

Good evening, Loiederman Families!

This is Megan McLaughlin, proud principal of LMS, calling with some important information. Tomorrow, Monday, May 15 is an ODD day. Happy Mother's Day to all of our amazing mothers!

- **Handicapped Parking Spaces for arrival/dismissal:** It is important that we demonstrate respect toward our community members who have handicapped parking licenses by never parking in the handicapped designated spots unless you have the proper license. We have several families who have handicapped parking licenses, and so the designated parking spaces are for that purpose. Security will continue to monitor the area while simultaneously monitoring a safe arrival and dismissal, but this is a community effort, so please follow the law and only park in handicapped spaces if you have the correct license. Let's all please work together so that we do not have to escalate this situation by involving our partners at MCPD.
- **Instrumental music concert:** Our instrumental music concert is coming up on Tuesday, May 23rd at 7pm. Band and Orchestra students need to come at 6pm for a warmup. Concert attire is black polos, black pants/bottoms, black socks, and black shoes. We hope to see you at the concert and please don't forget to help with a donation for our music program
- **Film Festival:** LCL Parents and Caretakers, mark your calendars for May 25th at 7:00pm when we will hold our always amazingly fun Film Festival. We will show off the incredible films our students have been creating this past school year. Family and friends are welcome! Admission is free! See you on Thursday, May 25th, at 7pm!
- **Loiederman's Annual Spring Art Show!** The LMS Art Dept will showcase beautiful Artwork from our 6th, 7th, and 8th graders. The LMS Spring Art Show Display will be up in the performance space lobby beginning Thursday, May 4th. The display will continue to be available before, during, and after school until Thursday, June 1st. Come support our talented artists! The art show information is also posted on our LMS website! If you have any questions, please contact: Ms. Ely, Mr. Wilson, and Mr. Cruz.
- **7th Grade Families:** To celebrate the end of the year, 7th graders are invited to attend the end of year field trip to the Smithsonian National Zoo in Washington, D.C. on Wednesday, June 14th for \$6 per student. Scholarships are available with a signed note from the student's caregiver. Payments and permission forms are due no later than May 17th. Payments can be made on SchoolCash, by cash, or by check made payable to A. Mario Loiederman Middle School. Please be sure to have your student return their permission slip to their homeroom teachers. If you have any questions or would like to attend as a chaperone, please contact Ms. Ostrega at Veronica_M_Ostrega@mcpsmd.org.
- **Calendar of Upcoming Dates/Events:**
 - May 29: Memorial Day- Schools and Offices Closed
 - June 13: 8th Grade Promotion @ Wheaton HS @ 6:00 P.M.
 - June 14: End of Year Grade Level Field Trips

- June 16: Last Day of School

Please be sure to check out the [LMS PTSA Page on Facebook](#). Stay well, stay safe, and thank you for staying connected to Loiederman. Have a good evening!