



Middle School Newsletter

Engagement, Assessment,
and Reflection-



creates the pathway to our
learning success!

From: Dr. Flaherty
Week of: March 6, 2017
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February /March 2017

Monday, March 6	A Day	<i>After school help 2:20- 2:50 p.m.</i>
Tuesday, March 7	B Day	<i>After school help 2:20- 2:50 p.m. Seusiccal Jr. 3:00 – 5:00 p.m./Band Room</i>
Wednesday, March 8	C Day	<i>After school help 2:20- 2:50 p.m. Seusiccal Jr. / 3:00 – 5:00 p.m./Band Room</i>
Thursday, March 9	E Day	<i>After school help 2:20 – 2:50 p.m. Seusiccal Jr. / 3:00 – 5:00 p.m./Band Room</i>
Friday, March 10	F Day	<i>STEM CLUB 2:30 – 3:30 p.m.</i>

Messages from Principal Flaherty: Join Us on Twitter @Masco_Principal.

Important Dates for Course Selection for 8th Graders

- February 28th-March 8th - Teachers and 8th grade students have conversations regarding course recommendations for Freshman year
- March 9th - Course Selection Information Night for parents – 6:30pm
- March 10th-March 16th – online course registration on PowerSchool for 8th grade students
- **Course Request Appeals Process** – If a student does not agree with the teacher recommendation for a specific class, the student must get the Appeals form from their guidance counselor. This form needs to be filled out by both the student and parent/guardian and must be turned in by **April 3rd** for the appeals process.

Masco Million:

Masco Million Results: **All Team weekly** results **43,807** and the **Grand total: 681,566** pages. We only have 318,489 pages left to meet our goal. When teams all record pages read, amazing page number totals result. Congratulations to the **teams** who submitted pages this week, your page totals are impressive! Please continue to encourage your students to enter pages read from their textbooks, short stories, or any other reading you do as a class. These figures represent the numbers logged in by 3:00 PM Thursday, March 2, 2017.

Team	Week Total	Total
7 Blue	34,410	121,346
7 Red	5,554	132,030
7 White	0	121,454
8 Blue	1,718	87,007
8 Red	0	91,810
8 White	2,125	127,919

Upcoming Dates of Importance

March 17, 2017	Trimester 2 Ends
April 3, 2017	Early Dismissal, 12:20 p.m.
April 4 & 5, 2017	Grade 7, MCAS ELA
April 6 & 7, 2017	Grade 8, MCAS ELA
April 10 – 13, 2017	MCAS Make up testing
April 14, 2017	Close at 11:30 a.m. for Spring Vacation/Homework Free Vacation
April 24, 2017	School reopens



Masconomet Girls' Softball is offering a SOFTBALL CLINIC for Girls Grades 2-8!

Girls' Softball Clinic - Get ready!

Saturday, March 18th

The 2017 Girls' Softball season is approaching!
This is a great chance to prepare for the season!

Join the players and coaches from the Masco Varsity program
to for an instructional softball clinic for girls in Grades 2-8 in the
Tri-Town (Middleton, Boxford & Topsfield)!

Cost: \$35

Location: Masco Field House - Saturday, March 18th

Grades 2-5: 8:00am-10am

Grades 6-8: 10:30am-12:30pm

Instructors: Masco Varsity Coach and her staff, with assist from Masco Varsity players

We will focus on proper fundamentals and technique in a coordinated fashion with the Masco Varsity program. We will also focus on proper swing mechanics, bunting drills, proper field mechanics, throwing techniques, base running and ball drills.



Please contact Bethany Blake at bethanyblake@comcast.net or call 617-840-4197 with questions. In your email, indicate: name of player, town where she is from, grade level, a parent/guardian contact email address & phone #.
Payment will be collected at the door.

All proceeds will benefit the Masco Softball program!

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OPEN GYM & More

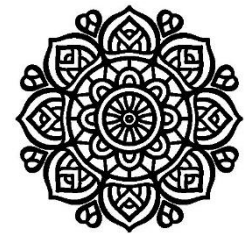
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Saturday,

March 11th from 7-9pm

@ Masco Field House

**Get off that couch!
Hoops, floor hockey, volleyball, and more!
Just want to hang out?
We've got board games, art stuff & more**



Open Gym is open to current Masco Middle & High School students.



Get some friends together for a pickup game, board game, hang out and draw - whatever...!

Remember... it's FREE & FUN!

Please bring your Masconomet School ID and your own water bottle

Open Gym Nights 2017 only two left this season! 3/11 and 3/25

Tri-Town Council and Masco are teaming up to host OPEN GYM NIGHTS for YOU!

Contact TTC with your questions (978) 887-6512

Find us on Facebook and Twitter too!