

# O'MALEY

## Innovation Middle School



### O'Maley Happenings – Friday, September 6, 2013

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#### ***We're off to a Great Start!!!***

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

**Student bio sheets and other important forms** were sent home this week...please update or fill out and return promptly to your child's homeroom teacher. Thank you

**O'Maley Drama Club** O'Maley Drama Club will be holding auditions for the spring production of "Fame Jr." after school, in the auditorium on Monday, September 16 and Wednesday, September 18 from 2:00PM-3:15PM. Students interested in being part of the cast or crew should pick up an audition packet ASAP at the cafeteria bulletin board. This audition packet - and more information about the Drama Club - may also be found at the Performing Arts website:

<https://sites.google.com/site/omaleymiddleperformingarts/drama-club> (it is important for this web address to appear all in one line/not split up or it will not work when people click on it)**Field Hockey** – 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> graders interested in playing field hockey – please pick up a registration packet in the Main Office. There will be a parent player meeting in the O'Maley Cafeteria on Monday, Sept. 9<sup>th</sup> @ 6pm.

#### **Look for it!!!!**

Yearbook order forms went home the first day. Yearbooks can be reserved/purchased for \$15.00 (Cash Only).

#### **Coming Soon.....**

Wednesday, September 18<sup>th</sup> – Back to School – Open House Night at O'Maley Innovation Middle School 6 – 8p.m. Student will be bring home their schedules.

#### **Grade Level Guidance –**

Kathy McLearn, Gr. 6 – 978-491-6807  
Paula Gray, Gr. 7 – 978-491-6806  
Mary White, Gr. 8 – 978-491-6808

#### **Message for Grade Level**

**Students.....** The O'Maley 8<sup>th</sup> grade is traveling to Washington, DC for 4 days in the spring, April 2-5, 2014. This trip promises to be an educationally oriented, fun-filled experience as we explore our nation's capital! Every student is welcome. Details for our trip are posted on

[www.SmithsonianStudentTravel.com](http://www.SmithsonianStudentTravel.com) and our tour number is: **1444377DV**. This number is needed to enroll. Enrollment by telephone is also available at 888-333-9756. The cost of the trip is \$699/student. If there is a family financial hardship, please write a confidential note to the group leader, assistant principal Jeff Strong ([jstrong@gloucester.k12.ma.us](mailto:jstrong@gloucester.k12.ma.us)), or guidance counselor Mary White ([marywhite@gloucesster.k12.ma.us](mailto:marywhite@gloucesster.k12.ma.us)). We will be working hard to raise funds to ensure that all who would like to participate are able. Please contact us if you are interested in helping out with this endeavor, or would like to contribute to help support a student's trip. A parent meeting will be held on Open House night, September 18<sup>th</sup>.

**Monthly Calendar Info.....** Student **Picture Day** is Tuesday, September 10<sup>th</sup>.

#### **PTO - Please join us for the first PTO meeting of the 2013-14 school year!**

We will be meeting in the school library at 6:30 p.m. on **Tuesday, September 10**. Everyone is invited and encouraged to join us. Beginning in October, the meetings will be held at 6:30 p.m. on the **FIRST** Tuesday of each month. The meetings last approximately one hour.

Lisa LeVasseur, PTO President