

Dear Sixth Grade Families,

Happy Friday! The Middle School Team and I are looking forward to our Rising Sixth Grade Gathering on *Monday, August 9th at 10:30 am*. This event is for **sixth grade students and their parents only**.

Our **Gathering will take place in our Cartee Gym** where parents and students will gather, and students will then separate with our Dean of Students, Mr. Gargiulo, Mrs. McIntyre, our Guidance Counselor, and Grade Level Chairperson, Ms. Barton. Parents will stay with me and our Academic Dean, Ms. Sheward in Cartee Gym.

**All guests (parents and students) are to please wear masks for our event while indoors.** Each family is to sit with their family members (their own pod) when they arrive inside the Cartee Gym. You may park by our Dining Hall and walk next door to the Cartee Gym. The parent portion will be live streamed at [www.Maclay.org/Live](http://www.Maclay.org/Live) for parents who prefer to connect virtually.

Your sixth-grade student will have the opportunity to **meet their Homeroom Advisors and set up his/her locker to be ready before the first day of school (Wednesday, August 11<sup>th</sup>)**. Lockers will be provided for each student on Wednesday (8/11) during Homeroom. Attached you will find directions on *How to Build Your Own Locker Shelf* as well as our *Materials List* for your reference.

I look forward to seeing you all on Monday. If you have any questions, please contact me via email or contact the Middle School Office at 850-893-4981.