

MURRAY PILOTS

February 13, 2026

A Note from Your Principal

We are the ones we have been waiting for. We are the change we seek. **Barack Obama**

As we celebrate Black History Month, we want to invite everyone to join us in person or virtually with our celebratory event on Wednesday, February 18 from 1:30PM-2:45PM. This date is in lieu of NAAPID (National African American Parent Involvement Day). The focus of this year's celebration is "Together We Stand". This celebration is designed to stress the importance of African American parents and families getting involved in their child's education and to celebrate the partnership between students, families and schools. Murray has been working to create an event that highlights student voice and performance, community leaders and spoken word all in the name of celebrating Black History. As an educator, there is nothing more powerful than seeing a student realizing and showcasing their talents, strengths and influence all while shining as a leader in our community.



Murray Black History Month Event

Wednesday, Feb 18, 1:30-2:45PM

Google Meet joining Information - Video call link: <https://meet.google.com/jcu-jxtu-enu>

Celebrations:

#Pilotprops of the week! Mr. Walker would like to celebrate Shiprah Dutta. Shiprah is being awarded for driving our classroom culture forward through unwavering enthusiasm and a positive attitude toward every challenge. Shiprah distinguishes herself through a high level of competitive drive and a constant willingness to embrace higher level challenges with confidence and determination.

#Pilotprops of the week! Mr. Walker would like to celebrate Finn Murch-Gordon. Finn is being awarded for being a true classroom leader who balances a competitive spirit with a heart for service. Whether he is pushing himself to win or pausing to pull a teammate up, Finn consistently fosters a positive, inclusive environment for everyone.

#Pilotprops of the week! Mr. Hagen would like to celebrate Mason Riedlberger. It has been a privilege having Mason in class last semester. Beyond his athletic effort, what truly defines Mason is his character; he is the first to offer a helping hand and consistently puts others before

himself. His blend of determination and sportsmanship makes him a natural leader and a joy to teach.

Your Co-Pilot,

Jamin McKenzie
Principal, Murray Middle School

Classroom Happenings

Sixth Grade

English Language Arts with Ms. Williams and Ms. Carter:

Hello from the 6th-grade Readers and Writers Workshops!

We are beginning brand new units for the new quarter: Social Issue Book Clubs for Readers and Persuasive Writing for Writers. Students are beginning with book clubs, setting up norms, practicing dialogue, and really digging into reading. Writers class finds us analyzing the art of persuasion with Aristotle. We will create a project trying to persuade others to think or act differently, right here at Murray, with a PSA project.

Seventh Grade

Life Science with Ms. Dooley and Mr. Altringer:

We are in the middle of our genetics unit, learning how genes code for specific proteins, which do different jobs in organisms to make them have different appearances. We are starting to branch out from the starting animals, the extra-muscled cows.

Eighth Grade

Physical Science with Ms. Dooley and Ms. Atkinson:

We are in the middle of the electromagnetism unit, learning how magnets can interact to make sound, move things, and be useful in many applications.

Global Studies with Ms. Croone:

We are wrapping up National History Day projects! We've been working on this for almost 2 months in class with lots of support provided for each student or group to complete a project around the theme of "Reaction, Revolution or Reform". Final projects were due on Friday, February 6. Regional History Day is Saturday, March 28 at Harding High School for the students that earned a space in the next round of competition. Next up will be our unit on the Middle East-

Sixth, Seventh, Eighth

Comparative Anatomy with Ms Dooley:

Students are studying the living and non-living things around Murray. We are also learning about different biomes around the world and what plants and animals live there. Next steps will be to think about what living things have that help them to live in the extreme places on earth.

Announcements

Minnesota Teacher of the Year

Congratulations to Murray's own Nick Altringer.

The candidates for 2026 Minnesota Teacher of the Year have been announced, and we're proud to share that Nick Altringer has been nominated for this prestigious honor! Nick is among 128 educators statewide recognized for their excellence and dedication to students.

<https://educationminnesota.org/news/press-release/128-teachers-are-candidates-for-2026-minnesota-teacher-of-the-year/>



ATHLETICS

Spring Sports: Baseball, Girls' Badminton, Softball, Track & Field

Please register on Arbiter:

<https://students.arbitersports.com/st-paul-murray-middle-school>

EDL

If your child is interested in changing classes for the second session or wants to join EDL, please complete this Google form. [EDL session 2](#)

I am looking forward to a great second session of EDL

Lise Ciancio

Murray EDL Site Lead

Murray Middle Presents...

Cinderella; Youth Edition

Performances will be:

Friday, March 13th, 7:00PM

Saturday, March 14th, 7:00PM

Sunday, March 15th, 2:00PM

Picture Day

School Pictures are Ready!

View and order at <https://shop.jostenspix.com/login>

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Yearbook

<https://www.jostens.com/yearbooks/high-school-yearbooks.html>

8th Grade JA Finance Park Fieldtrip

Dear 8th grade Murray families:

Our class and all 8th graders in St. Paul will participate in an exciting Junior Achievement program called *JA Finance Park* this spring. *JA Finance Park* encompasses important educational lessons about personal financial literacy and career awareness that will take place in the last quarter of school on April 27-28.

As part of the program, we will spend the day at a hands-on, experiential *JA Finance Park* site on either April 27 or April 28, depending on their permission slip given by Foundations teacher. Half the class will go each date depending on who their Foundations teacher is. This visit will provide all 8th grade students with an opportunity to apply, in a realistic setting, what they have learned in the classroom. Students will have the opportunity to practice planning a budget for themselves and their fictional family.

The goal of experiential education programs such as *JA Finance Park* is to help students see how classroom learning connects to real-world actions and events. Students will begin that curriculum during the 3rd quarter in Foundations. They start February 25th and the last lesson is March 18th. Ask them about it. Students acquire knowledge through hands-on classroom activities and discussions and then seek relevance between their new learning and their future fictional lives. Because of this unique learning format, students remember this Junior Achievement experience for many years.

Parents, please ask your student about the **permission slip** which will be handed out **during conferences**, or the following school day. **Please come to conferences to get it filled out right there!**

We will look for you to indicate:

***Yes or No for bag lunch. This means from the cafeteria. If they want to bring from home say NO. Don't forget to send one.**

*** Whether they have medication they need to have during the trip for which I will notify the school nurse. She will notify me of any needed medications that she knows of.**

We are aiming to get these slips turned in by April 3, so preparations can begin on this outing. Thank you for your help in planning this free opportunity for your 8th grade student.

Counselor's Corner

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Here are a few announcements from our counseling team. As a reminder, here is our contact information:

· Ms. Justine Revermann - justine.revermann@spps.org - 651-243-4663 ext. 744052: Student last names A-L

· Ms. Lisa Engelstad – lisa.engelstad@spps.org - 651-243-4663 ext. 745675: Student last names M-Z

Coats, Hats, Mittens Donation:

We are always in need of new or gently used/clean jackets, coats, mittens, and hats for our students. If you would like to donate any, please contact one of our social workers or counselors. We greatly appreciate it!

Every Meal:

We have a partnership with EveryMeal and students can pick up free food bags to take home. More information and sign up on the link here: <https://forms.gle/JYus6pV3yRTN7ByQ6>.

Internet Hot Spots:

Here's a resource for internet hot spots to check if you're eligible:

<https://www.tmobile.com/brand/project-10-million>

8th Grade families:

Most Murray 8th graders are automatically placed at Como Park for high school - based on the family address (so, some might be placed at another HS based on address). Some students may be assigned to Central also. If you want to apply to attend a school in SPPS other than Como (or where you were assigned based on address), we suggest doing it as soon as possible with the Placement Center: <https://apply.spps.org/apply>. The priority deadline is February 20, 2026. You should have received notification from the Placement Center about which high school you are placed at.

Como Park Senior High School Open House/Showcase night is Wednesday, February 18 from 5-7 PM. Please make this a priority to attend if you are able to.

Central Senior High Open House/Showcase night is on Thursday, February 19 from 5:30-7:30 PM. Please make this a priority to attend if you are able to.

Right Track is a great opportunity for students to apply for a summer job. Applications are due by February 28, 2026 <https://www.stpaul.gov/departments/parks-and-recreation/right-track/right-track-youth-application>

Thinking Career & College Early Fair on 2/22 10:30am

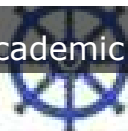
The purpose of the fair is to help students and families understand the importance of planning for college and careers early. Attendees will get to meet and talk to career and college representatives, ask questions and gather important information for their future education and career. There will also be FAFSA support, an HBCU panel, and a presentation on how to earn college credits while in high school.

Students who attend the fair will have the chance to apply for the [fall HBCU college tour!](#)

- What: Thinking Career and College Early Fair
- Who: All students grades 6-12 (childcare will be provided)
- Where: Harding High School, 1540 E. 6th St., St. Paul
- When: February 22 from 10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m

Academic All-Stars

✨Murray Middle School's Quarter 2 Academic All-Stars!👏



Murray Middle School Academic All Stars



Presented by Murray Teachers

Muntase Abdullahi – Excellence in Literacy

Jannah Abdullahi – Jannah shares her insights and positive attitudes in Global Studies while creating a ring of people to help support in class.

Ramona Alexander – Ramona consistently stays focused, contributing positively to her lab group and staying engaged. Her work reflects a strong commitment to high-quality learning. Excellence in Literacy

Abdimalik Ali – Excellence in Literacy

Abdullahi Ali – Excellence in Literacy

Shuraim Alim – Excellence in Literacy

Matthew Alvarez – Excellence in Literacy

Evelyn Amman Steger – Evelyn shares her insights and positive attitudes with our science class while creating beautifully detailed models of our science work.

June Anderson – June consistently stays focused, contributing positively to her lab group and staying engaged. Her work reflects a strong commitment to high-quality learning.

Perkha Arshad – Perkha works hard in all of her classes and is a positive, kind, and helpful classmate and community member. She brings a calming and hard-working energy to school each day!

Elijah Bailey – Excellence in Literacy

Julianna Caballero – Excellence in Literacy

Ollie Callahan Schreiber – Ollie has been a lively and enthusiastic student to have in Social Justice. I appreciate Ollie always being ready to engage with ideas, add unique insights, and have fun with learning.

Ksenija Cantrell – Ksenija is very dependable and I can always count on her to help out in the classroom. She is a strong leader in her trombone section.

Malia Cheeks – Malia has been working so hard on her literacy skills! She has officially tested out of OT Lit which is just one thing that shows how her hard work has paid off. I am so happy to have her in class again this year so I can continue to watch her grow. Great work, Malia! Excellence in Literacy

Oskar DeCock – Oskar consistently stays focused, contributing positively to his lab group and staying engaged. His work reflects a strong commitment to high-quality learning.

Louis Fabel – Excellence in Literacy

Kamlat Foto – Kamlat is a very focused, organized, and responsible student. She is an independent learner, but still recognizes the importance of asking questions.

Trygve Golden-Lundquist – Trygve is a hard worker that helps out as much as he can. He strives for excellence every day.

Davon Graves – Davon works very hard in Minnesota Studies! He consistently submits excellent work and holds himself to a high standard for his school work.

Amelia Gray – For consistent high-quality work and thoughtful questions in Physical Science. Excellence in Literacy

Myron Grossinger – Myron works so hard to be precise in his computer programming and website development. His ability to focus is outstanding and he has grown so much in our computer science class!

Valeria Gudino Ortega – Valeria has been working hard in her classes. She shows up with a positive attitude each day, and has been a kind and helpful classmate!

Adam Haymond – Excellence in Literacy

Isabella Isaac – Isabella works quietly with dedication to succeed with excellence in life science class. She will offer up her ideas to help the class thinking move forward. Keep up the amazing work!

Marion Jandora – Marion strives daily to do her historical best! She participates in our class work and creates thoughtful and indepth responses to her assessments. Keep it up Marion!

Steven Jimenez – I have had the pleasure of having Steven in class for two years. This year, he has shown large gains in his academic skills. It is clear that he is focused, works hard and he contributes his knowledge and ideas in class. Great work, Steven!

Nang Kassakorn – Nang has demonstrated an incredible work ethic this quarter, proving herself to be a highly capable mathematician. Her commitment to precision and detail is evident in every assignment, and her academic growth is a direct result of her consistent hard work.

Theresa Kehase – Theresa always works hard to get her work done. She asks questions when she is not sure of something. I appreciate how she always shares her ideas with the class.

Sai Ko Ko – Excellence in Literacy

Peter Laska – Peter has been excelling in both Integrated Math 1 and Personal Finance. He distinguishes himself through his proactive engagement, frequently posing insightful questions and contributing high-level ideas that enrich our classroom discussions.

Cleo Lemke – Cleo is an excellent and detailed computer science student. She is always up for a new challenge and brings her creativity and determination to produce outstanding work!

Lover Light – Excellence in Literacy

Caliyah Livingston – Excellence in Literacy

Emmett Loth – Emmett took on the challenge to audition for a state wide Minnesota Honor Band and worked hard to learn the music.

Jose Marroquin Gomez – Estoy muy orgullosa de ti por ser muy valiente y por venir a la escuela todo los dias en estos tiempos dificiles.

Joshua Martinez Maradiaga – Estoy muy orgullosa de ti por ser muy valiente y por venir a la escuela todo los dias en estos tiempos dificiles.

Carter Matlock – Carter works hard in all of her classes and is a positive, kind, and helpful classmate and community member. She brings her energy everyday and it is infectious!

Sam McAllister – Sam has been putting in extra time on his projects and assignments to do the best that he can. He continually strives to be the best version of himself daily and is always willing to help/support his classmates.

Anas Mohammed – Excellence in Literacy

Joselyn Morales Tlacuatl – Joselyn excels in historical analysis and works to help others learn of their history. She poses thoughtful questions and adds greatly to our discussions in history, Keep it up Joselyn!

Felix Mortensen – Felix is mathematically talented and consistently produces top-tier work.

Finn Murch-Gordon – Finn is an exceptional student, continually pushing himself further on every project. He shows powerful reading and writing skills. Well done.

MaCario Murphy – Excellence in Literacy

Mi'Yanna Nelson – Excellence in Literacy

Nico Nyala – Nico is a positive, hardworking bright light in our classroom, and he is appreciated.

Thuan Pham – Excellence in Literacy

Madelyn Plowman – Excellence in Literacy

Eh Thein Poe – Eh Poe works hard at collecting accurate data and finishing all of his work to the best of his ability. He is a model of responsibility and a leader in class.

Ava Rewey – For persistence and quality work in Comparative Anatomy

Ethan Rios – Excellence in Literacy

Shannon Saeger – Shannon demonstrates strong analytical thinking and shows true passion for solving complex problems.

Sabrin Salad – Sabrin works hard, takes on new challenges and constantly strives to extend her learning. She pursues her passions and dreams and always demonstrates the Murray Core Values.

Jonathan Sauer – Excellence in Literacy

George Say – Excellence in Literacy

Calvin Schwartz – Calvin possesses a deep, intuitive understanding of complex mathematical concepts.

Siri Shepard – Siri's love of learning shines bright. Despite her needing to take some time away from school this quarter, she came back ready to get back into her learning! She takes initiative and offers up great ideas in class. Keep up the great work!

Angel Snow – Excellence in Literacy

Lydia Solomon – Lydia is a gifted, hard-working classroom leader who understands and embraces the entirety of the learning process and maximizes her opportunities to grow.

Benjamin Staloch – Benji took on the challenge to audition for a state wide Minnesota Honor Band and worked hard to learn the music.

Mai Thank Van Truong – Excellence in Literacy

Mariel Yaacoob – Mariel is a brilliant writer and a strong reader. She goes above and beyond to show her advanced skills and really cares about her work. Keep up the powerful work!

Tonison Yang – Tonison is consistently focused and works hard during our small group!

Rhodes Zumski-Finke – For consistent high-quality work in Comparative Anatomy

PTO Corner

[Murray PTO Website](#)

Click [here](#) to see the latest PTO Newsletter

Murray Highlights Form

Please share some positive messages to be posted on the PTO Website and shared with the Murray staff. [Please click here.](#)

PTO Newsletter Archives

[January #1](#)

Spirit Wear

Visit our showroom at [ThreadArt](#) to order your custom Murray Middle School clothing! Now available: Debate shirts!! You can also purchase a Debate shirt to donate to a student.

****AVAILABLE NOW****

Murray Pilots 100 Years throwback shirts to celebrate 100 years of Murray Greatness!

6:00pm in the Murray Media Center

Thursday, January 15th

Monday, February 9th

Thursday, March 12th

Monday, April 20th

Monday, May 18th

Additional Information

Vision Screening Scheduled

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Your child will have a vision screening at school in the upcoming weeks by Phillips Eye Institute's Early Youth Eyecare (E.Y.E.) Community Initiative, part of Allina Health.

While this screening is designed to identify issues with your child's vision, it is not considered to be a full eye exam. If your child does not pass the vision screening, you will be notified with the recommendation to have your child receive an examination by an eye doctor for further evaluation. E.Y.E. can assist with scheduling the examination, as well as provide interpreter services, transportation and financial assistance with exams and glasses.

If you have questions or do not want your child to participate in the vision screening, please contact Vanessa Novak, RN, LSN (School RN) at 651-888-7650 (phone number).

Agenda referente a evaluación de la visión

Estimados padres y madres o tutores,

Su hijo o hija tendrá un examen de la vista en la escuela en las próximas semanas por parte de la iniciativa comunitaria de atención a la vista juvenil temprana (E.Y.E. por sus siglas en inglés) del Instituto del ojo Phillips, parte de Allina Health.

Si bien este examen está diseñado para identificar problemas con la visión de su hijo o hija, no se considera un examen ocular completo. Si su hijo o hija no pasa el examen de la vista, se le notificará con la recomendación de que un/a oculista lo/la examine para una evaluación adicional. E.Y.E. puede ayudar a programar el examen, así como proporcionar servicios de interpretación, transporte y asistencia financiera con los exámenes y los anteojos.

Si tiene alguna pregunta o no desea que su hijo o hija participe en el examen de la vista, comuníquese con Vanessa Novak, RN, LSN (enfermero/a escolar certificado/a) al 651-888-7650 (número de teléfono).

(Spanish)

Teem Caij Kuaj txoj Kev Pom Kev

Nyob Zoo Niam Txiv/Neeg Saib Xyuas,

Koj tus me nyuam yuav raug kev kuaj txoj kev pom kev tom tsev kawm ntawv hauv ob peb lim piam tom ntej no los ntawm Phillips Qhov Chaw Kho Qhov Muag E.Y.E. Kev Pab hauv Zej Zog, uas yog ib qho kev pab los ntawm Allina Health.

Txoj kev kuaj no yuav nrhiav tau tej teeb meem ntawm koj tus me nyuam txoj kev pom kev, nws tsis yog ib txoj kev kuaj qhov muag tag nrho. Yog tias koj tus me nyuam tsis dhau kev kuaj txoj kev pom kev, yuav ceeb toom koj seb koj tus me nyuam yuav tsum mus ntsib tus kws kho qhov muag kom tau kev kuaj ntxiv. E.Y.E. mam li pab koj teem caij rau kev kuaj, thiab mam li nrhiav neeg txhais lus, thauj mus los thiab pab nyiaj txiag them nqi kuaj thiab iav qhov muag.

Yog koj muaj lus nug los sis tsis xav kom koj tus me nyuam raug kev kuaj txoj kev pom kev no, thov tiv tauj mus rau Vanessa Novak, RN, LSN (Tsev Kawm Ntawv tus Nais Maum RN) nyob ntawm 651-888-7650 (naj npawb xov tooj).

(Hmong)

Baadhistaanka Aragga ee Ballansan

Gacaliyeyaal Waalid/Masuulin,

Ilmahaaga waxa loo sameyn doonaa baadhistaanka aragga oo lagu sameyn doonayn dugsigu todobaadada soo socda kaasoo lagu qabanayo Machadka Indhaha ee Phillips (Phillips Eye Institute) Barnaamijka Beesha ee Daryeelka Indhaha ee Da'yarta (Early Youth Eyecare (E.Y.E.) Community Initiative), oo qayb ka ah Allina Health.

Inkasta oo baadhistaankan loogu talagalay in la garto wixii ah dhibaatooyin ee ka jira aragga ilmahaaga, haddana lagama soo qaadayo inu yahay baadhitaan indho oo dhammeystiran. Haddii ilmahaagu aanuu ku gudbin baadhistaankan aragga, waxa lagu siin doonaa ogeysiis u la socdo soo-jeedin ah in ilmahaaga u dhakhtarka indhuhu u sameeyo baadhitaan si loo helo qiimeyn dheeraad ah. Barnaamijka E.Y.E. wuxu kaa gargaari karaa ballaminta baadhistaanka, waxa kale oo u bixiyaa adeegyo turjubaan, gaadiid iyo gargaar dhaqaale oo ah baadhistaanka iyo muraayadaha aragga.

Haddii ad qabtid su'aalo ama aanad rabin in ilmahaagu ka qaybgalo baadhistaanka aragga, fadlan la xidhiidh Vanessa Novak, RN, LSN (Kalkaalisada Dugsiga) oo laga wacayo 651-888-7650 (lambar teleefon).

(Somali)

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တၢ်မၤကွၢ်ဆၢ တၢ်တၢ်မၤဆၢဒီးဒီး ကတၢ်ဖျါတၢ်တၢ်ကွၢ်လီၤလၢ နမိၤမိၤခိၣ်တၢ်မ့ၢ်ဆၢတၢ်ဆၢ, သ့ၣ်ဆၢဒီး တၢ်ဆၢတၢ်မ့ၢ် မိၤခိၣ် တၢ်မၤကွၢ် မိၤလၢဒီးဒီးဒီး. နမိၤဆၢ မ့ၢ်တၢ်မ့ၢ်ဆၢတၢ်မၤကွၢ်ဒီး, တၢ်ကတၢ်သးသ့ၣ်သ့ၣ်ညါန့ၣ်သ့ၣ်ဒီးတၢ်မ့ၢ်ကွၢ်ကွၢ်မ့ၢ် ဒီးဒီးနမိၤ ကဒီးန့ၣ်တၢ်မၤကွၢ်လီၤလၢဆၢဒီးဒီးဒီးနီၤဖျါမိၤခိၣ်န့ၣ်ကသံၣ်သ့ၣ်ရၢၣ်လၢဆူၣ်ညါတၢ်သမံၤမိၤဆၢတၢ်ဆၢလီၤ. E.Y.E. မၤစၢၤန့ၣ်လၢ တၢ်ကရဲၣ်ကွၢ်တၢ်ဆၢကတီၢ်, ဆူၣ်ဒီး တၢ်မ့ၢ်လီၤ ၅၁ကွၢ်လွၢ်တၢ်ဆၢတၢ်မၤစၢၤတၢ်မ့ၢ်, တၢ်မိၤခိၣ်တၢ်ဆၢဒီး ကနီၣ်ဆၢတၢ်မၤစၢၤလၢ တၢ်မၤကွၢ်လွၢ်တၢ်မ့ၢ် ဒီး မိၤခိၣ်တၢ်မ့ၢ်ဆၢတၢ်ဆၢသ့ၣ်လီၤ

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Vanessa Novak (ကွၢ် RN) ဝဲ 651-888-7650 (လီၤတဲၢ်နီၣ်ဂီၢ်) တက့ၢ်

(Karen)



**VIRTUAL TUTORING
FOR SECONDARY STUDENTS**

**Each School Day | 2-4 p.m.
February 17-March 3**

All middle and high school students who received an "N" in a Quarter 2 class have until March 4 to complete or redo assignments to earn a passing grade. Join a virtual tutoring session for help with accessing materials on Schoology, getting organized, starting assignments, and communicating with teachers about grade updates.

How to join virtual tutoring:

- Log into Clever portal (spps.org/clever)
- Tap the "Q2 Virtual Tutoring" button
- Google Meet will open
- Staff will greet you and provide support





Important Dates

Monday, February 16th

No School

Wednesday, February 18th

Parent Forum: 8th Grade Como Park Pathway

At Como Park High School

5:00pm - 7:00pm

Monday, March 2nd

Murray PACT Meeting

5:00pm - 6:30pm

Friday, March 13th - Sunday, March 15th

Murray Musical Performance

Thursday, March 19th

Family/Teacher Conferences

4:00pm - 7:00pm

Friday, March 20th

No School

Saturday, March 29th

Regional History Day

Friday, April 3rd

End of Quarter 3

Monday April 6th - Friday, April 10th

No School, Spring Break

Monday, April 13th

Murray PACT Meeting

5:00pm - 6:30pm

Thursday, April 16th

Family/Teacher Conferences

4:00pm - 7:00pm

Sunday, April 19th

State History Day

Monday, May 4th

Murray PACT Meeting

5:00pm - 6:30pm

Thursday, May 21st

Murray Band & Orchestra Concert

6:30pm - 8:00pm

Monday, May 25 - Wednesday, May 27

No School

Wednesday, June 10th

8th Grade Recognition

9:30am - 11:00am

1:30pm - 3:00pm

Thursday, June 11th

6th Grade Awards - 10:00am

7th Grade Awards - 1:30pm

8th Grade Valleyfair

Last Day of School

Murray Middle School