CHIKIN!

Help us raise money for HARPER PARK MIDDLE SCHOOL. Don’t forget to say "Spirit Night" when you order in drive-thru, at the register or use your CFAOne App.

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LOUDOUN VOLUNTEER CAREGIVERS

COME ENJOY A FUN GAME NIGHT!

Light horderves, fun games, and prizes to win!

VALID ONLY ON MARCH 16, 2019 FROM 4:30-7:00 P.M.

To get the discount on tickets, scan QR to make a reservation online, $10 entrance fee at door. The event will be held at Academies of Loudoun, 42075 Academy Drive, Leesburg, VA 20175.
BATTLE OF THE 'BURG

HARPER PARK MIDDLE SCHOOL
VS
SIMPSON MIDDLE SCHOOL

Tickets $5 sold during lunch & at the door

Concessions will be available

March 30, 2019 :: 6 pm - 8 pm
Loudoun County High School
Guardianship and Transfer of Rights for Students Turning 18

Thursday, March 7, 2019 from 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
LCPS Administrative Building
21000 Education Court, Ashburn, VA 20147

Presented by Matthew J. Yao, Attorney-at-Law
Matthew J. Yao, Esquire is a partner at Woehrle, Dahlberg, Jones, and Yao, PLLC, a general practice law firm with offices throughout Virginia. His practice focuses primarily on Estate Planning and Elder Law, with a specific emphasis on guardianship and fiduciary matters.

Transitions to adult life for families of students with disabilities is a time that many families look at a number of issues:

- Should you become guardian for your child upon turning 18?
- How do you obtain guardianship?
- What are the types of guardianship?
- Is Power-of-Attorney sufficient?
- What are Educational Transfer of Rights upon turning 18?

Registration is requested. Call 571-252-6540 or go to:
www.lcps.org/parentresourceservices
To register online CLICK HERE

If, due to a disability, you need assistance to enable you to participate meaningfully in a workshop or need an interpreter, please contact the Parent Resource Services at 571-252-6540 at least FIVE business days prior to the event.
La Custodia y
y la Transferencia de Derechos para
Estudiantes que Están Cumpliendo 18

Presentado por Matthew J. Yao, Abogado
Matthew J. Yao, Esquire es un socio en Woehle, Dahlberg, Jones, and Yao, PLLC, una práctica general bufete de abogados con oficinas en Virginia. Su práctica se centra principalmente en la planificación de sucesión y la Ley de Ancianos, con un énfasis específico en la custodia y asuntos fiduciarios.

La transición a la vida adulta para las familias de los estudiantes con discapacidades es un momento en que muchas familias consideran un número de temas:

- ¿Debe convertirse en tutor legal de su hijo al cumplir 18?
- ¿Cómo se obtiene la tutela?
- ¿Cuáles son los tipos de tutela?
- ¿Es suficiente el poder notarial?
- ¿Qué es la Transferencia Educativa de Derechos cuando se cumple los 18?

Se solicita el registro. Llame al 571-252-6540 o vaya a la pagina:
www.lcps.org/parentresourceservices
Para registrarse en línea CLICK AQUI

Si, debido a una discapacidad, necesita asistencia para permitirle participar de manera significativa en un taller o necesita un intérprete, por favor llame al Recurso de Servicios de Padres al 571-252-6540 por lo menos cinco días laborables antes del evento.
Loudoun County Public Schools
Department of Pupil Services

Mental Health and Wellness Parent Seminar Series 2018-2019

PROTECTING OUR YOUTH:
A Conversation About Teen Trafficking for Parents and Teens

We invite teens and parents to an educational evening about the dangers of teen trafficking in our community.

Wednesday, March 13, 2019
6:30—8:30 pm
Stone Bridge High School
43100 Hay Road
Ashburn, VA 20147

Traffickers are targeting young people from every socio-economic group, race, and gender, across the country and right here in Loudoun County. We will hear from former Detective Bill Woolf and Ms. Jodi O’Hern of the Just Ask Prevention Project.

Executive Director Woolf is a nationally acclaimed expert on the subject who has real world experience rescuing children and who has recently recognized with the 2018 Presidential Medal for Extraordinary Efforts to Combat Trafficking in Persons. Ms. O’Hern has orchestrated over 90 school awareness campaigns on the topic across northern Virginia. Together they will address the warning signs of teen trafficking and what we can all do to fight back.

Following the presentations, parents and teens will have an opportunity to ask questions and develop plans of action and protective strategies for the young people in their lives and the larger community.

TO REGISTER: go to lcps.org/parentresourceservices, call 571-252-6540 or CLICK HERE

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Summer Activities
Resource Fair
For Families of Students with Disabilities
Saturday, March 16, 2019
9:00 a.m. — 12:00 p.m.

Including a Break Out Session:
Summer Break! Now What?
LCPS Administrative Building
21000 Education Court, Ashburn, VA 20148

Parent Resource Services
Loudoun County Public Schools

Join LCPS to explore summer camps, classes, and activities that are available for your child. Learn about summer opportunities that are being offered through nonprofit and government agencies as well as for-profit organizations. LCPS does not endorse any individual vendor or agency.

Summer Break! Now What? Break Out Session
9:30 a.m. — 11:00 a.m.
For Families of Preschool-Age Children Through Early Elementary-Age Children

- Curious about how to engage your young child at home over the summer?
- Need ideas on how to maintain current skills in developmental areas when school is not in session?
- Join LCPS preschool professionals to learn what activities you can provide to support your child’s needs and maintain current skill levels during summer break.

Register by calling 571-252-6540
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Feria de Recursos para Actividades durante el Verano
Para Familias de Estudiantes con Discapacidades

El sábado, el 16 de marzo, 2019
9:00 a.m. — 12:00 p.m.

Incluyendo una sesión de:
Vacaciones de Verano! ¡Y ahora qué!
La Oficina Administrativa de LCPS
21000 Education Court, Ashburn, VA
20148

Afiílese con LCPS para explorar campos de verano, clases y actividades que están disponibles para su hijo. Aprenda sobre las oportunidades de verano que están disponibles a través de agencias gubernamentales y sin fines de lucro, así como organizaciones con fines de lucro. LCPS no respalda a ningún proveedor o agencia individual.

Vacaciones de Verano! ¡Y ahora qué!
Sesión extra: 9:30 a.m. — 11:00 a.m.
Para familias de niños en edad preescolar hasta niños de edad elemental

- ¿Curioso en cómo hacer su niño participar en la casa durante las vacaciones de verano?
- ¿Necesita ideas sobre cómo mantener las habilidades actuales en las áreas de desarrollo cuando la escuela no está en sesión?
- Únase a los profesionales preescolares de LCPS para aprender qué actividades puede proporcionar para apoyar las necesidades de su hijo y mantener los niveles de habilidad actuales durante las vacaciones de verano.

Regístrese llamando al 571-252-6540
o vaya al lcps.org/parentresourceservices o CLICK AQUI

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