

MACARTHUR MIDDLE SCHOOL

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MMS—HARD WORKS, PAYS OFF!

Dear Parents,

Welcome to the 2011-2012 school year at MacArthur Middle School. This school year is sure to provide a multitude of experiences for our students. The faculty at MacArthur is a highly qualified and energetic group of educators driven towards academic excellence. In addition to high academic expectations, we also want students to grow both personally and socially in their time as a Scot. We encourage all students to get involved with at least one of the various teams, clubs, or groups we have available. The middle school years are unique and unlike any other time in a person's life. Our goal is to see each student strive to continuously improve and develop a love of learning.

Students may pick up schedules at the school August 9-11. At least one parent must accompany students to pick up their schedules. This is necessary due to parent signatures required on documents to complete enrollment. Also, 7th grade students must have a new TDap vaccine before entering school. Schedules for 8th graders will be available August 9, 7th grade schedules on August 10, and 6th grade schedules on August 11. Hours to pick up schedules will be 8:30 A.M.-11:30 A.M. each day.

Fall sports will begin soon and there is important information you need. All student athletes must have a current physical on file before participating in any practices or games. Here is the schedule for physical examinations, as well as the schedule for the first day of practice for each of the fall sports. For more information visit www.lilmac.org.

PHYSICALS

Sport	Date	Time	Place
Football	August 2	5:30 P.M.	MHS
Softball	August 3	5:30 P.M.	EHS
Volleyball	August 3	5:30 P.M.	EHS

PRACTICE

Sport	Date	Time	Place
Football	August 6	9:00 A.M.	MMS Auxiliary Gym
Softball	July 29	8:00 A.M.	Softball Field
Volleyball	August 1	9:00 A.M.	MMS Main Gym

We look forward to working with you and your child as we move forward in our mission helping every student achieve excellence in living and learning. There is no doubt that this will be an outstanding year because we know that working together, "We make the difference."

Sincerely,

Mark Mattingly