

Morey Weekly Communications

Week Beginning August 31 – Sept. 4

A BIG THANK YOU to Brooke Trexler of Friends of Morey who generously organized wonderful care packages to all of the faculty at Morey.

We are pleased to offer New Spirit Wear for the whole family! We have until Thursday, Sept. 3 to place our orders. Stop by the office to pick up a hard copy form or use our online store link: **If you plan to pay with cash or check, please drop your order form with your money to the office on Thursday, Sept. 3.**

<http://www.spiritgeardirect.com/GearDrive/Store.aspx?guid=7bff05ff-0cde-47b7-b1fb-6ecd7cab9c5f>

Important Dates & Announcements:

Friday, September 4: Coffee with Principal Tonk: 8:00 – 9:00am large conference room: in the process of confirming Spanish Interpretation.

After School News and More

Wednesday, September 9, 7:00pm, Morey Library: A meeting for parents of 8th graders interested in sending their students on the Washington, D.C. / New York City intersession trip in May should plan on attending. We will go over trip costs, registration, itinerary, and much more. If you have any questions about the trip prior to the meeting please call Mr. Jarrett at 720-424-0701.

After School Programs Information

Please visit <http://mnc.dpsk12.org/afterschool/> for information about Morey's full and varied after school program. There you can find the After School Registration Form, Frequently Asked Questions Document, Sample Schedule, Scholarship Form, information about Morey Neighborhood Center drop-in program, and more. Most clubs start the week of September 14. Gardening/Cooking Club starts on Wednesday, September 2.

Employment Opportunities

Morey Neighborhood Center has a few part-time paid positions available! We are looking for: Sports & Fitness Specialist; Assistant Coordinator; Mat Pilates instructor; and, certified Swim Instructors or Lifeguards.

Please visit <http://mnc.dpsk12.org/employment/> for more information or contact meryl_icove@dpsk12.org, 720-424-0791.

Athletics News

Morey is offering **free physicals** to any students of DPS and adults on September 12th. Many students have already been signed up. If your student is planning on playing a sport for Morey at ANY point during the school year this would be a good time for them to receive a FREE physical. The physicals only take 15 minutes and students can be signed up for any time between 9am and noon. The physicals take place at Morey MS in the gymnasium. To sign-up for a physical please email our Athletic Director at Timothy_Rose@dpsk12.org.

ATTENTION parents of early fall athletes (Cross-County, Boys Soccer, Girls Softball). If your student is signed up for a physical on the 12th they will not be able to practice or participate in games until after the 14th. If you are able to get a physical for them from their own doctor or through a different school and can get it in to Morey, then they will be eligible to practice and participate.

Cross-Country's first practice is on Thursday August 27th: meet in room 121. There will be an information parent meeting at 4pm in room 121 after practice. **Our first meet** will take place at 3:45PM on Wednesday, September 2 in Wash Park. Please come out and support our Morey Mustangs! If you need information please email Coach Trexler at Anna_Trexler@dpsk12.org

Boy's Soccer try-outs on Tuesday, September 1st, Thursday, Sept. 3 and Friday, Sept. 4 (teams will be decided by Friday the 4th) **on the grass fields behind Morey MS.**

** In order to tryout each student will need to have turned in a physical and have paid the \$25 DPS participation fee

- Practice will run the course of the season on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. 3:15-4:30pm
- Tuesday, Sept. 8: Team Meeting for students & parents: time & location TBD

If you have questions please email Coach Herrmann at Christopher_Herrmann@dpsk12.org.

Girls Softball will start try-outs September 1st the location is still TBD. If you have any questions please email Coach Banks at RamalBanks@gmail.com

If you have any questions about Athletics please feel free to email our Athletic Director at Timothy_Rose@dpsk12.org

Save The Date:

Monday, September 7, LABOR DAY - NO SCHOOL. Enjoy your 3 day weekend!

Thursday, September 10: Back To School Night: 5:30 -7:30pm: Details to Come

Monday, September 14: DPS HGT Program Information Night: 5:30 – 6:30pm

Wednesday, September 16, 4:15 - 5:45pm: Collaborative School Committee Meeting: Large Conference Room

Wednesday, September 16, 6:00 - 7:30pm: Morey PTO Meeting: Morey Library

Intro to Destination Imagination Meeting: Friday, Sept. 18, 3:15-4:30pm, Morey Library

Monday, September 21, 5:30 - 6:30pm, Morey HGT Orientation: Morey Library

Thursday, September 24, 9:15 -11:15am or 6:15 – 8:15pm: The first Superintendent Parent Forum will be held at the National Western Complex, 4655 Humboldt St, Denver, CO 80216. The topic will be on The Denver Plan 2020 and the new Vision of the Graduate and Classroom. This is a special forum, open to ALL DPS parents.

Register at the following links: **English:**

<https://docs.google.com/a/dpsk12.net/forms/d/1zn2xgNbPldvcl7ALBSfcqt8jD5MOdSYP2JvxB46vykg/viewform>

Spanish:

<https://docs.google.com/a/dpsk12.net/forms/d/1zn2xgNbPldvcl7ALBSfcqt8jD5MOdSYP2JvxB46vykg/viewform>

Help Give back to Morey while you shop! It's that easy! CARDS ARE STILL AVAILABLE!



For Amazon: click on the following link, if you have an account with Amazon already, this link will automatically connect all your purchases to Morey Middle School. <http://smile.amazon.com/ch/20-1949835>

For Safeway: come into Jeannette Ekstrand's office and pick up a Safeway card. It takes just \$5 to get started and Morey earns 5% on all purchases. You add the amount to the card that works for you and shop away!

For King Soopers: Cards are available! come into Jeannette Ekstrand's office and pick up a King Soopers card, It takes just \$5 to get started and Morey earns 5% on all purchases. Then, you add the amount to the card that works for you and shop away!

For Box Tops: Clip and save and when you accumulate a lot, drop them by Jeannette's office.

Thanks for Caring!

Morey Weekly Announcements now on the Morey website under the Parents Tab: morey.dpsk12.org

Also, check our Facebook page for a direct link to the announcements.

As always, feel free to get in touch with me if you have questions or concerns.

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