

# **Huntington Middle School**

"Where every child is a valued and active learner"

Principal Mr. Jason Kurtenbach

Assistant Principal Mrs. Patricia Godfrey

# **Open House**

Thursday, April 30, 2015

# 5:30 - 7:00 Dinner

# Austyn's

(burgers & fries)

# The Lobos Truck (Mexican)

### **Mighty Boba**

(Chinese/Taiwanese & Boba teas)

#### **Paradise**

(cookies & ice cream)

## At the Lunch Court Blacktop

5:30 Welcome Karen Wicke PTA President & Jennifer Chuang Incoming PTA President
5:35 HMS Spartan Band, Dr. Bill McDaniel Director
5:50 HMS Varsity Band, Dr. Bill McDaniel Director
6:05 HMS Jazz Band, Derek Jamieson, Director
6:15 Parent's Greeting, Jason Kurtenbach, Principal

# 6:15 - 7:15 In Classrooms!

### Playing in the Library Courtyard

6:15 - 6:35 The HMS Orchestra Ensemble, directed by Rob Folsom
6:35 - 6:55 The HMS Wind Ensemble, directed by Dr. Bill McDaniel
6:55 - 7:15 The HMS Choirs, directed by Derek Jamieson

#### The 100's

- **102 Mrs. Dominguez** ¡Bienvenidos a la noche de Casa Abierta! Welcome to Open House, come by room 102 to see the posters and other projects students have created through out the school year.
- **103 Ms. Nitta & Ms. Downey** 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Physical Science Come take a peek at the planet projects. They are out of this world! Feast your eyes on our functioning edible cars. Enjoy some familiar faces in our slide show. Download the Aurasma app. and follow our channel to participate in our interactive projects.
- <u>105 Mr. Condie</u> Welcome to the magnificent world of biology. View student work and specimens used for the classification unit.
- <u>106 Ms. Wong</u> Welcome to the magnificent world of biology. View student work and specimens used for the classification unit.
- 107 Ms. Roberts Come check out the amazing work; class projects, student writing & a classroom slide-show.
- <u>108 Mrs. Drake</u> Learning to be a strong writer is a complex process. Studying the writing traits: ideas, organization, word choice, fluency,conventions, voice and presentation helps students understand what is working and what needs improvement. Stop by Mrs. Drake's room to see 7<sup>th</sup> grade English writing assignments on display.
- **109 Mr. Jamieson** Mr. Jamieson's jazz band will be performing out on the lunch court. Mr. Jamieson's choirs will be performing in the library courtyard.
- <u>110 Ms. Brown</u> See examples of a Math 8 Common Core Project and an Algebra Common Core Performance Task.
- 111 Mrs. Zumberge See examples of student work produced by the students in Mrs. Zumberge's classes.
- <u>112 Mrs. Fong</u> Come see Mrs. Fong's 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Social Studies class where art, literature and projects from the Medieval Times will be on display.
- <u>113 Mrs. Macedo</u> Stop by the art room to see a variety of 2-Dimensional and 3-Dimensional artwork by 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade art students.

#### The 200's

- **201 Ms. Jones** See projects created by Ms. Jones' 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> grade English and Study Skills classes. You'll also have fun reading our figurative language, poetry and book projects. Please vote for your favorite 'photo quotes'. We have dozens of photographs captioned by our hard working students.
- **202 Ms. Hang** Come see Ms. Hang's 7<sup>th</sup> grade (Pre-Algebra) and 8<sup>th</sup> grade (Algebra) Math Class. Various student work will be displayed ranging from homework, class notes, entrance/exit slips, performance tasks and projects.
- **203 Mr. Miller** See the writing on the wall (literally) as well as the writing in their portfolios and online (visit their turnitin.com account).
- <u>204 Mrs. Brunner</u> Come visit Mrs. Brunner's room to admire and enjoy the many English and Social Studies projects her outstanding 6<sup>th</sup> graders have created!
- **205 Mr. Fitzgibbons** Come by Mr. Fitzgibbons' 6<sup>th</sup> grade Math and Science class. A variety of student created Math and Science projects will be on display. You can roll up your sleeves and perform several of the hands-on science activities we have done this year.

- **207 Mr. Olson** Challenge your geometric thinking by playing the Volume Game and seeing the creative ways that our teams found mathematical objects in the real world. All are welcome!
- **208 Mr. Stopford** Come see Mr. Stopford's 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Social Studies class. Parents can browse student work via the student Chromebook Google Drive. Watch the 7<sup>th</sup> grade slide show and 7<sup>th</sup> grade movie clips. Also, student projects will be on display for parents to view.

#### The 300's

- <u>301 Mrs. Oh</u> Come and see our awesome work on environmental issues, "A World in a Bottle", and math projects! <u>303 Mr. Dahlstein</u> See weather disaster and environmental reports, student recipes using proportions, and math mastery of standards through comics. Are you a survivor? Take our environmental challenge.
- <u>304 Mrs. Dahlstein</u> Bon Appetite. Check out our math proportions that converted our student's favorite recipes to feed a classroom, 3-D Polyhedrons with surface area and volume, student's timelines using positive and negative integers, and get acquainted with today's Environmental Issues.
- <u>305 Mr. Chacon</u> Come see the work students have achieved as they embark on their way to achieving mastery of the English language. You will see examples of their writing on the walls, as well as preview the English elements they have studied during the year.
- <u>307 Mrs. Negroe</u> Welcome to Mrs. Negroe's 6<sup>th</sup> grade English and Social Studies class where wonderful displays of student work await you! Come see Dragon Help-Wanted Posters, Acrostic Poetry, Comic Strip Book Reports, 3-D Dioramas, student-generated art in our Egyptology Museum, and much more!
- 308 Mrs. Moffat Come celebrate the hard work and achievements of Mrs. Moffat's 6th Grade English and Social Studies classes!
- <u>309 Mrs. Doan</u> The adventure of Mrs. Doan's 6<sup>th</sup> Grade English and social studies classes will be on will be display. Come and celebrate all our hard work!
- <u>306 Mrs. Thor/Mr. Yano</u> Come and see our scale drawings and a variety of math projects. Welcome to Yano Sensei's Japanese class to see students' work, and also picture slides of class activities.
- <u>300 Mrs. Wadsworth</u> Ms. Wadsworth, our HMS Speech-Language Pathologist and Rotary Interact Club Advisor, resides in HMS 300. Our HMS Peace Garden is open this evening. Stop by and see our club house or select an heirloom tomato or basil for your home garden. Donations support maintenance of our garden and community projects.

#### The 400's

- <u>401 Mrs. Bruner</u> Come to Mrs. Bruner's room to see what your 8<sup>th</sup> grader is reading and writing about in English class. <u>402 - Mrs. Nordsten</u> - Writing, writing, and more writing!" Come to Mrs. Nordsten's class and see all that we've been doing in 8<sup>th</sup> grade English.
- 404 Mrs. Maines -
- <u>403 Ms. McManus</u> Stop by Room 403 to see creative posters and entertaining videos made by students on how to work with fractions. Our history students have been working on Egyptian art and will be proudly displaying their work. We'll also have available examples of typical assignments, assessments and other resources.
- **406 Ms. King** Ms. King's class has a variety of Earth Day projects displayed. Come and see acrostics, mini books, and mini globes!
- <u>407 Fitness Lab</u> Get ready to test your strength and endurance in our new fitness lab. Try your hand at our rowing, rope climbing and various other strength, flexibility and cardiovascular fitness machines. While there, you can also meet our great PE staff.

## Other Points of Interest

- <u>Homeroom Doors</u> Special Display- Homeroom Doors were decorated by students as part of a College Week activity. Students decorated their homeroom doors after researching an assigned college and exploring possible college matches to their career interests. Students will participate in a College Fair assembly on Friday where college presenters will talk about their programs as well as how middle school students can start preparing now for college.
- <u>Hutto Lab Mr. Hoang</u> Different Various Programs students have been using throughout the year. iMovie, Thing-link, Google Docs, Google Slides, Chromecart Display, pad Cart display, random recordings of concerts on the big screen, Oars reports, etc.
- <u>Library Mrs. Ma</u> We will have some project exhibits from Social Studies classes, display of books we're using for researching and new library books for the Open House.

# We hope you enjoy your evening!