





The National Junior Honor Society is sponsoring the fourth annual

Ugly Holiday Sweater Contest for Grades 3-8

Proceeds from the event will go to The Family Success Center of Burlington County for their "Adopt a Family Program"

Please bring in \$1 (cash only please) and wear your ugly holiday sweater on

Friday, December 14

Prizes will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners. Winners will also get their pictures in the yearbook!

Prizes will also be awarded to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place staff winners as well.





2018-2019 Middle School Dance Permission Form

September, 2018

Dear Middle School Students and Parent/Guardians,

The Neeta School Student Council sponsors several dances every year. Middle school dances are for students in grades 6, 7, & 8. All dances are held on Friday evenings from 7:00 – 9:00 PM. Dates for the dances are as follows:

- November 2nd, 2018
- December 14th, 2018
- February 8th, 2019
- May 3^{rd} , 2019 (Students in grades 5-7)

In order to have your child attend the dances please complete this permission form and return it to your homeroom teacher no later than <u>October 12, 2018</u>. This permission form will be kept on file and will be used for all school dances. <u>There is a \$5.00 fee to attend each dance</u>. Admission fees for students that qualify for the federal free/reduced lunch program are waived.

Please drop your child off at the all-purpose room lobby entrance along the side of the building no earlier than 7:00 PM. Students need to be picked up promptly at 9:00 in front of the building via main door. We ask for parents to remain in their car in the regular car line. Parents are encouraged to make carpool arrangements. Students will be dismissed one at a time or in small pre-arranged groups to adults that are listed as emergency contacts in the Realtime parent portal. Please be certain to update the emergency contacts listed on your child's parent portal, to include those who will be picking your child up. These are adults that you give permission to pick up and transport your child safely home. Under no circumstances will any student be permitted to walk/bike home from a school dance.

Students are expected to adhere to the school discipline policy and follow the school dress code while in attendance. If you have any questions or concerns please contact Mr. McCall at mmccall@medford-lakes.k12.nj.us.

| Superintendent/Neeta Principal | Teacher/Student Council Advisor | | | |
|------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| I giveschool rules and dress code. | permission to attend the school dances. He/she will abide by the | | | |
| Student Name – please print | Homeroom #/Teacher | | | |
| Student Signature | Parent/Guardian's Signature Date | | | |



Send someone you love a Carol-Gram this Holiday Season!

Medford Lakes Girl Scout Troop 24252 will be providing Holiday Caroling

When:

November 27th and 28th December 4th, 5th, 11th, 12th, 18th and 19th



Support the Girl Scout Mission: "Girl Scouting builds girls of courage, confidence, and character, who make the world a better place."

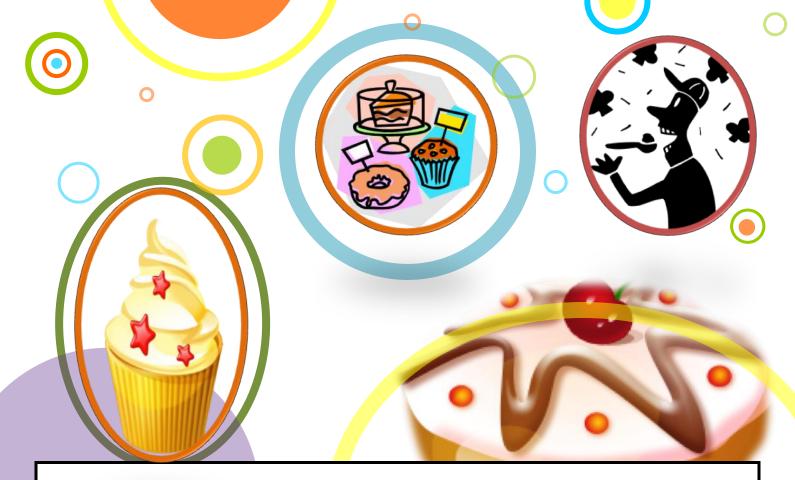
Price: \$10 per visit or \$21 for 3 visits.



Contact Troop24252@gmail.com to schedule
For questions call: (609) 760-3793
Additional dates and times may be available by appointment







CUPCAKE-EATING CONTEST

Student Council is raising money to help support The Family Success Center of Burlington County in their "Adopt a Family Program".

To raise money Student Council is hosting a cupcake-eating contest.

https://www.legacytreatment.org/news/legacy-holiday-gift-drive-and-adopt-a-family/

Collections will be held November 19th-December 14th

When: December 21, 2018 Time: During 8th period

Each homeroom will collectively raise \$40 dollars for the cause and send three students to the contest. The winner will win all the leftover cupcakes for their homeroom and an ice cream party in June!

This activity is a "Funtime Window" activity – any students with 9 or more discipline points will not be eligible to participate and will report to a study hall during the activity.



Send Warm Holiday Wishes to Help Local Families

The Medford Lakes Girl Scouts are selling holiday wishes to raise money to provide Holiday cheer for local families in need.

Wishes may be purchased between Dec. 3 and Dec. 14.

Wishes are \$1 each. Each wish may include your name and what you wish for during the holiday or upcoming New Year. The paper mitten or snowman purchased will also help warm up the winter scene in each school's APR. The more we decorate with mittens and snowmen, the more funds we will have to purchase holiday treats!

If you would like to support the wishes at **NOKOMIS** school, please complete the form below and return it with your wish on a mitten or snowman (template on following page) to school no later than Friday, Dec. 14 Please send in your donation (cash) in a sealed envelope with "Holiday Wishes" written on the front. Please deliver envelopes to the school's front office.

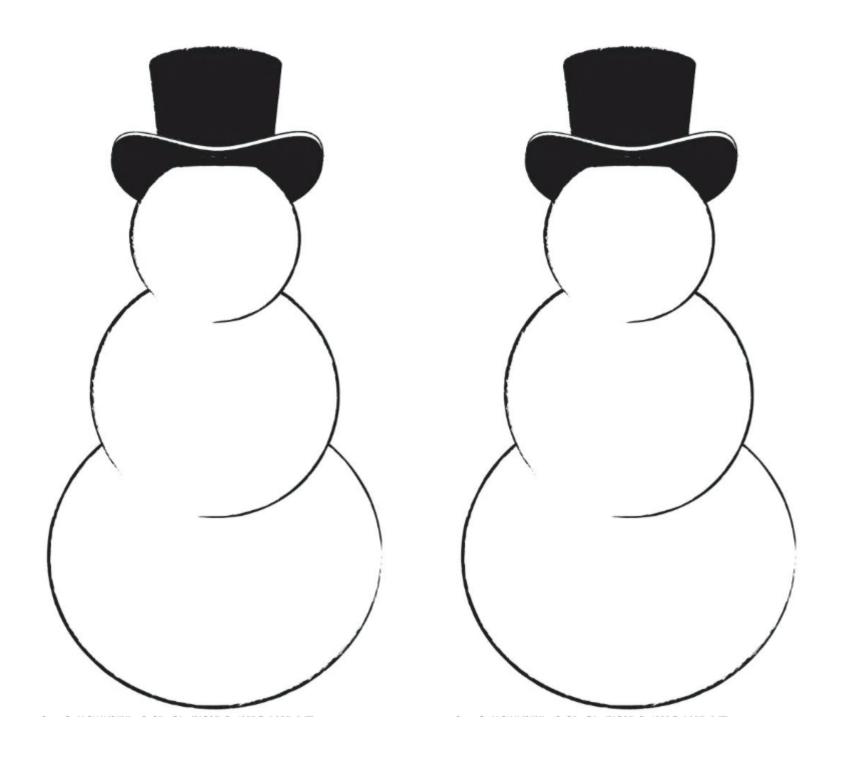
At **NEETA**, the wishes will be available for sale at each lunch period.

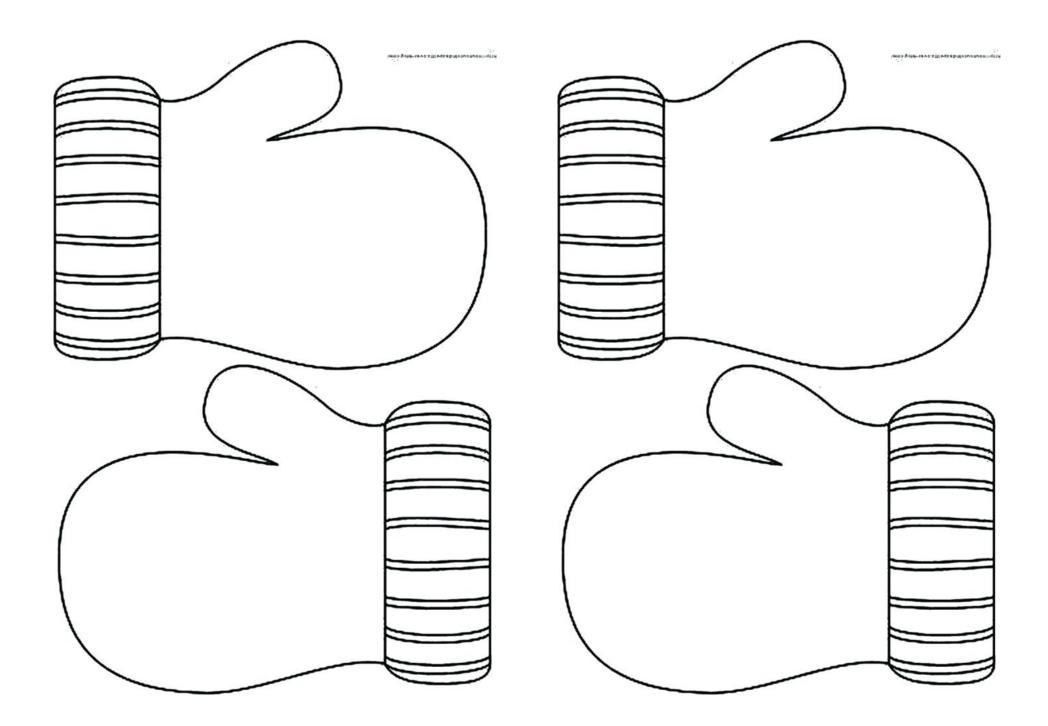
All donations are tax deductible.



| | Holiday Wishes |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| Family Name: | |
| Number of Wishes (@ \$1): | Total Amount: |

Thank you for supporting the Medford Lakes Girl Scouts!







Holiday Shopping Babysitting

Get your holiday shopping in while Girl Scout troops 24252 and 23039 will entertain your little elves!

Where: Vaughan Hall When: Dec. 8th and Dec. 22nd, 10am-4pm

For more information or to RSVP you can contact our troops at Juliammoore@yahoo.com or you can call us at 202-253-0207

We hope to see you there!









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sand stand \$5 Gift Card

With EVERY \$25 Gift Card you buy!
Dec 1 - Dec 24





Put on your holiday best & bring your wish lists for Santa. Doggies are invited too!

Visithwith Santa!

~Santa is coming to~

The Sand Stand

Thursday, December 13th 5pm-6:30pm Saturday, December 15th 3pm-4:30pm

Enjoy 20% off during your visit* (exludes candy and retail itmes)

Olivia's handmade Pinecone Firestarters



A project to fund my fun.

I make my fire- starters from recycled ingedienats. They are safe to burn inside a fireplace or in a firepit.

They're the perfect gift for the person that has everything. They don't add clutter your home. They don't add to your waisteline. You just light them on fire and enjoy.

To order:

- 1. Use the form below and return it to school Attn: Olivia Coolidge 5th grade or,
- 2. Email mayamiddlebury@gmail.com with the number of type and number of packages you would like.

Thank you, Olivia Coolidge, age 10



Medium Bakery Box, mixed medium sizes



Larger Bakery Box, mixed sizes



Small Bag, smaller cones

** Holiday seasonal packages come in a combination of colors –red, green, blue, glittered, and some are scented.

Sizes vary from 1/2" filler cones to 4". Most pine cones are 2-3" in size. Pictured to the left is a close-up of my product.

| | Order Form | | | |
|---------------|---|--------------------|----------------|--|
| | | Number of packages | | |
| First Name | | | Small Bag \$3 | |
| Last Name | | | Medium Box \$4 | |
| Phone Number | | | Large Box \$5 | |
| Email Address | | Total # | Total \$ Due: | |
| Payment: | Check or cash. Please make checks out to: C | Olivia Coolidge | | |

IT'S FAST! IT'S FUN! IT'S GIRLS LACROSSE!

Registration is now open for the 2019 Spring Lacrosse Season! Please visit:

www.myaa.net to register

Registration cost: \$230 with uniform \$200 if using last years uniform \$105 for Scoopers For more information please visit the Girls Lacrosse Page at myaa.net

Registration also includes FREE indoor clinics with college coaches starting January 5th!

These clinics are a great way for beginner players to learn the basics of the game while they give more experienced players a chance to warm up for the season!

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U6 Scoopers: PreK-K U8: 1st and 2nd grade U10: 3rd and 4th grade U12: 5th and 6th grade U14: 7th and 8th grade







FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Why do we register in November for a "spring" sport?

The league we play in - South Jersey Youth Lacrosse - requires us to submit the number of teams we will have in each division as well as the flight levels of the older groups, by the first week of February. We have to hold our registrations this early so we can determine how many teams we will have at each age group, so we can schedule pre-season indoor clinics in January and so we can get players sized and order their uniforms in time.

Will players from Nokomis & Neeta play on the same team?

We like to keep players at the U6, U8 and U10 level with friends or classmates whenever possible. The higher level U12 and U14 teams are formed after player evaluations to give each player an opportunity to develop her lacrosse skills in a challenging environment with players of comparable skill level.

Is this a travel or rec program?

MYAA Girls Lacrosse is a TRAVEL program. However, unlike other travel programs (i.e., soccer and basketball) there are NO CUTS. Any girl, who wants to play, will play in our program.

Our teams play in the South Jersey Youth Lacrosse League. This league has 22+ local programs participating from Avalon to Moorestown and from Northern Burlington to Woodstown.

When are games and practices?

Practices typically begin in early March, weather permitting, most coaches hold practices twice a week based upon their schedules. Games for U6 and U8 are usually on Saturday afternoon with U10, U12 and U14 playing on Sunday afternoons. Our season starts during the last week of March and runs for 8 weeks. There are no games Easter weekend, but we do play on Mother's Day.



Burlington County Health Department Flu Shot Thursdays

Getting a flu shot is the best thing you can do to protect your family from getting the flu this season.

Admir Glimies

Adult clinics are for individuals 18 years and older. No children will be vaccinated.



Ghildren's Glinics

Children's clinics will offer both child and adult shots.

Glinic Schedule 2018-2019

Date and Time

Dec 6 - CHILD 4:00 pm-6:00pm

Dec. 13 9:30 am-11:00 am

Dec. 13 1:00 pm-2:30 pm

Dec. 20 9:30 am-11:00 pm

Dec. 20 1:00 pm-2:30 pm

Dec. 27 - CHILD 4:00 pm -6:30 pm

Jan. 3 - CHILD 9:30 am-11:00 pm

Jan. 10 - CHILD 9:30 am - 11:00 am

Location

Burlington County Health Dept. 15 Pioneer Blvd., Westampton

Carslake Community Center 207 Crosswicks St., Bordentown

FOP Community Center 69 Main St., Roebling

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www.co.burlington.nj.us/health 609-265-5533





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RING IN THE NEW YEAR LAKER STYLE!



New York drops a ball...Medford Lakes drops a canoe! Back by popular demand, the Mad Paddlers present the 3rd Medford Lakes Canoe Drop on New Year's Eve! We will be hosting two events this year for Medford Lakes residents on Monday, December 31st. Both events are free to attend. However, the concession sales and donations will help cover the costs of the event.

Kid friendly NYE Canoe Drop

From 5:30-6:30 PM, we will host a family friendly event which will include music and fire pits. The Canoe Drop will happen at precisely 6 PM. S'mores kits, treats, and hot chocolate will be available for purchase. All kids must be accompanied by an adult.

Midnight NYE Canoe Drop

The main event will start at 11:00 PM and conclude at 12:30 AM. The MLPD has asked that everyone be off the beach by 12:30 AM. Please note that many members of our community are coming together to make this event happen: Police Department, Fire Department, ML Colony, etc. Please make sure that all attendees are being respectful of, and adhering to, all Colony and Borough rules during the event, so that this event can continue to happen year after year.

Please join us as we ring in 2019 Laker-style!

Questions - please email the Mad Paddlers at madpaddlersML@gmail.com

MEDFORD LAKES SCHOOL DISTRICT

Special Education Parent Advisory Committee



JOIN US

for our

LAKERS' SEPAC MEETING:

Thursday,
December 20, 2018
6:30pm
Neeta School LIBRARY

All Are Welcome! Child Care Services Provided

AGENDA ITEMS -

- Public Discussion on LAKERS' SEPAC Bylaws
- LAKERS' SEPAC 2018-2019 Goals & Activities
 - Results of 1st Fundraiser
 - MLSD Preschool UPDATE
 - Special Education News from Dr. Lee
 - Data ... Data ... Data
 - Mindfulness/Yoga in February 2019

RSVP to Director of Special Education, Michael J. Lee, Ed.D., 609-654-5155, x101, or mlee@medford-lakes.k12.nj.us

LAKERS' SEPAC

Each board of education shall ensure that a special education parent advisory group is in place in the district to provide input to the district on issues concerning students with disabilities.

New Jersey Administrative Code (N.J.A.C.) 6A:14-1.2(h)



LAKERS' SEPAC Executive Council:

President, Melissa Warren
Vice President, Rachael L. Urban
Secretary, Courtney Haney
Treasurer, Shaindy Black
Nokomis School Parent Representative, Megan Melograna
Neeta School Parent Representative, Renee Powell

MLSD Director of Special Education, Michael J. Lee

SAVE THE DATE!

Thursday, <u>December 20</u>, 2018, 6:30pm Neeta School LIBRARY

MEDFORD LAKES BOARD OF EDUCATION

44 Neeta Trail Medford Lakes, NJ 08055

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Nurture...Challenge...Support

Anthony V. Dent, Superintendent / Principal Neeta School Michael F. Colling, Business Administrator/Board Secretary Carole Ramage, Director of Curriculum / Principal Nokomis School Dr. Michael Lee, Director of Special Services

2018-2019 MILK ORDER FORM

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| December (| due 11/16): | 14 | \$0.40 | \$5.60 |
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| March | (due 2/14): | 18 | \$0.40 | \$7.20 |
| May | (due 3/15): (due 4/12): | 21 | \$0.40 \$0.40 | \$6.00 \$8.40 |
| June * Beginning October 1st - E | (due 5/17): | | \$0.40 | \$4.00 |
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| 4. ANNUAI | _ PAYMEN | T OPTION: | | \$60.80 |

Please make checks payable to "Medford Lakes Board of Education"

*Students absent for any reason will not be given credit or reimbursed
Daily milk purchases will continue to be offered at a cost of \$0.40 each
"Charging" milk will only be allowed on an emergency basis