

Happy Friday Parents and Guardians,

It was a pleasure to see most of you visit us last week during our historic re-entering of our school and of course those who witnessed in person, our school production entitled, Many Voices One World. Thank you again for visiting us.

As you have been made aware Northeast had two positive Covid cases this week. Continue to be mindful of all family decisions that are made as the virus is not finished with us.

There have been a few inquiries regarding who will be at the helm of Northeast school effective July 1, 2022. Dr. Ponds and our personnel Director, Damen Cooper, is on top of this matter. As they share with me, I will share with you, or they may share with you directly. Stay tuned.

Quote of the Day (from Mrs. Garvey's kindergarten class): *"Be a rainbow in someone's cloud today."*

Mike Chiles

### **UPCOMING DATES:**

March 30 Early Dismissal at 1:10-evening parent/teacher conference

March 31 Early Dismissal at 1:10-afternoon parent/teacher conference

April 15 Good Friday, District Closed

April 18-22 Spring recess-schools closed

April 28 Early Dismissal at 1:10-curriculum meetings

### **FROM OUR PTA:**

Spring After School Enrichment (ASE)

- Signup starts Monday 03/21 at 9AM.
- Classes begin Monday 04/04.
- The link to the MemberHub registration page will be provided in the PTA Newsletter on 03/20.

Northeast Dinner Night in Partnership with Montclair Diner

- Thursday 3/24/22 from 3-7pm.
- For these partnership events, **Montclair Diner** donates 15% of all sales for customers that order and reference the "PTA Event".
- This will be for To Go Orders and Dine-In Orders; **Uber & Grub Hub orders are not eligible.**

### **FROM MFEE:**

On one night, in front of one outdoor stage, the Montclair Public School community will come together - in person! - to celebrate our town's hidden talents that highlight our

unique diversity. [The Montclair Fund for Educational Excellence \(MFEE\)](#) is inviting the entire family to [ShowUS Montclair](#) outside at **Lackawanna Plaza on April 30 at 7 pm.**

The award-winning event will be an inspiring, interactive evening of local and exceptional performers and stories! Tickets are on-sale now, and the cost of each ticket is a tax-deductible donation to MFEE.

The host for the evening will be Tony® Award-winner, five-time Tony® Award nominee Laura Benanti! Some of the acts will also include participants in MFEE's innovative youth programs, which the event is intended to directly support. A portion of the proceeds will fuel these programs that provide academic assistance and boost students' social/emotional health.

And while the performers are always spectacular, the most beloved part of the show is witnessing the surprising ways that Montclair Public School administrators and teachers show up on stage. Whether it's some secret talent or just some amazing bravado in an all-out lip sync battle, MFEE guarantees that the talents of staff – and maybe even our Board of Education members - will bring smiles and laughter. Get your tickets here: [https://givebutter.com/ShowUS\\_Montclair](https://givebutter.com/ShowUS_Montclair).

## **ART NEWS:**

[Congratulations to our NE artists](#) whose Reflections Artwork and Writing submissions made it to the State level!! This is an amazing accomplishment!! We are so very proud of our aspiring artists and writers. We will have a special celebration for these students this Month. National Winners will be announced in May! Stay Tuned!