

NON-CURRICULAR USE OF DISTRICT PROPERTY

Use of School Buildings/Facilities

The School Board may permit the use of the District facilities under proper restrictions for any appropriate purpose when not in use for school purposes. District facilities may be let for meetings, entertainment, recreation, or conventions subject to such restrictions as established by the School Board or delegated to the administration. Such use of the facilities shall not be permitted to interfere with the operation of the schools or with school activities.

It is to be understood that the District will not be responsible for accidents, which may occur during such periods of usage. The Board reserves the right to reject requests for use of facilities when it is, in their judgment, not in the best interest of the MLS Public School District.

Activities conducted in the building or on the grounds shall not be harmful nor shall they cause undue wear or damage upon the property

Adult Recreation and Open Gym

It is recognized by the MLS School Board, that physical fitness activities should be encouraged for all members of society, children and adults alike. Although not obligated to do so, the Board has the right to make the Physical Education facilities of the MLS Public School available for Adult Recreation at a time that does not conflict with other scheduled school activities. Whereas there is a need to govern the use of school facilities by adults of the MLS Communities, the following policy shall be enacted:

1. The school Superintendent and Activities Director shall be delegated the authority to enforce and govern the policy so enacted.
2. Wednesday evening shall be designated as Adult Recreation Night. Use of the school facilities at any other time shall be considered an "Open Gym" activity and governed by such rules as outlined in Part II of this policy.
3. No pre-school children or school age students will be allowed in the school facility on Wednesday evenings after 5:30 p.m. so as not to conflict with the adopted "Family Night" policy.
4. One adult will be delegated the responsibility of opening and closing facility at the conclusion of the recreation activity.
5. The building key will be limited to use in those areas necessary to facilitate the activity. School sponsored activities shall have preference for use of all facilities.
6. Any damages to school property, whether intentional or accidental, shall be the responsibility of the person or persons who committed the damage.

7. All participants in adult recreation activities do so at their own risk. The MLS School District shall not be held liable for any injuries, which might occur through participation in adult recreation activities

OPEN GYM GUIDELINES

1. "Open Gym" shall be construed to be any activity that is open to all persons and that is under the supervision of a teacher, or other responsible adult, who will adequately supervise all persons present.

2. All persons present at the "Open Gym" activity shall remain in the specific area being supervised. For example, if the activity is in the old gym, all persons must be in the old gym. The weight room and large gym will be considered the same specific area.

3. "Open Gym" activities shall not be held prior to 7:00 p.m., except on weekends, unless permission is received from the administration

4. All school-sponsored activities shall have preference for use of the facilities affected.

5. Any damage to school property, whether intentional or accidental, shall be the responsibility of the person, or persons, who committed the damage.

6. All participants in "Open Gym" activities do so at their own risk. The MLS School District shall not be held liable for any injuries, which might occur through participation in "Open Gym" activities.

Family Night and Sunday Night

A. Wednesday

i. Only Grades 9-12 may have school activities until 5:15 P.M. Students will be out of district buildings by 5:30 P.M. Students should be to their home site no later than 5:45PM.

~~ii.~~ ii. Any after school activity involving K-8 students must have prior administrative approval.

~~iii.~~ iii. Any activity after 5:45PM with 9-12 students must have administrative approval.

~~iv.~~ B. Sunday

~~v.~~ i. Any activity that uses school facilities on a Sunday must have prior administrative approval.

~~vi.~~ ii. Any approved school activity will conclude by 5:30PM

End of Policy ABBB Adopted: 10/13/20