

# TIGER TALES

September 21, 2018



For the first two weeks we are sending paper copies of the newsletter home. This will be the last paper copy being sent home to all students. Future Tiger Tales will be emailed or you can access them online at <http://dcs.rsu5.org/>.

If you do not have access to the internet you can request a paper copy of Tiger Tales to be sent home by contacting Debi in the office at 353-9333.

## PICKING UP YOUR CHILD AFTER SCHOOL OR CHANGE IN BUS PLANS?

If you want to pick your child up at the end of the day or if you have a change in bus plans please call the school at 353-9333 before 2:30pm

## Middle School Dance

Grades 6-8  
Friday, September 28th  
at DCS  
6:00 - 8:30pm  
Cost \$5.00

## Middle School Co-Curricular Eligibility Check September 2018

All middle school students must be meeting the expectations for their "preparedness" grades, in every class, in order to be eligible to participate in athletics and other co-curricular activities.

We are going to check student eligibility on September 21st. Staff advisors will notify their advisees if their preparedness grade is below a "3". Advisors will provide the student with the Eligibility Planning Form if necessary, and help the student get started with a plan to get back on track.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact your child's advisor or the assistant principal. Mrs. Rogers can be reached at [rogersk@rsu5.org](mailto:rogersk@rsu5.org) or (207) 353-9333.

## SPORTS THIS WEEK

**Sports Pictures will be on September 26 at 2:30pm**

### SOCCER

September 21  
at Jordan Small Middle School  
Girls 3:45pm / Boys 5:00pm

September 25  
Home vs. NYA  
Girls 3:30pm / Boys 4:30pm

September 27  
at Waynflete  
Girls 4:00 / Boys 5:00pm

### CROSS COUNTRY

September 24  
at Greely (Twin Brook)  
4:00pm

September 28  
at Scarborough (Smiling Hill)  
4:00pm

## Odyssey Of The Mind Coaches Information Night

Come join us on Monday September 24th at 6:00pm in the DCS library. We will be discussing an exciting opportunity to support DCS students in Odyssey of The Mind, a creative problem solving program in which kids choose a hands on or performance based challenge, they create a solution using many different skills, and then compete against other teams in their age range!

This info night will be for adults who might be interested in learning more about coaching. Over the last 5 years we have many students interested in the program and we are excited to see it blossom but we can't do it without your support.

If you have questions before the information night or are interested but unable to join us on the 24th please reach out to the OM coordinators (and long time coaches!) Jennifer Hayes ([jennifer\\_harders@hotmail.com](mailto:jennifer_harders@hotmail.com)) or Devon Freeman ([devydoo630@aol.com](mailto:devydoo630@aol.com)). Also check out the Maine OM website at <http://www.meodyyssey.org/>



### **Important Announcement:**

#### **Math Team Is Starting**



Who: Grades 5, 6, 7, and 8

When: Friday, September 28 at 7:45am

Where: Mr. Simmons Room

What: Exciting Mathematical Thinking Exercises

Why: Fun with Friends (and sometimes GREAT TREATS)



WE   
MATH

### **School Hours**

Classes begin at 8:35 each day. It is very important that students are here on time and ready to begin with their classmates. Classrooms begin the day with a set routine and students arriving late often miss out on the "settling in" time that helps get the day off to a good start. However when students are late coming in they need to stop in the office to pick up a late pass. Thank you for your help in making sure our students are as successful as possible!





We are happy to hear that your child is interested in participating in the DCS drama club's 2018 performance of The Wizard of Oz. Show dates will be on November 15th and 16th.

Auditions will be held in the library on Tuesday September 25th for 4th and 5th grades and Wednesday September 26th for 6/7/8th grades from 3:30-4:30. Please make sure you come into the library to get your child, we must see an adult in order for your child to leave.

There will be small rehearsal groups on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays from 3:30-5:00. The first rehearsal will be on Monday October 1st, this will be for the entire cast where we will hand our scripts and schedules. After that the expectation is that your child will attend the rehearsals for the scenes that their character is in. The last 2 weeks of rehearsals will include the entire cast and may extend until 5:30. A schedule will be provided once auditions have taken place with weekly email reminders sent out as well.

This form must be completed and returned by **Monday September 24th** for your child to audition. If you have any questions you can email Tim Ryan at [ryant@rsu5.org](mailto:ryant@rsu5.org) or Devon Freeman at [freemand@rsu5.org](mailto:freemand@rsu5.org)

If your child is interested in the "behind the scenes" aspect of drama please fill this form out as well and we will be in touch closer showtime.

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

3 Roles You Are interested in (see back for list):

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Parent's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name and Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_





# DRAMA CLUB

## *Wizard of Oz Roles*

*Dorothy*, a young orphan

*Aunt Em and Uncle Henry*, Dorothy's only family

*Mr. Lyon, Mr. Crowe, Mr. Woodman*, Farmhands

*Miz Switch*, a nasty neighbor

*Glinda*, good witch

*Munchkins*, group of timid folk who love to eat

*Wicked Witch*

*Scarecrow*

*Tin Man*

*Lion*

*Gatekeeper*, of the city of Oz

*Ozma*, the wizard's very efficient secretary

*Ogma*, loyal employee of Oz

*Wizard*, the "Great and Powerful"

*Hocus and Pocus*, sidekicks of the wicked witch

*Ozians*- the people who live in OZ

*Winkies* - Witch's Guards

*Flying Monkeys* - Witch's minions

