

# O'MALEY

## Innovation Middle School



### O'Maley Happenings – Thursday, May 25, 2017

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

**Staff Appreciation Luncheon** – *The Staff at O'Maley would like to thank Serena Low, Jackie Harwood, Kathy Clancy and many other parents that took the time out of their busy day to host a delicious luncheon on Wednesday, May 24th!!! Thank you*

**Honor a Teacher** – *As the end of the year approaches, GEF wants to remind you about its Honor a Teacher Program – perfect way to say "Thank you" to a special teacher! See attached info and form or visit [www.thinkthebest.org](http://www.thinkthebest.org)*

#### **Mulan Jr. DVDs now on sale!**

*Professionally filmed/edited DVDs of O'Maley Academy Drama Club's production of Mulan Jr. are now available to purchase at (the school's main office. Cost: \$10 (1 cast), \$15 (2 casts), \$20 (3 casts) - CASH ONLY (exact change is very helpful). Please note these DVDs are for personal, at-home viewing only. All proceeds from this fundraiser will go to Drama Club. Special thanks to Martin DelVecchio & David Lufkin*

#### **Minding Your Mind presentations at**

**O'Maley** From the O'Maley Guidance Department

- **Parents and Guardians**, please join the O'Maley Guidance Department for a **very important** evening program **Tuesday, May 30th at**

**6:30pm on ANXIETY AND DEPRESSION IN**

**ADOLESCENTS:** Recognizing symptoms and warning signs of mental illness, understanding how stress affects teens, and developing skills to help will be the focus of the presentation. The **Minding Your Mind** organization will be here with their *Just Talk About It* program and we encourage all to attend. Speaker Melissa Ann Rice will share her story of with struggle anxiety and depression and the follow up discussion will provide the tools needed to make positive changes. More information can be found at [mindingyourmind.org](http://mindingyourmind.org). This event will take place in the O'Maley auditorium.

**A Shout-out to our Cafeteria Workers** – *Jen Scala and Suzanne Lodge for being chosen as contestants on the new Fox TV Show "Beat Shazam", which airs on Thursdays at 8pm "Go Jen & Suzanne"*

#### **Schooner Adventure Trip**

*This trip will take place on:*

*Saturday June 10th from 12:30 - 4:00*

*Pick up and drop off will be at the Schooner Adventure dock located at... Maritime Gloucester, Harriet Webster Pier 23 Harbor Loop, Gloucester, MA*

**The first 45 students to sign up are ensured a spot!** *Students MUST have been a part of O'Maley Academy in the 2016-17 school year to attend the trip. There are still open spots! Sing Up Here! ----[Schooner Sign Up!](#)*

**Flag Day Essay contest** – *Gloucester Lodge of Elks #892 – will give (3) winners \$100 for the best Flag Day Essay. Three students, one from each grade level will be selected by the principal before June 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017. Ceremony will be at the Gloucester Elks on Wednesday, June 14<sup>th</sup> at 6pm*

#### **Help! We need Community Service Hours!**

*Any O'Maley student or staff member that has volunteered in any capacity since the start of the school year, even if it's only for 1-2 hours should submit their hours to count in our all-school goal. You can easily do this by going on the O'Maley website and clicking on Community Service in the left column. That will bring you right to the form. It's simple and easy to fill out!!*

#### **O'Maley Academy Summer Programs!**

*O'Maley Academy camps are FREE for all students entering grades 6-9. Please look at our offerings using the link below! Signups are accessible online... please register ASAP!*

[O'Maley Academy Summer Programs](#)

**Please join us:** *Final Concert for Band and Chorus on Wednesday June 7th 6:00pm at the O'Maley Auditorium. Admission is free!*