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# A Message from Mrs. Cook,

## **Happy Holidays**

Our Hillside family wishes you and your family a Happy Holiday Season! We hope that you find time to relax and enjoy your loved ones during our time off. Happy Holidays!

## **Hillside School Climate Survey**

The Secondary School Climate Survey will be given to our students in January. This anonymous survey will help us understand our school climate from our students' perspectives. The survey for middle and high school students includes 30 questions and should take about 15 minutes to complete. The survey is anonymous, but parents/guardians are given the option to opt out if desired. School staff use the results to inform our efforts at improving our school climate. If you would like to preview the 30 questions or do not wish for your child to participate in this important activity, please email Mrs. Kubinski, Assistant Principal, by December 22.

Dates to Remember:	
Dec. 14	Jersey Mike's Fundraiser
Dec. 18	PTA Holiday Mtg, 4:30 pm Location TBD
Dec. 25-Jan 5	Winter Recess

# **Links of Interest:**

HMS PAW
Daily Attendance
Pajama Days Fundraiser
PTA Fundraiser
PTA Fundraiser Prize Calender
PTA Reflections



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5th and 6th grade counseling groups have started. Groups being offered this session are ADHD, Anger Management, Social Skills, and Stress & Anxiety. Groups meet once a week during an encore period. There are still a limited number of spots open in some of the groups. If you'd like your child to join a group, please have them see Mr. Armstrong to get a permission form.

Upcoming Chess Club meetings are 12-21, 1-11, 1-18, 1-25, and 2-1. Chess Club meetings are held on Thursdays from 3:00 p.m. until 4:15 p.m in the Media Center. If you'd like your child to join Chess Club please have them see Mr. Armstrong to get a permission form.

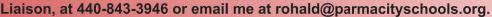






At Hillside, we aim to make sure that we focus on the whole aspect of student wellness and success. We do not just focus on the academic performance, but the overall quality of life that they have. Times can be challenging, and we understand that any additional help can make a difference. If there are any needs that your child or family face, please reach out to us for resource information. We have programs which we have available at the school level, as well as referrals for community services. If there are any barriers for success that your child faces, please communicate this with the school so that we can provide assistance when possible and gain a better understanding of situations faced either in the school or home setting.

If your family can use this type of assistance, please contact me, Mrs. Rohal, Home







REGARDING ABSENCES: When your student will be late or absent for the day, even if they were called in sick or excused from the clinic the day before, please remember that it is important to communicate their absence DAILY with the school. We care about the whereabouts and wellbeing of our students and it can also help prevent any unnecessary concern and confusion! In-person instruction is vital to the academic success of our students and being present to learn material and concepts help prevent them from falling behind! Extended and excessive absences can lead to overwhelming workloads and additional accommodated instruction necessary to catch up.

**Attendance Line: 440-885-8453** 



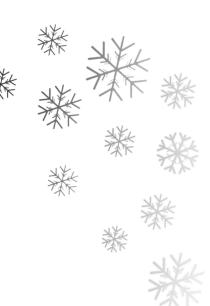


Good goes beyond the sub! Visit our store or order online or on our app using promo code *PBIS30* on December 14th—and we'll happily donate 30% of your sale in support of Hillside Middle Schools PBIS. Enjoy some great subs and help Jersey Mike's support this worthy cause.

VALID ONLY AT: 7468 BROADVIEW - PARMA, OH - 440-340-4337

Valid 12/14/23 only. Valid in app with promo code PBIS30 or when you mention this flyer in store. 4484





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# **Student Success Centers**

September 13, 2023 - December 7, 2023 & January 8, 2024 - May 9, 2024

#### FREE ACADEMIC HELP & ENRICHMENT

#### Grades K - 8

Student Success Centers are available at 12 branches. Students who participate in the program receive homework assistance and/or academic enrichment from our center's staff in the following subjects: english language arts, math, reading, science and social studies.

### WE ALSO OFFER:

Dedicated space / Internet access / Research tools
Visit one of our 12 Student Success Center locations to register.

See reverse for times and locations.



#### Bedford Branch

70 Columbus Road / 440.439.4997 Monday - Thursday 4 - 6:30 PM

#### Brook Park Branch 6155 Engle Road / 216,267,5250

Monday - Thursday 4 - 6:30 PM

#### Brooklyn Branch

4480 Ridge Road / 216.398.4600 Monday - Thursday 4:15 - 6:45 PM

## Fairview Park Branch

21255 Lorain Road / 440.333.4700 Monday - Thursday 3:30 - 6 PM

#### Garfield Heights Branch

5409 Turney Road / 216.475.8178 Monday - Thursday 4 - 6:30 PM

## Maple Heights Branch

5225 Library Lane / 216.475.5000 Monday - Thursday 4 - 6:30 PM

#### Mayfield Branch

500 SOM Center Road / 440.473.0350 Monday - Thursday 4 - 6:30 PM

# North Olmsted Branch

27403 Lorain Road / 440.777.6211 Monday - Thursday 4 - 6:30 PM

### Parma-Powers Branch

6996 Powers Boulevard / 440.885.5362 Monday - Thursday 4 - 6:30 PM

## Richmond Heights Branch

449 Richmond Road / 440.449.2666 Monday - Thursday 3:30 - 6 PM

#### South Euclid-Lyndhurst Branch

1876 South Green Road / 216.382.4880 Monday - Thursday 4 - 6:30 PM

## Warrensville Heights

4415 Northfield Road / 216.464.5280 Monday - Thursday 4:15 - 6:45 PM

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