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New Information

Good afternoon everyone. Although it may go without saying, this has truly been a year we will never forget. I cannot express enough my appreciation for your support as we shifted to providing online instruction, just as many of you began to work from home. It is thanks to your dedication to working with our staff and your child that we were able to optimize our resources and provide the best possible educational experience given this unique situation. Thank you again! I'm looking forward to the day when we are able to have students in our classrooms as well as participating in clubs, sports, and activities that we feel are critical elements of providing a well-rounded education.

As we prepare for reopening our schools, I want you to know that we are organizing task forces to address various aspects of our operations and ensure a safe environment for our students, staff, and guests. These task forces will be led by members of our leadership team and be composed of staff, students, and community members - as well as parents. We will share information as decisions are made to keep you informed.

Thank you again and please continue to read additional communications from our district over summer as we plan to reopen in August. Take care and have a safe, enjoyable summer!

Last Chance to Pick Up Student Belongings is Tonight

This is a reminder that the last chance to gather your student's belongings will be later tonight from 5 - 7 p.m. at all Maumee school buildings. Each school should have already communicated specifics with their families.

Asking Students & Parents to Complete a Remote Learning Survey

Students in grades 4 - 11 have already received an email from their building principal that includes a link to a student survey about their remote learning experiences. Please encourage your child to complete their survey. And, parents, below is the link to the parent survey. We ask that you take a few minutes and complete a survey for each of your children so that we may gather your feedback regarding your family's remote learning educational experiences. I want to assure you that we read and value your feedback as every rating and comment is reviewed. [PARENT SURVEY LINK](#)

Parades Planned by Gateway, Wayne Trail, Fairfield, Fort Miami & Union Preschool
Community parades are happening in the afternoon/early tonight (May 21) and tomorrow (May 22) and the members of the MHS Class of 2020 will parade around Maumee on Sunday, May 24 beginning from the Michigan Street side of the Rec Center at 1 p.m. Their parade route is Michigan to River Road to Key to Dussel to Cass/Gibbs

to Wayne Trail to Ford. The senior class officers are the organizers for the high school parade and they are inviting the entire Maumee community to come out and send them off! Details about other school parades have already been sent to families.

Return of Electronic Devices & Textbooks

Parents are asked to return their child's borrowed Chromebook, as well as any textbooks they still have at home, between May 26 - 29. The collection will be completed by drive-through drop off in the Performing Arts Center parking lot (at the back of Maumee High School). **All elementary and middle school students who borrowed a device need to return it to the school district.**

Tuesday, May 26th -- 6:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Wednesday, May 27th -- 7:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Thursday, May 28th -- 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Friday, May 29th -- 7:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Virtual Summer Camp Planned for July - Registration is Now Open

Maumee City Schools will be hosting three weeks of a Virtual Summer Camp during the month of July (weeks of July 13, 20 and 27). The cost per week will be \$25. Included in the cost will be daily hands-on projects (with materials prepared ahead of time for your child) and a camp t-shirt. Students will be able to virtually connect with their camp teacher and other students via Zoom and also have the opportunity to share their creations at the end of each week. The themes for the weeks are Art & Music, Engineering and Coding & Makerspace. [LINK TO SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION FORM](#)

Reopening of School Buildings by Appointment Only

Our schools and administration building will be reopening to the public for essential business on Tuesday, May 26 (by appointment only). No one will be permitted to enter a district building without wearing a face mask. For the safety of everyone, it is still best to call or email staff wherever possible. Our phone numbers are below and you can contact any staff member via email. [LINK TO STAFF EMAIL DIRECTORY](#)

Maumee HS -- 419-893-8778

Gateway MS -- 419-893-3386

Wayne Trail -- 419-893-2851

Fairfield -- 419-893-9821

Fort Miami -- 419-893-2201

Food Service -- 419-893-1182

Buildings/Grounds -- 419-893-1392

Admin Office -- 419-893-3200

Transportation -- 419-893-1392

Union Preschool -- 419-893-2221

2020-21 School Year Calendar Has Been Modified

The Board of Education voted on Monday, May 18 to delay the first day of our next school year so that staff professional development days can be front-loaded in the calendar. The first day of school for students K-9 will now be Monday, August 24, and students in grades 10-12 will start school on Tuesday, August 25. [LINK TO MODIFIED SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR](#)

Reminders & General Information

School Counselors Resources Document

This information has been compiled by counselors across the district and is always available on the school district website. Here is the most up-to-date information for parents and students. [LINK](#)

Grab & Go Meals Order Form

Maumee's meal service site is Gateway Middle School (900 Gibbs Street). Please fill out our [Grab & Go Order Form](#) if you have not already filled one out so that we know your children (ages 1-18) need meals.

Technology Support

If you need assistance please email helpdesk@maumee12.org. If you do not have a way to email, you may call your child's school and a request for assistance will be created for you.

In-person Summer Camp/Athletic Camps Canceled

Due to the order for school closure being extended through June 30th, we had to cancel in-person summer camps.

Visit Our Health Information Page for Information & Resources

We are keeping this webpage updated with links and resources provided by a number of community organizations and health care providers. [LINK](#)

Community Information

District/Community Resource Link

We have created a document to capture many of the resources available for our students, parents, and community. [LINK](#)

Todd Cramer - Superintendent