**The 8th Grade Fun Day and Celebration are both this Wednesday, June 8th!**

Important Info and Reminders:

* 8th grade students will be receiving their 8th Grade T-shirt during lunch on Wednesday, June 8th and putting them on before they get onto the bus for Fun Day.
* Students should remember, on Wednesday, to wear whatever pants or shorts they would like to wear with their new 8th grade t-shirt. **All bottoms (pants, shorts, skirts) must be school appropriate**. **Skirts, white shorts and white pants are not recommended because of the bumper boats (they will get wet)!** If clothing is inappropriate, students will be asked to change. If the student does not have anything appropriate to change into, they may not be allowed to go to Fun Day.
* **Students should bring a snack to school to eat after they get back from the Fun Center. Snacks can be kept in their locker**. Students will return around 5pm and have time to eat a quick snack before the parent part of the Celebration begins at 5:30pm. The Celebration does not end until 6:30pm or later. If students do not bring a snack, they may be starving by the end of the celebration (since they eat lunch at 11:15am on Wednesdays).
* Students may choose to bring spending money to the Family Fun Center to purchase extra game tokens, ride tickets, or snacks from the snack bar.
* Backpacks, drawstring bags and shoulder bags are not allowed. Girls are allowed to bring small purses if necessary, but please remember that purses are not allowed on rides, and there really isn’t anywhere safe to leave them. The Fun Center is still open to the public while we are there. It will not likely be crowded, but there may be people there that are not part of our group. All personal items should be left at school in a student’s locker. Students are responsible for keeping track of phones, wallets, small purses, and any other items, if they choose to bring them.
* All students will be assigned a bus and they must ride the same bus to and from the Fun Center. Chaperones will be checking students onto and off the buses one at a time by name.
* We will be departing school by 12:15pm. We should arrive at the Family Fun Center by 1:15pm. Students have 2.5 hours to play from 1:15 – 3:45pm. Buses will depart the Fun Center at 3:45pm and bring students back to the school around 5pm (depending on traffic). Once the students return, they will have approximately 30 minutes to eat a snack, use the restroom, and find a seat with their friends in the chairs on the gym floor. ☺ The Parent Celebration will begin at 5:30pm.
* Due to the large number of students in this year’s 8th grade class, the 8th Grade Celebration is for immediate family only. Family members will be sitting in the bleachers for the celebration, which is approximately 60 minutes long. The program will include student speakers, six different 8th grade talent acts, a staff speaker and a baby picture slide show. Light refreshments (cookies and juice) will be served afterward.
* Please remember that parking can be a challenge at EMS during large events such as this. Please plan accordingly for parking, so you have time to get in and seated before the Celebration begins at 5:30pm.

Questions?

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