

THE RAIDER REPORT

Celebrating our aMAYSing Raiders

Our Raiders had an aMAYSing time hosting the cast of Hamilton this week.



MAYS HIGH SPORTS SCHEDULE

Mays Football

Mays vs Westlake Sept. 17th at 8 pm
Location: Westlake High

Mays Softball

Mays vs Hapeville Charter @ Hapeville
Sept. 14th at 5:30

Mays vs Miller Grove @ Miller Grove
Sept. 16th at 5:30

Mays Volleyball

Mays vs Miller Grove @ Miller Grove
Sept. 14th at 6 pm

Mays vs Booker T Washington @ Mays
Sept. 16th at 6 pm

Raider Parent University

Do you want to get more involved in the learning and experience of your Raider, but need more info on how to do so?
Join us for Raider University, Semester One!
This meeting will take place via Zoom.

The Balancing Act: Maintaining Peace and the Whole Child

Join our School Social Workers and our partners at Family Ties as we work to heal the ties that bond. We will discuss how to work as partners with our students to ensure their emotional and academic success.

September 13th
@ 6 p.m.

Click on the link on our website to access the event

Greetings Raider Family,

On Tuesday, our school board recognized and celebrated our school's 40 years of excellence. During the celebration, we all had the opportunity to listen and learn about Dr. Mays' sacrifice as he worked to integrate our school district and fought to ensure that all students, regardless of their race, had access to a quality education. It is an honor to walk in the footsteps of his legacy and the countless people who have helped empower, teach, and lead our aMAYSing scholars over the last 40 years.

Hispanic Heritage Month

Next week begins the start of Hispanic Heritage Month. We are thankful for the numerous contributions our Latin Community has made to our society. Join us in celebrating their rich history.

Parents, we need your help. Please talk to your students and check Infinite Campus to ensure they are turning in all assignments. If your child needs help with one of his/her classes, please reach out to the teacher(s) to schedule a conference. We do have Parent Conference Night on September 21st. Additional details will be provided in the near future. Let's help our students start and end strong. Please let us know how we can help. Have an aMAYSing weekend.

Sincerely,
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NATIONAL HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

September 15 to October 15

Georgia Honor's Program

Nominations September 13 - 25, 2021

Ask your teacher and/or counselor for more information

[Georgia Honor Information Link](#)

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Grands & Kin's
Monthly Support Group Meeting

Date: September 15th, 2021
Time: 10:00 AM- 11:30 AM

ZOOM Information:
Meeting ID: 846 3258 8852

Click here 

To Call In:
Dial: 929-436-2866
Put in the meeting ID: 846 3528 8852
Then, put in access code: 762892#

Please email or call to register:
LINDA SANDERS AT 770-599-7529
linda.sanders@grandmashandsoutreach.org

Universal Behavior Screener

The universal screener will be administered the week of Sep. 16– Oct. 1. To opt out of the universal screener, please return the opt out form by September 15.



SOCIAL
EMOTIONAL
LEARNING

Family Engagement Corner

SEL Competency: Self-Awareness

This week our students learned that dreaming big means taking a chance on themselves, being willing to take risks, and dreaming bigger dreams than they ever imagined possible!

Quote of the week: "Dare to dream, then decide to do." --Annette White

Here are some ways that you can help reinforce this mindset at home:

- Encourage your child to write down a list of all of their positive strengths. Encourage them to place the list in an area that they will see often.
- Don't be a dream snatcher! Resist the urge to give your child reality checks, no matter what their dreams are. Constantly push your child to dream bigger, and never be the doubter or pessimist.
- Keep an emotional journal. Encourage the student to take time daily to understand and explore their emotions. This journal can be digital as well.
- Ask your child to set a realistic goal for the week and write down the steps to achieve the goal. Have the student check in evaluate their progress towards achieving their goal.

Helpful Resources: <http://www.7mindsets.com> <https://www.edutopia.org/SEL-parents-resources>

SEL Book of the Month

