

A Few Words from the Principal

One week before we head off for a week of February vacation!

Last week, I shared that we have officially appointed a new NMS Assistant Principal, Ellen Murray. **This announcement** is available on the **Information from the Principal page** on the NMS Website. Mrs. Murray will begin on Monday, February 28th when we return from vacation. Please join me in welcoming her.

On Wednesday, February 2, 2022, the 7th grade students celebrated the middle of seventh grade and the middle of middle school with educational games and activities in classes. This has become an enjoyable tradition developed by the 7th grade teachers.

This upcoming week, Assistant District Attorney Amanda Fowle will be presenting to students by grade level on appropriate social media use and internet safety.

I realize the weather has made morning drop-off a little more challenging. Please consider leaving a little earlier so students have plenty of time to get to homeroom by 7:25 AM.

Thank you, have a good week, and be kind.

~ Mr. Sulc

Calendar

Monday, 2/14/22	Day 1
Tuesday, 2/15/22	Day 2
Wednesday, 2/16/22	Day 1
Thursday, 2/17/22	Day 2
Friday, 2/18/22	Day 1

FEBRUARY VACATION

Monday, 2/28/22	Day 2
Tuesday, 3/1/22	Day 1
Wednesday, 3/2/22	Day 2
Thursday, 3/3/22	Day 1
Friday, 3/4/22	Day 2

LUNCH ORDERS

In order to have more accurate lunch counts, **all students** need to complete an **order form** each morning.

Students should be in homeroom by 7:25 AM so as not to be marked absent or tardy.

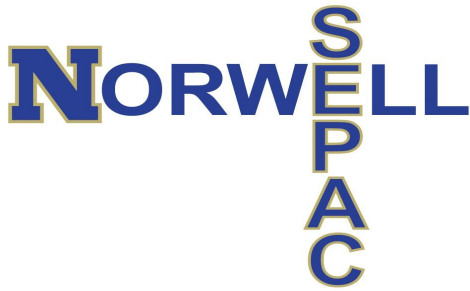
NMS YEARBOOK

All students can now order this year's NMS Yearbook by **clicking here**.

The final date for ordering a yearbook is **Friday, February 25, 2022.**

From the NMS PTO

- The NMS faculty was extremely appreciative of the “Soup”er Bowl luncheon that we provided on Friday, February 11. Thank you to everybody that provided a donation!
- The next NMS PTO meeting is this Thursday, February 17 at 9AM. If you want more information or want to get involved with the NMS PTO, please email nmspto@gmail.com.
- **Anytime Shopping:** Shop with Amazon Smile or Minted and the NMS PTO gets a percentage back!
 - **Amazon Smile:** smile.amazon.com/ch/83-0839693
 - **Minted:** Use FUNDRAISENORWELL for 20% off
- **NMS Student Directories** are available to be ordered for \$5. You can get your copy by emailing Cara Rinaldi (cecorbett@gmail.com) as well as paying \$5 by Venmo (@NMSPTO) or sending \$5 to the NMS office in an envelope addressed to the NMS PTO. If you ordered a directory and have not received it, please contact Cara Rinaldi.
- **Keep informed of PTO happenings via**
 - [the PTO link on the Norwell Schools website](#)
 - [NMS Facebook group](#)



Join us Wednesday February
16th at 6:30pm
at the Middle School to
MEET THE THERAPISTS

Join the Norwell SEPAC as we sit down with therapists from across disciplines and the district.

Hear about their roles and how their services support your child.

We will also have time for questions and conversation around the evaluation process.

Everyone is welcome!

Norwell Middle School Student Government

This upcoming week, the NMS Student Government will be raffling off a Valentines box filled with gift certificates and delectable treats! Information about how to purchase raffle tickets will be emailed to all students and announced during morning announcements. GOOD LUCK!

To celebrate everybody's hard work during the past few weeks and endurance during the winter weather, the NMS Student Government is hosting a **PAJAMA DAY on Friday, February 18th**. You are invited to come to school on Friday wearing your comfy PJs!

NMS READS !!!

Great work by Matthew Corbin who read all 16 books on this year's **March Book Madness list**.

He is shown here holding his favorite book from the list.

You can view the **March Book Madness list** by clicking the red link.



Norwell Public Schools MCAS Testing Schedule 2021-2022

	ELA	MATH	SCIENCE
Grade 3	April 25 & 26	May 19 & 23	
Grade 4	April 13 & 14	May 17 & 18	
Grade 5	April 11 & 12	May 12 & 13	May 24 & 25
Grade 6	April 11 & 12	May 18 & 19	
Grade 7	April 13 & 14	May 16 & 17	
Grade 8	April 7 & 8	May 11 & 12	May 24 & 25
Grade 9			June 7 & 8
Grade 10	March 22 & 23	May 17 & 18	

2022 Norwell Youth Football Registration

Are you ready for some football?

Registration is now open for Norwell Youth Football, grades 2 - 8.

Visit norwellyouthfootball.com for more information on this fun, team-building game that encourages players of all abilities. We hope to see you on the turf.

Register by May 31 to be included in our drawing for \$50 Dick's Sporting Goods gift certificates that are good for anything in the store!

If there are any questions, please contact us at norwellyouthfootball@gmail.com

2022 Norwell Girls Softball League Registration

Believe it or not, softball spring registration is here. Registration for the 2022 spring season will be opened on January 1, 2022.

Please visit our website at www.norwellgirlssoftball.com and follow the link to our registration page.

We will be offering a K-1 Program, a Grade 2-3 (Division 1) coach pitch program and a traditional program for grades 4-8 (Grades 4-5 Division 2 & Grades 6-8 Division 3).

We look forward to seeing everyone in the spring!

2022 Norwell Little League Registration

Registration is open for the **2022 Norwell Little League Season**. Please go to the [Norwell Little League](#) site and login to your account to register for the upcoming season. If you are new to the program, you will need to create an account before registering. Click [Here](#) for a breakdown of the age groups and levels.

Tryouts are required for 8 year-olds playing in College and 11 year-olds playing in Majors (player's age is as of 8/31/22). Players must be registered in order to participate in tryouts. Tryouts will be held at the Patriot Athletic Club in Rockland (406 VFW Drive) on February 15th & 17th from 5-7p.

Looking forward to the season!