



# The Police Officer Rocco Laurie School

## INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL 72

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PETER MACELLARI

Principal

September 15, 2017

Dear Parents,

I am pleased to announce that we will be hosting an "Open House" on September 28, 2017 from 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. I am aware that it is only the beginning of the school year and Intermediate School Placement is the last thing on your mind. I believe it is important that we start now since you will be making Middle School Placement selections very shortly.

The meeting will be held in the student cafeteria promptly at 6:30 p.m. The following topics will be addressed:

- The Articulation Process
- Articulation Time Line
- Language Selection
- Principal/Teacher Recommendation
- Zoning

The first 30 minutes will be hosted by Ms. Curran (6<sup>th</sup> Grade Assistant Principal) and Ms. Karasinski (6<sup>th</sup> Grade Guidance Counselor) and myself. At approximately 7:00 p.m. you will be directed to current 6<sup>th</sup> Grade classrooms and you will have the opportunity to meet with the teachers who will be providing instruction to your children next year. These core teachers will give you a brief overview of what the curriculum looks like in each of the major subject areas. Once the teachers have finished, you then have the option to either leave or visit any of the minor track teachers. All parents are expected to exit the building at 7:30 p.m.

Please be aware that I.S. 72 is a "zoned" Intermediate School. We are only offering this invitation to parents of students who reside within our zone and currently attend our five feeder schools (P.S. 26, P.S. 54, P.S. 58, P.S. 60 and P.S. 69). In addition, since we are addressing articulation and curriculum issues at this meeting, **there will be no children permitted in the building.** We intend to offer an additional night in the Spring just for the students entering our school next September.

I hope you will be able to join us on September 28, 2017 from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Should you have any questions, please feel free to call Ms. Rufo, our Parent Coordinator, at (718) 698-5757.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Peter Macellari". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Peter Macellari  
Principal

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