

11/18/2022

Good afternoon, MJMS Families,

I hope all of you have restful break next week and stay well. We have 17 days of school after Thanksgiving, and we want to make each one count!

Below are a few updates leading up to our time off:

**Slim Chickens Spirit Night:** Stop by Slim Chickens any time **Thursday, Dec 1st**, between the hours of **4-8 pm**. When you place your order with the cashier, tell them you are with "MJMS" and they will make a donation to the school.

**MJMS PTO Meeting:** We invite all MJMS parents and guardians to join us on Friday, December 16<sup>th</sup>, at 11 am. We will meet in the classroom in the MJMS library. Please check in at the front office first.

**Holiday Meal and Gifts for MJMS Teachers and Staff:** The MJMS PTO wants to shower our teachers and staff with appreciation this Holiday Season. We are asking parents and community members to make donations using Cheddar Up. The PTO will use the donations to provide a Holiday meal and buy gifts for the MJMS teachers and staff. Please consider donating! This is just one way we can all say "thank you"! <https://link.zixcentral.com/u/5e39b5e0/rv6UAxZl7RGJMVXu5F7kRg?u=https%3A%2F%2Fmjms-pt0-holiday-donations.cheddarup.com>

**Cici's Pizza Reward:** Students who earned a limo ride to eat lunch will go on December 5<sup>th</sup>. Permission slips have been given to students and will need to be returned promptly, as we have a very short turnaround.

**Nurse Needs:** Thank you to our PTO and to all the parents who have sent in supplies for Nurse Monica. We go through things quickly when the flu and stomach bug rear their ugly heads. She needs a continuous supply of dixie cups, juice boxes, water bottles, snacks (with no nuts), and individually wrapped mints.

**PTO Support:** One of the easiest ways to support our PTO is by linking your Publix, Kroger, and Amazon accounts to support the MJMS PTO. Directions are attached. Once you set it up, all you have to do is shop! Buy an Amazon card at Kroger, then shop at smile.amazon.com with your gift card, and we are doubly gifted!

### **Go Fan for Theater Production:**

- Dec 2: <https://gofan.co/app/events/765816?schoolId=TN73672>
- Dec 3: <https://gofan.co/app/events/798066?schoolId=TN73672>

Bear Pride in the Middle!

Candis Angle

### Looking Forward:

- Purchase a yearbook! They are now \$50 at [https://yearbookforever.com/schools/mount\\_juliet\\_middle\\_school\\_buy\\_yearbook\\_332898/jEmMYu3aQoB7rropP5PIbE70](https://yearbookforever.com/schools/mount_juliet_middle_school_buy_yearbook_332898/jEmMYu3aQoB7rropP5PIbE70)
- Sports dates and times are on our website at [www.wcschools.com/mjms](http://www.wcschools.com/mjms)
- \*December 2: Dress up day, Holiday socks and hats (this will also allow everyone to get in the mood for our Holiday Drama show this weekend!)
- December 2-3: Happy MJ Holiday
- \*December 5: Dress up day, Christmas pajamas
- \*December 6: Dress up day, Holiday Character (you can be santa, an elf, a snowman, a character from a Christmas movie, etc.)
- \*December 7: Dress up day Ugly Christmas Sweater
- \*December 8: Dress up day, Black and Gold
- December 8: Coming Home
- December 13: Band/Choir Concert

\*Students who do not participate in the dress-up theme for the day are expected to be in dress code.