

Gurrie Middle School

Ed Hood, Principal

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Gurrie Middle School: Empowering students to pursue their interests, talents and dreams.

September 19, 2018

Dear Parent

The adolescent years are marked by a roller-coaster ride of emotions and growth-difficult for kids, their parents, and educators. It is easy to misread depression as normal adolescent turmoil; however, depression (among the most common of mental illnesses) appears to be occurring at a much earlier age. Depression-a treatable condition-is a leading risk factor for suicide. In addition, self-injury has become a growing problem among youth.

To proactively address these issues, Gurrie is offering depression and suicide prevention training to students, staff, and parents as part of the SOS Signs of Suicide® Prevention Program (SOS Program) in late October. The program has been successful at increasing students reporting concerns about themselves or a friend and is the only school-based suicide prevention program listed on SAMHSA's National Registry of Evidence-Based Programs and Practices that address suicide risk and depression, while reducing suicide attempts. In a randomized control study, the SOS high school program showed a reduction in self-reported suicide attempts by 40% (BMC Public Health, July 2007). The SOS Program is presented to us through Elyssa's Mission®, a nonprofit organization dedicated to suicide prevention. Elyssa's Mission is the only organization in the state of Illinois to fund, distribute and implement SOS. To get more information on suicide prevention, and the SOS program visit their website at www.elyssasmission.org.

As part of the program, Elyssa's Mission staff will show the SOS Program video and subsequently lead students in discussion. Students will then complete a brief depression screener as well as fill out a Response Card indicating whether or not they would like to speak to an adult at the school regarding concerns about themselves or a friend. The depression screening tool addresses thoughts and feelings which a parent may be unaware their child is having. This tool does not provide a diagnosis of depression, but rather alerts school staff to those students requiring further investigation. Students also complete a Response Card indicating whether or not they would like to speak to an adult at the school about themselves or a friend. Our school counselor, social worker and/or psychologist as well as qualified staff from a community partner will be available to meet with designated students; school staff will subsequently notify parents/guardians regarding any needed next steps.

Our goals in participating in this program are straightforward:

- To help our students understand that depression is a treatable illness.
- To explain that suicide is a preventable tragedy that often occurs as a result of untreated depression.

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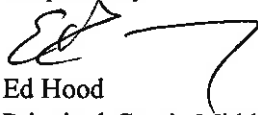
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- To provide students training in how to identify serious depression and potential suicide ideation in themselves or a friend.
- To impress upon our students that they can help themselves or a friend by taking the simple step of talking to a responsible adult about their concerns.
- To help students know whom in the school they can turn to for help, if they need it.

Students at Gurrie Middle School will participate in a single lesson utilizing this curriculum during the school day. Seventh grade will participate on October 23rd and eighth grade on October 25th. We hope all parents will partner with us to educate our students, but you do have the right to refuse participation. Please check whether or not you would like your child to participate in this program below and return this letter to your child's advisory teacher no later than Friday, October 19th, 2018.

If you need more information or have any questions about the SOS program please call myself or Jeannette Pedersen.

Respectfully,



Ed Hood
Principal-Gurrie Middle School

*****Detach Here*****

Child's Name _____ Advisory _____

Parent Name (Please Print) _____

Parent Signature _____

_____ I would like my child to participate in the SOS Signs of Suicide® Prevention Program

_____ I prefer that my child NOT participate in the SOS Signs of Suicide® Prevention Program

ROBERT CROWN HEALTH CENTER
7th Grade FIELD TRIP

Dear Parent or Guardian:

We will be welcoming to Gurrie staff from the Robert Crown Health Center on Friday, October 12th, 2018. The program begins at 9:00am and lasts for approximately 90 minutes.

The seventh grade students will attend the program *Social Emotional Learning*. During the SEL program, students identify self-image and self-esteem and explore factors that influence both. In addition, students develop skills to improve self-esteem and handle difficult situations in healthy and positive ways. Students then turn their focus on social interactions. They explore the qualities of a good friend, and practice skills to build friendships and interact positively in relationships. Finally, students learn tools to protect themselves when using social media including websites such as Facebook and Tumblr as well as texting.

Program Goals include that students will:

- Understand the factors that make us who we are and how these factors influence our interactions with others.
- Accept that we should consider the effect of our actions on others when making decisions.
- Develop skills to make positive, healthy choices.

Please call with any questions.

Sincerely,

Grade 7 Teachers
Gurrie Middle School Nurse

Please complete this form and return to your student's advisor no later than Friday, October 5th, 2018.

My child _____ has my permission to participate in the Robert Crown presentation on Friday, October 12th, 2018.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

ROBERT CROWN HEALTH CENTER
8th Grade FIELD TRIP

Dear Parent or Guardian:

We will be welcoming to Gurrie staff from the Robert Crown Health Center on Friday, October 12th, 2018. The program begins at 1:00pm and lasts for approximately 90 minutes.

The eighth grade students will attend the program *Teen Sexual Health*. This program focuses on teen sexuality, relationships and consequences of sexual activity. Male and female reproductive systems are briefly reviewed and misinformation regarding the timing of conception and pregnancy is examined. The risks of teenage sexual activity, including unplanned pregnancy and sexually transmitted infections are discussed. The emotional and social changes occurring during adolescence are also explored, with an emphasis on what it means to be independent and how to make responsible choices. Abstinence is stressed.

Please call with any questions.

Sincerely,

Grade 8 Teachers
School Nurse

Please complete this form and return to your student's advisor no later than Friday, October 5th, 2018.

My child, _____ has my permission to participate in the Robert Crown presentation on Friday, October 5th, 2018.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

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10/1/18

Dear Gurrie Families,

As a reminder, Parent-Teacher-Student Conferences will be held on **November 6th & 14th**, and **February 6th & 13th**. We are excited to announce that D105 will be using an online scheduling service to streamline this process. You will be getting more information about this process soon. To access the online sign up for conferences, you will need to ensure the office has a current email address. For this reason, we are asking that you make sure we have an email address on file in the office that you check regularly. If you have been receiving the *Gurrie Weekly Email* then your email is current and there is no need to fill out this form.

Having the opportunity to meet with each and every parent to discuss your child's progress is extremely important to us. We value your contributions as parents, and look forward to being able to partner with you for your child's success.

If you do not have access to email, please contact the office as soon as possible so we can find an alternative way for you to sign up for a Parent Teacher Conference.

Sincerely,

Ed Hood

If necessary, fill out this portion and return to the Gurrie Office or email this form back to pdlhy@d105.net.

Student/s name(s): _____

First Parent/Guardian's Name _____

First Parent/Guardian's Email Address _____

Second Parent/Guardian's Name (if applicable) _____

Second Parent/Guardian's Email Address _____

Escuela Intermedia Gurrie

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Escuela Intermedia Gurrie: Empoderando estudiantes a perseguir sus intereses, talentos y sueños

10/1/18

Estimadas Familias de Gurrie,

Como recordatorio, las conferencias de padres, maestros y estudiantes se llevarán a cabo los días **6 y 14 de noviembre**, y los días **6 y 13 de febrero**. Nos complace anunciar que el D105 utilizará un servicio de programación en línea para simplificar este proceso. Próximamente recibirán más información sobre este proceso. Para acceder a la inscripción en línea para conferencias, deben asegurarse de que la oficina tenga una dirección de correo electrónico actual. Por esta razón, le pedimos que se aseguren de tener una dirección de correo electrónico en la oficina de la escuela que verifiquen regularmente. Si han estado recibiendo el correo electrónico semanal de Gurrie, su correo electrónico está actualizado y no es necesario que complete el formulario a continuación.

Tener la oportunidad de reunirnos con todos y cada uno de los padres para hablar sobre el progreso de su hijo es extremadamente importante para nosotros. Valoramos sus contribuciones como padres y esperamos poder colaborar con ustedes para el éxito de sus hijos.

Si no tiene acceso a un correo electrónico, comuníquese con la oficina lo antes posible para que podamos encontrar otra manera para inscribirse a una de las conferencias de padres y maestros.

Sinceramente,

Ed Hood

De ser necesario, complete esta parte y devuélvala a la oficina de Gurrie o envíela por correo electrónico a pdlhy@d105.net.

Nombre del Estudiante: _____

Nombre del 1^{er} Padre/Acudiente legal _____

Correo electrónico del 1^{er} Padre/Acudiente legal _____

Nombre del 2^o Padre/Acudiente legal (Si aplica) _____

Correo electrónico del 2^o Padre/Acudiente legal _____

MUSIC MATTERS

LaGrange School District 105 Music Department Newsletter For the week of October 8 - 12

NEWS/REHEARSALS THIS WEEK

BAND

Monday: NO SCHOOL

Tuesday: NO SCHOOL

Wednesday: Rehearsal: Concert Band 7:20 am;
Lessons: 7th Ave.

Thursday: Rehearsal: Symphonic Band 7:20 am;
Lessons: Spring/Gurrie.

Friday: Rehearsal: Concert Band 7:20 am; Lessons:
Spring/Ideal

CHOIR

Monday: No Lessons or Rehearsals

Tuesday: No Lessons or Rehearsals

Wednesday: No Lessons or Rehearsals

Thursday: No Lessons or Rehearsals

Friday: No Lessons or Rehearsals

ORCHESTRA

Monday: NO SCHOOL

Tuesday: NO SCHOOL

Wednesday: Rehearsal: Symphony 7:20 am; Lessons:
Ideal

Thursday: Rehearsal: Chamber 7:20 am; Lessons: 7th
Ave./Hodgkins

Friday: Rehearsal: Symphony 7:20 am; Lessons:
Seventh Ave.

Cadet Band Rehearsal After School

On Monday, October 15th, the Cadet Band members will be having their first after-school rehearsal in the band room at Gurrie! This is a fantastic chance for the students to start to learn important ensemble skills, and for the whole group to start making music as a team. Buses will be provided from Hodgkins, Ideal, and Seventh Avenue schools for all students, and will taking any students home who indicated on the bus forms they will be needing the bus. Please make sure your student has their instrument, music and a pencil on all Mondays in addition to their in-school lesson day. Thank you!

D105 Performing Arts Fundraiser

Students will be receiving information about the D105 Fine Arts Fundraiser during their before or after school rehearsals during the week of October 15th - 19th. This is an exciting opportunity for students to support the performing arts in D105, as well as earning fun prizes! Please contact your director with any questions or concerns.

Uniforms, Dues and Fees

Forms for the district uniform policy, as well as the dues and fees for all performing ensembles have been distributed to students this past week. Please make sure to turn these in to the front office of your student's school as soon as possible. Thank you!

West Suburban Symphony Field Trip

The Philharmonic and Chamber Orchestras will be invited to watch a professional orchestra later this month. Permission slips will be coming home Monday and Tuesday. Return deadlines will be strict so please read and return promptly!

Dates to Remember

- 10/15 - First Cadet Band After School Rehearsal
- 10/15-10/31 - D105 Performing Arts Fundraiser
- 10/23 - West Suburban Symphony Field Trip (gr. Philharmonic and Chamber Orchestra)
- 10/30 - LTHS 8th Grade Orchestra Festival

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Parent / Guardian Permission/Waiver for Participation in Athletic Tryouts

I give my son/daughter _____ permission to participate in tryout sessions at Gurrie Middle School. I understand that should he/she be chosen for the team, a current (less than one-year-old, preferably the current school year) physician's examination valid through _____ must be obtained and be on file with your student to participate in this sport (including practices). Physician examination forms are valid for 395 days.

I am assuming responsibility for the physical health and ability of the above-named student to participate in tryouts. I waive any and all claims, charges, actions, lawsuits, liabilities, costs and expenses that may arise out of my son/daughter participating in tryout sessions at Gurrie Middle School without having submitted a current valid physician examination to the school district.

This form, signed by a parent or guardian is a requirement for a student to try out for all athletic programs at Gurrie without a current physical on file.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

****If your child already has a physical on file that is less than one calendar year old or from the current school year, then you do not need to return this waiver. ****

-ATHLETIC PERMIT FORM-

***A physical exam is required for tryouts and participation in all athletic related activities.

Name: _____ Grade _____ has been examined
on _____. (PLEASE DATE!)

He/she can participate in extracurricular sports activities as noted. On the basis of the examination on this day, I approve this child's participation in interscholastic sports for 395 days from this date.

_____ Full Participation _____ Limited Participation _____ No Participation

M.D. Signature _____ Phone # _____

Comments: _____

EMERGENCY INFORMATION

To be completed by Parent

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| | | |
| Mother's name | Business # | Home/Cell# |
| | | |
| Father's name | Business # | Home/Cell# |
| | | |
| Physician | Address | Phone# |
| | | |
| Hospital | Address | Phone# |

I give parental permission to the school to allow my child to participate in the extra-curricular athletic programs at Gurrie Middle School. In the event of an emergency situation, when neither my spouse nor I can be contacted, I authorize the school administration to take emergency action as may be deemed necessary. The school district has purchased a Student Accident insurance program that covers your child for injuries incurred while participating in school sponsored and supervised activities including sports. Finally, I give my permission for him/her to ride the bus to and from school sports activities.

Signature of parent/guardian _____

7:305 Student Athlete Concussions and Head Injuries

The Superintendent or designee shall develop and implement a program to manage concussions and head injuries suffered by students. The program shall:

1. Fully implement the Youth Sports Concussion Safety Act, that provides, without limitation, each of the following:
 - a. The Board must appoint or approve member(s) of a Concussion Oversight Team for the District.
 - b. The Concussion Oversight Team shall establish each of the following based on peer-reviewed scientific evidence consistent with guidelines from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention:
 - i. A return-to-play protocol governing a student's return to interscholastic athletics practice or competition following a force of impact believed to have caused a concussion. The Superintendent or designee shall supervise an athletic trainer or other person responsible for compliance with the return-to-play protocol.
 - ii. A return-to-learn protocol governing a student's return to the classroom following a force of impact believed to have caused a concussion. The Superintendent or designee shall supervise the person responsible for compliance with the return-to-learn protocol.
 - c. Each student and the student's parent/guardian shall be required to sign a concussion information receipt form each school year before participating in an interscholastic athletic activity.
 - d. A student shall be removed from an interscholastic athletic practice or competition immediately if any of the following individuals believes that the student sustained a concussion during the practice and/or competition: a coach, a physician, a game official, an athletic trainer, the student's parent/guardian, the student, or any other person deemed appropriate under the return-to-play protocol.
 - e. A student who was removed from interscholastic athletic practice or competition shall be allowed to return only after all statutory prerequisites are completed, including without limitation, the return-to-play and return-to-learn protocols developed by the Concussion Oversight Team. An athletic team coach or assistant coach may not authorize a student's return-to-play or return-to-learn.
 - f. The following individuals must complete concussion training as specified in the Youth Sports Concussion Safety Act: all coaches or assistant coaches (whether volunteer or a district employee) of interscholastic athletic activities; nurses, licensed healthcare professionals or non-licensed healthcare professionals who serve on the Concussion Oversight Team (whether or not they serve on a volunteer basis); athletic trainers; game officials of interscholastic athletic activities; and physicians who serve on the Concussion Oversight Team.
 - g. The Board shall approve school-specific emergency action plans for interscholastic athletic activities to address the serious injuries and acute medical conditions in which a student's condition may deteriorate rapidly.
2. Comply with the concussion protocols, policies, and by-laws of the Illinois High School Association, including its *Protocol for Implementation of NFHS Sports Playing Rules for Concussion*, which includes its *Return to Play (RTP) Policy*. These specifically require that:
 - a. A student athlete who exhibits signs, symptoms, or behaviors consistent with a concussion in a practice or game shall be removed from participation or competition at that time.
 - b. A student athlete who has been removed from an interscholastic contest for a possible concussion or head injury may not return to that contest unless cleared to do so by a physician licensed to practice medicine in all its branches in Illinois or a certified athletic trainer.
 - c. If not cleared to return to that contest, a student athlete may not return to play or practice until the student athlete has provided his or her school with written clearance from a physician licensed to practice medicine in all its branches in Illinois, advanced practice registered nurse, physician assistant or a certified athletic trainer working in conjunction with a physician licensed to practice medicine in all its branches in Illinois.
3. Require all student athletes to view the Illinois High School Association's video about concussions.
4. Inform student athletes and their parents/guardians about this policy in the *Agreement to Participate* or other written instrument that a student athlete and his or her parent/guardian must sign before the student is allowed to participate in a practice or interscholastic competition.
5. Provide coaches and student athletes and their parents/guardians with educational materials from the Illinois High School Association regarding the nature and risk of concussions and head injuries, including the risks inherent in continuing to play after a concussion or head injury.
6. Include a requirement for staff members to notify the parent/guardian of a student who exhibits symptoms consistent with that of a concussion.

LEGAL REF.:

105 LCS 5/22-80.

105 LCS 25/1.15.

CROSS REF.: 4:170 (Safety), 5:100 (Staff Development Program), 7:300 (Extracurricular Athletics)

ADOPTED: February 26, 2018

I have read and understand all of the above regarding student athlete concussions and head injury policies, protocols and by-laws.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____



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School Health Office

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HODGKINS PHONE: (708)482-2740 FAX: (708)482-2728
IDEAL PHONE:(708)482-2750FAX: (708)482-2729
SEVENTH AVENUE PHONE: (708)482-2730FAX: (708)482-2726
SPRING AVENUE PHONE: (708) 482-2710FAX: (708)482-2725

September, 2018

Dear Parents and Guardians,

As our students become settled into the new school year, and cold and flu season approaches, our health services staff would like to update the school community regarding health and wellness policies in LaGrange School District 105.

In an effort to keep our classrooms healthy, families are reminded to keep students home under the following circumstances:

- When a student has a temperature of 100 degrees or above. Families should not give a student a fever-reducing medication and then send him,or her to school. However, the district is no longer requiring students to remain home for 24 hours after the temperature returns to normal. The district has updated practices to align with the recommendations of the Illinois State Board of Education, Cook County Department of Public Health and the American Academy of Pediatrics.
- When a student presents with vomiting and/or diarrhea. Students should be kept home with these symptoms for at least 24 hours after the last occurrence.
- When a student presents with a rash that has not been checked by a doctor. A doctor's note is required for students who return to school with a rash.
- When a student presents with red, pink, crusty, or irritated eyes. A doctor's note is required noting that the student is cleared for school attendance if returning with these symptoms.
- When a student presents with symptoms of severe coughing, a cold, a sore throat, earache, or a stomachache that will make it difficult for the student to participate comfortably in their academic day.

In the event that your student becomes ill during the school day and needs to be sent home, it is important that you have updated family contact information in the school office. When calling your student in sick to the school office, please be prepared to share your student's symptoms and a doctor's diagnosis when appropriate. This information helps us to track vital health information that may be helpful in planning for targeted disinfections in the school building or reporting to local health agencies.

Thank you for your attention to these policies and helping to keep our student community healthy.

Sincerely,


Shelby Raney, R.N.

Certified School Nurse



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Septiembre, 2018

Estimados Padres de Familia y Guardianes Legales,

A medida que nuestros estudiantes se ajustan al nuevo año escolar, y la temporada de resfriados y gripe se acerca, a nuestros empleados de servicios de salud les gustaría actualizar a la comunidad escolar acerca de las políticas de bienestar y salud en el Distrito Escolar 105 de LaGrange.

En un esfuerzo por mantener nuestros salones de clases saludables, se les recuerda a las familias mantener a sus estudiantes en casa bajo las siguientes circunstancias:

- Cuando el estudiante tenga una temperatura de 100.0 más grados. No se le debe dar al estudiante un medicamento para reducir la fiebre y después mandarlo así a la escuela. Sin embargo, el distrito ya no requiere que el estudiante permanezca en casa 24 horas después de que la temperatura se haya normalizado. El distrito ha actualizado sus prácticas para alinearlas con las recomendaciones de la Junta de Educación del Estado de Illinois, el Departamento de Salud Pública del Condado de Cook y de la Academia Americana de Pediatría.
- Cuando un estudiante tiene vomito y/o diarrea. El estudiante con estos síntomas debe permanecer en casa por lo menos 24 horas después del último incidente.
- Cuando el estudiante presenta un brote/sarpullido que no ha sido revisado por un doctor. Se requiere de una nota del doctor para un estudiante que regrese a la escuela con un brote/sarpullido.
- Cuando el estudiante tiene conjuntivitis, ojos irritados, rojos y lagañosos. Se requiere una nota del doctor certificando que el estudiante ha sido autorizado para volver a la escuela si ha de volver con estos síntomas presentes.
- Cuando el estudiante presenta síntomas de toz severa, resfriado, dolor de garganta, dolor de oído, o dolor de estómago que dificultarían la participación cómoda del estudiante en su día académico.

En el evento que su estudiante se enferme durante el día escolar, y sea necesario enviarlo a casa, es importante que usted haya actualizado su información de contacto familiar con la oficina de la escuela. Cuando llame a la oficina a reportar enfermedad de su estudiante, por favor esté preparado para indicar los síntomas y el diagnóstico del doctor de ser apropiado. Esta información nos ayuda a hacer un seguimiento vital de información de salud que podría ser útil en la planeación de desinfecciones focalizadas en el edificio de la escuela o para reportarla a las agencias locales de salud.

Gracias por su atención a estas políticas y por ayudarnos a mantener saludable a nuestra comunidad estudiantil.

Sinceramente,


Shelby Raney, R.N.

Enfermera Escolar Certificada



HELP SUPPORT

GURRIE PTO

WHERE 439 North Lagrange Road, LaGrange Park, IL 60526

WHEN Tues, Oct 9th

FROM 4:00pm - 8:00pm

Bring this flyer or show an electronic version to the cashier when you place your order and we'll donate a portion of the proceeds from your purchase.*

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Learn more at Fundraising.PaneraBread.com

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St. Cletus Choose Kindness 5K Run



Saturday, October 6, 2018

100 Yard Dash

8:00 a.m. Open to children age 7 and under. Race starts at the corner of Stone Avenue and 54th Street. Medals will be given to all children who participate.

5K Run/Walk

5K will begin following the completion of the 100 Yard Dash.

Race open to all runners and walkers. Strollers and dogs are welcome.

Course map on back. Course certified by USATF.

Medals awarded to top two female and male finishers 14 and younger and top two female and male finishers 15 and older.

Registration

Online registration available at www.stcletusschool.com until October 3 for \$15.

In person registration for \$20 available at the Parish Center on Friday, October 5 from 3:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. and on race day from 7:00 a.m. to 7:45 a.m.

Long sleeve sport t-shirt included to the first 200 registrants.

For more information go to:

www.stcletusschool.com/fundraising/5K



Distrito 105
Evaluaciones para el Prescolar
lunes, 22 de octubre del 2018

El Distrito Escolar #105 va a tener evaluaciones Prescolares para los niño/as, de **tres a cinco años de edad** que residen dentro del distrito. El equipo de especialistas evaluara el desarrollo de su hijo/a, para determinar si su niño/a, puede beneficiarse de los servicios especiales, antes de que entre al Kínder. Los niño/as, serán evaluados en las siguientes áreas:

1. Conceptos- nombrar las partes del cuerpo, los colores, nombrar objetos con rapidez, contar en orden, contar los números de mayor a menor, identificar los números, contar bloques y relacionarlos con el número, las figuras geométricas básicas, y separar las figuras geométricas por su color y tamaño.
2. Lenguaje y el Habla- información personal, articulación, identificar objetos y sus acciones, (expresivo y receptivo), letras y sus sonidos (la canción del abecedario) y resolver problemas.
3. Examen de Ojos y Oídos

La evaluación tomara lugar lunes, 22 de octubre de las 8:30 AM a las 2:00 PM. en el Distrito del Parque De Hodgkins, 8997 Lyons St, Hodgkins. Esta es para los niño/as, del Distrito #105. La evaluación dura 60 minutos.

Por favor llame al Programa Prescolar al (708-482-2760), para hacer una cita.

Tomaremos citas solo hasta miércoles, 17 de octubre.

Si su niño ya está asistiendo alguno de estos programas ECE, Early Learning, o el Prescolar, no necesitan ser evaluado. Ahora, si su hijo/a, ya fue evaluado y paso la evaluación, el/ella no necesita otra evaluación. **

¡Por favor comparta esta información con sus familiares y amigos que tengan niños de 3 a 5 años de edad!

Para hacer una cita, llame al (708-482-2760)





District 105 Preschool Screening

Monday, October 22, 2018

School District #105 will be conducting preschool screening for **three to five year old children** residing in the district. The screening team will assess each child's development to determine who might benefit from special services prior to Kindergarten. The following skill areas will be assessed:

1. Concepts-body parts, colors, rapid object naming, rote counting(counting forward, counting backward, number identification), meaningful counting(counting blocks, number relationships), shapes(identifying shapes, sorting shapes, sorting by color and size)
2. Speech and Language-personal information, articulation, identifying objects and actions (expressively and receptively), letters and sounds(alphabet song, letter naming, letter-sound correspondence), problem-solving
3. Vision and Hearing

Screening will take place **Monday, October 22nd between 8:30 AM and 12:45 PM** at **Hodgkins Park District, 8997 Lyons St, Hodgkins** for all district children. The entire screening will take about 60 minutes.

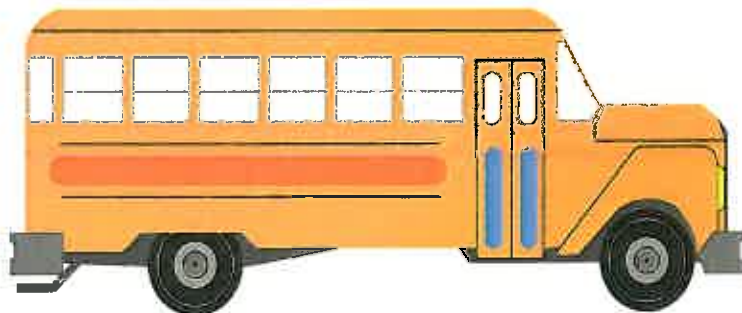
Please call the District Office at 708-482-2760 to schedule an appointment.

Appointments will be taken until Wednesday, October 17th.

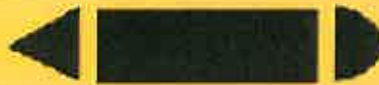
****If your child is currently enrolled in ECE, the Early Learning Program, or Preschool For All, no screening is needed. If your child has already been screened and passed, he/she does not need to be screened again.****

PLEASE SHARE THIS INFORMATION WITH YOUR FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS WHO HAVE 3 TO 5 YEAR OLD CHILDREN

For appointments, please call 482-2760.



#REALTALK



PARENT CAFÉ

#REALTALK ABOUT VAPING

7:00-8:30 PM

10/23 GURRIE MIDDLE SCHOOL

10/25 PLEASANTDALE MIDDLE SCHOOL

11/1 McCLURE JUNIOR HIGH

Vaping: Dangerous, Available & Addicting
It's time for #REALTALK.

Find out what you need to know about teen vaping trends. View the interactive 'Hidden in Plain Sight' room, providing you, the parent, with clues from a teen's bedroom to determine whether your teen might be experimenting with or using drugs or alcohol. We encourage you to bring a friend!

Space is limited. RSVP to Cindy at ckfrymark@me.com

 www.drugfreelyonstownship.org

 www.facebook.com/coalitionforDFLT



Coalition for a Drug-Free Lyons Township
Together for Youth



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Coming Soon!

FREE Head Start in La Grange

Making preschool accessible to all

For 50 years, Pillars Community Health has provided Head Start to the local community. Coming soon, we will be opening a new site in the northern part of our Head Start service area to make it easier for families to access care. The new site will be located at 248 Sawyer Ave. in La Grange. We are currently enrolling children for this new location.



About the Program: We provide a warm and nurturing environment that stimulates the growth and development of each child, including infants and toddlers. Our educational services follow the Creative Curriculum model. In addition, we provide education for families around nutrition, child development, and prenatal and postnatal topics. Children receive nutritious meals and snacks while at the Center, and families are encouraged to be part of our family engagement/social activities. Bilingual staff are available to assist families and children as needed.

Eligibility and Enrollment: Head Start is available for children ages 3-5 years. We serve low-income families, families experiencing homelessness, foster children, TANF, and SSI recipients. Eligibility is based on income.

Call 708-995-3570 to discuss enrollment today!

Pillars Community Health is a nonprofit provider of health and social services. The organization oversees Head Start and Early Head Start for the following communities: Bedford Park, Bridgeview, Brookfield, Burbank, Chicago Ridge, Countryside, Evergreen Park, Justice, Hickory Hills, Hodgkins, Hometown, La Grange, Lyons, Nottingham Park, Oak Lawn, Palos Hills, Summit, Willows Springs, and Worth. In addition, we can connect families to other services we offer including Medical, Dental, Mental Health, Addictions, Domestic & Sexual Violence, Benefits & Enrollment, and more. Call 708-PILLARS (708-745-5277) for questions, or visit www.PillarsCommunityHealth.org to learn more.



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¡Próximamente!

Head Start GRATUITO en La Grange

Preescolar accesible para todos

Pillars Community Health ha proporcionado servicios de Head Start para la comunidad local por más de 50 años. Próximamente, abriremos un local nuevo en el norte de nuestra área de servicio para que las familias puedan participar más fácilmente. El nuevo sitio se ubicará en 248 Sawyer Ave. en La Grange. Actualmente estamos inscribiendo a niños y niñas en el programa.

Sobre el programa: Proporcionamos un ambiente cálido y enriquecedor que estimula el crecimiento y desarrollo de cada niño y niña, incluyendo infantes y niños pequeños. Nuestros servicios educativos siguen el modelo del currículo Creative Curriculum. Adicionalmente, ofrecemos educación para las familias sobre temas como nutrición, desarrollo infantil, información pre y pos natal. Durante su tiempo en el Centro, los niños reciben alimentos nutritivos y se les invita a las familias a participar en nuestras actividades sociales y de aprendizaje. Contamos con personal bilingüe para asistir a las familias que lo requieran.

Elegibilidad e Inscripción: Head Start es un programa para niños de 3 a 5 años. Servimos a las familias de bajos recursos, familias desamparadas, niños acogidos, y familias que reciben TANF y SSI. La elegibilidad se basa en los ingresos.

¡Llama al 708-995-3570 para informarte sobre inscripción hoy mismo!

Pillars Community Health es un proveedor de servicios sociales y de salud sin fines de lucro. La organización supervisa programas de Head Start y Early Head Start para las siguientes comunidades: Bedford Park, Bridgeview, Brookfield, Burbank, Chicago Ridge, Countryside, Evergreen Park, Justice, Hickory Hills, Hodgkins, Homewood, La Grange, Lyons, Nottingham Park, Oak Lawn, Palos Hills, Summit, Willows Springs y Worth. Adicionalmente, podemos conectar a las familias con otros servicios que ofrecemos incluyendo servicios médicos, dentales, salud mental, adicciones, violencia doméstica y sexual, beneficios e inscripciones y más. Para preguntas llama al 708-PILLARS (708-745-5277) o visita www.PillarsCommunityHealth.org para obtener mayor información.



LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS® OF THE LA GRANGE AREA

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
September 29, 2018

League of Women Voters® of the La Grange Area
Contact: Patricia Rocco and Mary Klonowski
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**League of Women Voters® of the La Grange Area to participate in the
March to the Polls 2018**

The League of Women Voters® of the La Grange Area (LWVLGA) will be rallying and marching in the March to the Polls 2018 in Chicago (Grant Park) on October 13, 2018, at 9:00 a.m.

The event is a follow-up to the Women's March held in January and intended to fire up voters as Illinois opens early voting. March to the Polls 2018 will feature a rally in Grant Park at 9:00 a.m. with guest speakers and live performances. It will honor first time voters through a First Time Voter Experience, that includes facetime with elected officials and VIP entertainment. The March to the Polls 2018 will then continue with a march through the streets of downtown Chicago, to Federal Plaza and end at the Board of Elections, an early voting site.

The LWVLGA will join the LWV of Illinois (LWVIL), and any other local leagues, in Grant Park at Buckingham Fountain. Come show your support for women's rights and voter engagement and join us for this very important event.

This event is free of charge and open to the public. For more information, email us at league@lagrangearealwv.org. Visit our website at www.lagrangearealwv.org.

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About LWV Lagrange Area

The League of Women Voters® is a political organization that neither supports nor opposes candidates or parties and encourages informed and active participation in government. It influences public policy through education and advocacy. The League of Women Voters® of the La Grange Area serves the people of Brookfield, Burr Ridge, Countryside, Indian Head Park, Hinsdale, Hodgkins, La Grange, La Grange Highlands, La Grange Park, Riverside, Western Springs and Westchester.



TROOP 14
FALL OPEN HOUSE
Tuesday, October 16, 2018
7:15 PM – 8:30 PM

First United Methodist Church, La Grange
100 West Cossitt Avenue, La Grange

All La Grange area Cub Scout Packs are invited to come learn about Troop 14 at our Fall Open House. Troop 14 was founded in 1917 and is one of the oldest continually-running Boy Scout Troops in the country. Since its inception, Troop 14 has produced 118 Eagle Scouts!

We are a very active Troop that offers outdoor activities nearly every month of the year, including monthly weekend campouts, downhill skiing, summer camp in July, and service projects.

Troop 14 sends crews to High Adventure trips nearly every year including Philmont Scout Ranch in New Mexico, Sea Base in the Florida Keys, Okpik in northern Minnesota, and the Boundary Waters. We are strong believers in exposing Scouts to all the wonders the great outdoors has to offer, and providing them with the skills and self-confidence that will allow them to enjoy outdoor adventures for the rest of their lives.



All area Webelos who will be crossing over into Boy Scouts this coming winter are invited to join us at our annual "Good Old Fashioned Campout", which will be held November 9-11 at Shabonna Lake State Park. You are free to stay one or both nights with us. Come out and enjoy this beautiful state park at a time of year when there are very few other people around, the weather is cool and dry, and there are NO BUGS!



We look forward to welcoming you to our Troop Open House. If you have questions or need more information contact David Zembower, Troop 14's Scoutmaster, at dzembower@gmail.com.