

O'MALEY

Innovation Middle School



O'Maley Happenings – Friday, March 11, 2016

What's happening at O'Maley this week???

Early Release Days –

Thursday, March 17th is an Early Release 11:00am – Parent/Teacher Conferences.

Friday, March 25th is an Early Release 11:00am ~ Good Friday.

Book Fair - The O'Maley Library Learning Commons will be sponsoring a Book Fair supplied by Scholastic Book Fairs. The fair will begin on Monday, March 28th and continue through Friday, April 1st. Students will attend the book fair during an assigned time by their grade level ELA class. The book fair will be open during the Night of Excellence on March 29th from 6pm-8pm.

Word Generation!!!

In Word Generation, new words coming up across all content areas next week are: **disclaimer, prescription, potential, assume, rely**. These words come from a passage asking, "Should drug companies be allowed to advertise prescription drugs on TV?" Ask your kids about the topics, and the words! Join the conversation!

Message from the Bus Dept. - Bus # 14 will transport the O'Maley students, along with her own students, from bus #15 in the morning and the students from bus # 5 in the afternoon.

Attn: Grade 7 Students interested in next year's WASHINGTON DC

Trip: Please sign-up by the end of March.

"Evening of Excellence" Tuesday, March 29th! More info to follow.

O'Maley Academy Drama Club presents Disney's *The Lion King Jr.*

6 public performances over the first 3 weekends in March in the O'Maley Auditorium:
Tonight, March 11 @ 7:00 pm
Saturday, March 12 @ 1:00 pm
Friday, March 18 @ 7:00 pm
Saturday, March 19 @ 1:00 pm
Tickets: \$5 for students & seniors; \$7 for adults
(Available at the door and now on sale at all school lunches)

March Madness – week of March 21 – 25. More details to come!

Gloucester Education Foundation is proud to host our first POWER OF PLAY FESTIVAL

When: Sunday, March 20, 2016 11am-3pm

Where: Gloucester High School Field House

Who: Gloucester families and kids of all ages.

Admission \$5/family at the door.

Hosted by Gloucester Education Foundation and Sponsored by Cape Ann Savings Bank and Cape Ann Savings Trust & Financial Services Department
What: Gloucester Education Foundation is proud to host a day of play for Gloucester families. Play is an important learning tool that promotes creative and innovative thinking. Play also helps kids develop skills that are a foundation for life-long success, including critical thinking, communication, problem solving, and collaboration. The Power of Play Festival will feature fun family activities throughout the Field House like: a collaborative painting project; lego building challenges; music, movement (dance, sports & yoga), board games, sensory play tables (water, sand, goop, etc.) and LOTS more.

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