



NEWMARK K-8 SCHOOL
FRIDAY BACKPACK NEWS
Friday, February 14, 2025

Dear Newmark K-8 School Families,

It was great to see so many new and returning Newmark families at the **Annual Spaghetti Dinner Night** last week.

Reminder! Newmark will be closed today and Monday, February 17, 2025 for Winter Recess.

Stay involved! Access your Schoology Parent Portal to view your child's courses and more. [View](#) "Schoology How To" video library.

Stay connected! Keep checking your email every week for important Parent Alerts and Friday Backpack News. You can always access past issues archived on our [website](#).

School News & Information

March Lunch: [View](#) menu

School Closed for Winter Recess: Friday, February 14 and Monday, February 17, 2025

K-8 After School Clubs - Session III: Through March 28, 2024 - Still time to register. [View](#) club listings and dates.

Student Social - Teen Afternoon at the Movies: Friday, February 21, 2025 - For students in Mrs. Necci, Mr. Kerby, Mrs. Klier/Mr. S. O'Connor and Mr. Cebula/Ms. Kang's classes only. Activities begin after dismissal from 2:45 until 6:00 PM. Fee: \$30 includes private showing of *Captain America: Brave New World* at Cinemark. Students must be picked up by parent/guardian at 6:00 PM from Newmark. [View](#) Permission Form

Student Social - Kids Afternoon: Friday, February 28, 2025 - For students in Ms. Fagan/Mrs. Bain, Ms. Halma, Mr. Osiadacz and Ms. Pantano's classes. *Activities begin*
Fee: \$25 per date. Individually wrapped snacks

after dismissal from 2:45 until 4:00 PM.

and water will be provided to all participating students. Parents need to provide transportation home promptly at 4:00 PM. [View](#) Permission Form

Community Connections PIN Nominations Deadline: Friday March 7, 2025 - [View](#) Nomination Form

Save the Date: Newmark Annual Art Show - Newmark Celebrates the Arts: Friday, May 16, 2025

2025-26 K-8 School Year Calendar: [View](#)

Community Service / FBLA

- **FBLA Coffee Cake Fundraiser:** Through Tuesday, February 18, 2025 - Help support the Newmark High School Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) chapter. Students are raising money to participate in statewide conferences and leadership programs during the school year. Great coffee cake choices! [View](#) Coffee Cake Order Form
- **Pay To Play Dodgeball:** Thursday, February 20, 2025 - K-8 students can participate in the Dodgeball Tournament to help raise money for the Newmark High School Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA). Cost is \$5 per student. [Read](#) Letter / Permission Form
- **School Store Military Drive:** Through Friday, February 21, 2025 - Students will be able to use their School Store points to "purchase" Military Drive items from the School Store. All donations will go to the New Jersey Veterans Memorial Home at Menlo Park in Edison.

Newmark K-8 School 2024-25 School Year (SY)

Student Hours: 8:45 AM - 2:30 PM

Early Dismissal: 8:45 AM - 12:45 PM

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