

Message From The Principal 5-22-20 - Dr. Hoffman

May 22, 2020

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s):

It is hard to believe that it is Memorial Day weekend. This weekend, we usually all come together and show our appreciation for our veterans with the Island Park Parade. I am always impressed by the amount of people who come out of their homes and line the parade route. Although the parade won't happen this year, I encourage all to remember our Veterans and all the sacrifices they made for our country.

Beginning the week of June 1st, we will begin the delivery of each student's locker contents/ personal belongings. As we drop-off personal belongings, we will also pick-up District property that the students are ***NOT*** currently using for distance learning; i.e. classroom or library books and textbooks.

Please note, however, that we will not deliver or pick-up from students who are currently using District-owned Chromebooks and/or instruments, on loan for distance learning, until ***after*** school has officially ended for students on June 15th. Prior to the delivery/pick-up, each family will receive a phone call from a District representative with specific delivery/pick-up instructions and an estimated time for delivery/pick-up (a two-hour window).

As a follow up to Dr. Bovino's letter, I have listed below all the upcoming virtual events:

- Thursday, May 28, 2020 – 10:00 AM - 7th Grade NYC Virtual Trip
- Friday, May 29, 2020 – 10:00 AM - 8th Grade Washington D.C. Virtual Trip
- Tuesday, June 2, 2020 – 7:00 PM -National Junior Honor Society Virtual Induction Ceremony
- Thursday, June 11, 2020 – 7:00 PM – 7th and 8th Grade Virtual Awards Ceremony
- Monday, June 15, 2020 – Noon – Report Cards
- Tuesday, August 18, 2020 – 7:00 PM – Graduation (tentatively)

For each event, parents will be receiving a program with students' names. A link will be posted on the Island Park website as well as the Lincoln Orens Middle School webpage during the above listed times for your convenience.

Further information regarding how to access the virtual events will be forthcoming.
Together we are stronger!

Thank you,

Bruce Hoffman, Ed.D.
Principal