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Hello Drexel Hill Middle School Families,

I hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving! Thank you to all of the families that attended Fall conferences! It was so nice to see the halls filled with our families!

Also, the students and staff had a great time at our annual Turkey Trot held the day before Thanksgiving! We have some super talented runners amongst us! Even if the students walked or jogged the path, it was a gorgeous and fun day for all! Please see our website for photos of the fun!

In this Wednesday message, you will find the following:

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Community Bulletin Board Reminder

According to the National Education Association, "when schools, parents, families, and communities work together to support learning, students tend to earn high grades, attend school more regularly, stay in school longer, and enroll in higher level programs." (NEA May, 2016). Community support, partnership, and engagement with and in schools is important and necessary for our children's success. The Upper Darby School District welcomes community members and neighbors from the Upper Darby Township, Clifton Heights Borough, and Millbourne Borough to visit our Community Bulletin Board regularly for news and updates regarding events, activities, resources, and supports happening and available in and around the School District community. The Upper Darby School District Community Bulletin Board - your source for community-wide activities and resources that benefit our students and families! REMEMBER TO CHECK IT EVERY WEEK!

[COMMUNITY BULLETIN BOARD](#)

Early Dismissal

This Friday, 12.2.22, all Upper Darby schools have an early dismissal. DHMS will dismiss at **11:50 AM**. All grades will have lunch at their regularly scheduled periods. There will only be ONE option for lunch: **Walking Tacos**. Attached is the schedule for an 11:50 AM dismissal.

11:50 AM Dismissal
Period 1: 8:30-8:58
Period 2: 9:02-9:22
Period 3: 9:24-9:44
Period 4: 9:48-10:10
Period 5: 10:14-10:36
Period 6: 10:40-11:02
Period 7: 11:06-11:26
Period 8: 11:30-11:50

Winter Concert

Our Winter Choral and Instrumental Concert will be held this Monday, December 5, 2022 at the Performing Arts Center at Upper Darby High School. The show begins at 7:00 PM. I can't wait to see the students perform!

MAP Testing

Winter MAP testing will take place on **Tuesday December 6th** and **Wednesday December 7th**. Reading will be on Tuesday and Math will be on Wednesday. We will operate on a *late start schedule*, but school starts at **REGULAR** time. Please remember to be on time as testing starts promptly at 8:30 AM. Thank You!

Holiday Vendor Event

Home and School is sponsoring a Holiday Vendor Shopping Event on **Saturday December 10, 2022** from **9:00 AM-1:00 PM** in the DHMS Gym. Over 30 vendors will be in attendance. Come out and shop for your friends, family or yourself! It is sure to be a great day! See attached flyer for additional details.

Also, a HUGE thank you to the Home and School Association and all the family volunteers that made the 7th Grade Luau such a success! The kids had a great time dancing and socializing with their friends! We loved seeing their best Hawaiian attire!

December Menus

Attached to this communication are the December Breakfast and Lunch Menus!

New Stadium Ribbon Cutting

Unfortunately, the ribbon cutting ceremony scheduled for today was cancelled due to weather. The district plans to reschedule for sometime in the early Spring. Please stay tuned for additional information.

Finally, thank you for all that you do to support our students and school community! For photos, additional information and a peek at previous Wednesday messages, please visit our school website at: [DHMS](#)

Enjoy the rest of your week and have a wonderful weekend!

Mrs. Palladino!

Please visit our [Community Bulletin Board](#), your source for community-wide activities and resources that benefit our students. Join our official social media!



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