

Newmark K-8 Friday Backpack News - 1/16/26

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NEWMARK K-8 SCHOOL Friday Backpack News Friday, January 16, 2026

Dear Newmark K-8 School Families,

We are so excited to welcome new and returning Newmark families to the **Annual Spaghetti Dinner Night on Friday, February 6, 2026 from 5:30-8:00 PM**. This popular school event brings Newmark K-8 and High School families together to share a meal. Tickets must be purchased in advance - *see details below*.

Reminder! Newmark will be closed on Monday, January 19, 2026 in honor of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

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School News & Information

February 2026 Menu: [View](#) Lunch Menu and Flexible 10 and 20 Meal Packs options

School Closed - Martin Luther King Day: Monday, January 19, 2026

K-8 After School Clubs - Session II: Ends through January 22, 2026

K-8 After School Clubs - Session III: Begins week of February 9 - April 2, 2026 - Registration is now open - [Register](#)

Reminder! School Closed for Winter Recess: Friday, February 13 & Monday, February 16, 2026

Student Social - Teen Afternoon at Yestercades: Friday, February 20, 2026 - 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 4:30PM. Fee: \$25 includes admission. Students must be picked up by parent/guardian at 4:30 PM from Newmark. [View](#) Permission Form

Save the Date! Newmark Annual Art Show - Newmark Celebrates the Arts: Friday, May 15, 2026

Community Service / FBLA

- **FBLA Coffee Cake Fundraiser:** Through Tuesday, February 17, 2026 - 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](#)
- **School Store Baby Drive:** Through Friday, February 20, 2026 - Students will be able to use their School Store points to "purchase" baby supply items like diapers, wipes, formula, baby food, shampoo, cream and more to benefit Moms Helping Moms and the Post Family Farm.

Spotlight: Newmark Annual Spaghetti Dinner Night

Friday, February 6, 2026 - Tickets on Sale!

In celebration of Newmark School Spirit Week this February, you and your family are invited to join us for **Newmark's 17th Annual Spaghetti Dinner Night on Friday, February 6, 2026 from 5:30-8:00 PM.**

This popular school event will bring Newmark K-8 and High School families together to share a meal. The evening includes dinner and a chance to meet Newmark families. There will be fun activities for students. *Parents are invited to bring a bottle of wine.*

What's on the Menu ...

- Spaghetti (or Gluten-free Pasta)
- Mr. Withum's Famous Meatball Sauce or Marinara Sauce (vegetarian)
- Shrimp Scampi
- Garden Salad
- Bread and Garlic Bread
- Assorted Beverages (Parents are welcome to bring a bottle of wine!)
- Extraordinary Desserts including cake, cannoli, ice cream and gluten-free options

Tickets

Tickets are \$25 per adult and \$10 per child (18 and under) and includes dinner, beverages and dessert. Tickets can be purchased by credit card or check payable to Newmark School. *Deadline to purchase tickets is Thursday, February 5, 2026.*

PURCHASE TICKETS

Newmark K-8 School 2025-26 School Year

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

Half Days: 8:45 AM - 12:45 PM

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