

# O'Maley Innovation Middle School

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Grade 8 students will celebrate a successful year with these important events:

<b>Peabody Museum @ Harvard</b>	Friday, June 14 & Monday, June 17
<b>Field Day</b>	Wednesday, June 19 9:30a.m. – 1:20p.m.
<b>Clean-up Day/Rehearsal/Yearbooks</b>	Wednesday, June 19
<b>Stone Zoo Trip</b>	Thursday, June 20 9:15a.m. – 1:30p.m.
<b>Luau</b>	Thursday, June 20 6:00p.m. – 8:30p.m.
<b>PTO Breakfast</b>	Friday, June 21 8:30a.m. – 9:30a.m.
<b>Closing Ceremonies</b>	Friday, June 21 10:00a.m. -11:00a.m.

Each year these events provide 8<sup>th</sup> Graders with an opportunity to demonstrate their personal growth, scholarship, teamwork, and leadership in the school community.

**Peabody Museum** – The 8<sup>th</sup> grade will be split into 2 groups to attend this trip. Permission slip will be sent home separately.

**Field Day** is a traditional Grade 8 day of supervised games and activities at Stage Fort Park. Dress and manners should be school-appropriate. **(Swimming is not permitted.) Please remind your child to bring sunscreen and water.** Student may bring a bag lunch or buy a lunch at the Cupboard for this event. Students will walk to and be bussed back from Stage Fort Park. Students may be dismissed from Stage Fort Park if the permission slip below is returned by **Monday, June 17, 2013.**

**Clean-up Day** – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Students should bring bags/trash bags if needed to bring home any of their possessions.

**Rehearsal** – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Students will be rehearsing for the Closing Ceremony.

**Yearbook** – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Yearbooks will be distributed.

**Stone Zoo Trip** – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Field Trip. **STUDENTS MUST BE PRESENT ON THIS DAY, THURSDAY, JUNE 20<sup>TH</sup>.**

**PARTICIPATION IN THE EVENING LUAU DEPENDS ON ATTENDANCE. Cost for Stone Zoo \$10.00** permission slip will be sent home separately.

**The Luau** is a Celebration dance for all 8<sup>th</sup> graders! The O'Maley PTO generously sponsors the evening, so there is no fee associated with the Luau! The Luau Committee has planned an unforgettable experience for our deserving graduating class.

**PTO Breakfast** is our final get-together. The O'Maley PTO sponsors yet another event for students, and the "bagel & cream cheese" social is greatly appreciated.

**The Closing Ceremony** is an opportunity for family, guardians, friends and staff to celebrate academic accomplishments of our students. Please join us as the **Class of 2017** walks across our stage for the last time.

We would like to thank you for your support this year. It has allowed us to deepen our school S.A.I.L.S. connections to Service, Acceptance, Integrity, Leadership, Success ~ and the O'Maley Innovation Middle School community.

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**FIELD DAY PERMISSION SLIP --- PLEASE SIGN BELOW AND RETURN TO SCHOOL BY Monday, 6/17/13.**

I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_, to participate in Grade 8 Field Day on Wednesday, 6/19/13.

\_\_\_\_\_ I will pick up my child at 1:00p.m. in front of the Cupboard on June 19.

\_\_\_\_\_ My child will be picked up by \_\_\_\_\_ (another adult) at 1:00p.m. in front of the cupboard on 6/19.

\_\_\_\_\_ My child can walk home from Stage Fort Park at 1:00p.m.

\_\_\_\_\_ My child will return by bus to O'Maley School for regular 2:00p.m. dismissal.

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Parent signature

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Phone number