

## Week 11

### TMS Student & Family Bulletin: Week 11

#### Important Events:

- **Nov 9:** First school-wide assembly recognizing Veteran's Day during PACK Time
- **Nov 11:** No School- Veteran's Day
- **Nov. 13: Picture Retakes** (see information below)
- **Nov 17: 9.45AM PTSA General Membership Meeting**
- **Nov 17:** Final day to submit This Is My Story of Gratitude (see link below)
  
- **Nov 19:** LWPTSA Council hosted event for families: From Awareness to Action: Understanding Youth Substance Use (see attachment)
- **Nov 26-27:** No School- Thanksgiving Break
- **Nov 20: Highly Capable Program Application deadline**
- **Nov 30: 6PM This is My Story event (note date change)**
- **Dec 2:** LWPTSA Council hosted event for families: LGBTQ+ Panel (see attachment)
- **December 8:** Incoming 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Informational Parent Night (6:00-7:00PM)

Link to Event: [https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting\\_ODVjY2E5NTgtOWU2My00MWU2LTlkZGEtZjcxZDNjNWUwZDdh%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22id%22%3a%221fd4673f-df96-4621-8638-a1d88c4c85d7%22%2c%22oid%22%3a%224ddee34e-00f9-45aa-b15b-53ba09790f4a%22%2c%22isBroadcastMeeting%22%3atrue%7d](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_ODVjY2E5NTgtOWU2My00MWU2LTlkZGEtZjcxZDNjNWUwZDdh%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22id%22%3a%221fd4673f-df96-4621-8638-a1d88c4c85d7%22%2c%22oid%22%3a%224ddee34e-00f9-45aa-b15b-53ba09790f4a%22%2c%22isBroadcastMeeting%22%3atrue%7d)

- **Dec 18:** Incoming 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Registration Due

#### Student Schedule the week of November 9-13 (see attachments):

We have a shortened week the week of November 23 (Thanksgiving Break). The schedule is attached.

#### Upcoming Events for Families:

The LWPTSA Council, in conjunction with LWSD is offering two upcoming events for families (see the attachment for more details):

- From Awareness to Action: Understanding Youth Substance Use - 11/19
- LGBTQ+ Panel – 12/2

#### This Is My Story Campaign: Tell your story of gratitude (story submissions due by November 17<sup>th</sup>)

During a time that feels laden with political division, pandemic obstacles, and unusual routines, we encourage you to help place the light on positive stories of gratitude and thankfulness! We are excited to see that many students are beginning to submit their stories of gratitude! Just a reminder, this opportunity is meant for students, staff, and families across many feeder schools including Parks, Baker,

Redmond High School, and Timberline Middle School. If you have a story of gratitude to share (no matter how simple or great), please use the link below and share within 500 words or less. Stories will be selected to share and read anonymously or by those who choose to share during our live event on November 30<sup>th</sup> (6:00PM). See attachment for more information.

Link to submit *This Is My Story of Gratitude*:

<https://tinyurl.com/StoryShowcase>

### Picture Make Up Day, Friday November 13<sup>th</sup>, 2:30-4:00 pm

Dorian Studios will be able to provide a Picture Make Up Day for Timberline. This was not in the original plan, but we are happy to work with them and offer this opportunity.

This day is specifically for students who:

- Did not have their photo taken in August.
  - You will be able to purchase photos from <https://dorianstudio.com/> and students will receive their 2020-21 ID card.
- Purchased a picture packet and would like retakes (must bring original picture packet back on this day to participate in a retake)
- Students should come to school during their scheduled time in order to manage the number of students in the building at one time.
- Students will enter the southwest gym doors, near the tennis courts. If there is a line, student will be spaced outside.
- Student will hand sanitize and receive their camera card to give the photographer before entering the gym. Students will be reminded that masks stay on until they are seated and directed by the photographer to take the mask off.
- Students will be directed to the line where spots are marked on the floor for appropriate distancing.
- Once their photo is taken and the student has their ID card, they will follow the path to the exit out the southeast gym doors.
- There will be hand sanitizer at the exit door.

Picture Time	Student Last Name
2:30-2:45	A – COL
2:45-3:00	CUC – HEN
3:00-3:15	HOS – LET
3:15-3:30	LIN – PRI
3:30-3:45	RAC – SNOO
3:45-4:00	SNOW - Z

### Registration Processes for Incoming 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Students at Timberline Middle School:

Timberline Middle School is already preparing information and processes so that students successfully transition from elementary school to the middle school level. With interest to keep families informed and updated, the timeline below provides guidance on next steps and events.

- **Monday, December 7<sup>th</sup>- Registration information will be sent out by email to current 5<sup>th</sup> grade students/families**

- Information about registration will be sent out through power point
- Course catalogs links will be provided
- A link to a Microsoft forms survey will be sent to complete registration and choose electives
- **December 8<sup>th</sup> (6:00-7:00PM)- Informational Parent Night:** The live vent will provide information on 6<sup>th</sup> grade (in general) and the registration processes. If families have continued questions, links to optional drop in sessions will be available the week of December 7<sup>th</sup>

The link to the Informational Live Event is here: December 8

(6:00PM) [https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_ODVjY2E5NTgtOWU2My00MWU2LTlkZGEtZjcxZDNjNWUwZDdh%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%221fd4673f-df96-4621-8638-a1d88c4c85d7%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%224ddee34e-00f9-45aa-b15b-53ba09790f4a%22%2c%22IsBroadcastMeeting%22%3atrue%7d)

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- **December 18<sup>th</sup>- Incoming 6<sup>th</sup> grade registration due**

If you have specific questions about the registration process, please contact your child's counselor for next year at Timberline.

Students with last names starting A-J are with Jackie Coons, [jcoons@lwsd.org](mailto:jcoons@lwsd.org)

Students with last names starting K-M are with Renee Hesky, [rhesky@lwsd.org](mailto:rhesky@lwsd.org)

Students with last names starting N-Z are with Toby Doyle, [tdoyle@lwsd.org](mailto:tdoyle@lwsd.org)

### Science Competition Clubs Update

Students who missed National Science Bowl(NSB) registration have a second opportunity to register.

There is also an opportunity to be placed on waitlist for Timberline Science Olympiad. Please fill out the relevant form on the PTSA website ([timberlineptsa.org](http://timberlineptsa.org)), on the left hand side, click on Programs and select Science Olympiad; or National Science Bowl.

The forms will remain open only till Tuesday, Nov 10th 11.45pm.

SO: <https://timberlineptsa.org/Page/Programs/ScienceOlympiad>

NSB: <http://timberlineptsa.org/Page/Programs/NSB>

Take care and stay safe-

Heidi Paul-Principal

Timberline Middle School