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Good Evening Drexel Hill Middle School Families,

I hope everyone is enjoying their week and gearing up for the Super Bowl this Sunday! Please remind your students to wear their Eagles spirit wear on Friday to support the Eagles! Just a reminder to be on the look out for emails from the district related to any adjustments to the instructional days based on the Super Bowl and a possible parade.

In this Wednesday message you will find the following:

- DHMS School Board Presentation Reminder
- Home and School Volunteers Needed
- Yearbook Ordering
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### DHMS School Board Presentation

On February 14th, I will be highlighting Drexel Hill Middle School at the monthly school board meeting. I am so excited to share this presentation! DHMS is a wonderful place to go to school and work, so I will be highlighting the activities that students have the opportunities to participate in afterschool. Please come or stream the meeting through our district YouTube channel.

### Home and School

Recently, our Home and School President, Ms. Heather Harrison, resigned from her position. I want to thank Ms. Harrison for all that she has done for the staff and students of DHMS! Ms. Jen Rule, current Assistant Principal, will assume the role of President. If anyone is interested in helping with Home and School, please let me know!

### Yearbook Ordering

Attached to this message is information regarding the pre-ordering of this year's yearbook! I will continue to include this information in future Wednesday messages until the order date has passed. Get yours today!

### What is YMWIC?

Young Men and Women In Charge's mission is to empower and prepare economically disadvantaged and historically underrepresented youth to excel and become leaders in STEM careers through academic tutoring, mentoring and financial assistance programs, accomplished by leveraging alliances with K-12 school districts, universities, corporations, and the Foundation's committed partners. This mission is accomplished by embracing a family model that provides individually targeted services: academic tutoring, leadership development, scientific research training, public speaking, community service, junior mentoring, college readiness, college tours, and industry experiences in many STEM-related careers. Scholars may participate in YMWIC Special Interest Groups, such as the Young Scholar Leadership Team (YSLT), robotics team, jazz ensemble, choir, and coaching from personal mentors in the STEM professions. Additionally, YMWIC's STEM-based summer enrichment programs serve our school's hundreds more students in first through twelfth grades. Click to learn more: <https://vimeo.com/795395292>

Enjoy the rest of your week,






Jill Palladino

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