

A message from Dr. Joseph Meloche, Superintendent, Cherry Hill Public Schools.



CHPS WEEKLY

District News for the week ending August 18, 2017

18 Days Until

UPCOMING
EVENTS

School Starts!

Students report to school on September 5, 2017.

I hope your summer has been a time of fun and relaxation! A lot of work has been accomplished in the Cherry Hill Public Schools since the end of the 2016-2017 year. We're now in the final stretch of preparations for the first day of school on September 5 – as you and your family members likely are, as well.

Here are a few friendly reminders as we enter the final two weeks of the summer break:

- Please see the "Upcoming Events" column at right for new student orientation dates and times around the District, as well as our next Board of Education meeting, first-day-of-school information and the date of our first "Saturday Coffee with the Superintendent" (details below).
- High school students' schedules were mailed on August 9. Packets including middle school students' placements will be mailed on August 25. Packets including elementary students' assigned teachers also will be mailed August 25.
- Please be sure to submit your student activities fee for middle and high school students to your respective school. For details about the student activities fee policy, a list of activities that are subject to the fee, and information regarding our online PayPal option, please click [here](#)
- For your planning purposes, all Back to School Night dates and times are now posted on the [District Events Calendar](#). Be sure to check your school's web site for other events specific to that building.
- If you haven't already, download our fantastic District App (it's free!) linked at the bottom of the [District web site home page](#), and be sure to follow us on [Twitter](#), [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#) for the very latest happenings around the District.

The first day of school for all students is Tuesday, September 5, 2017. **This is an early dismissal day for elementary students only.** Elementary students will be dismissed at 1 pm on September 5.

We're excited to see all of our students – returning and

BOE Action Meeting

August 22 @ 7 pm
Malberg Administration
Building
45 Ranoldo Terrace

Saturday Coffee with the Superintendent

August 26 @9-10:30 am
Clara Barton Elementary
School

High School Freshman Orientations

CHWest

Students: August 30
@ 9 am-12 pm
Parents: August 30
@ 7-8 pm

CHEast

August 31, 5:40-8:45 pm
Please see the CHEast web site, east.chclc.org for details

Middle School New Student Orientations

Rosa

August 24 @ 7 pm

Beck

August 29 @ 7 pm

Carusi

August 29 @ 7 pm

First Day of School

SEPTEMBER 5, 2017

ALL STUDENTS REPORT

High School

Start time: 7:30 am
Dismissal: 2:30 pm

Middle School

Start time: 8 am

new – very soon!

Make sure to ask your children about summer reading!
Discuss the book!

I'm happily counting the days to September 5!

Regards,

Joe Meloche

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Superintendent, Cherry Hill Public Schools

Dismissal: 3 pm

Elementary School

Start time: 9 am

*Elementary school **only** will operate on an early dismissal schedule on September 5, dismissing at 1 pm. The regular dismissal time of 3:30 pm resumes September 6.*



Summer Reading Information Still Available

Summer reading titles and assignments for rising 6th through 12th graders are available on the [District web site](#).

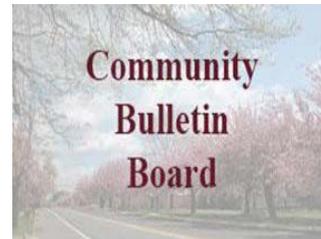


Dr. Meloche to Begin "Saturday Coffee with the Superintendent" Meeting Series

Superintendent of Schools Dr. Joseph Meloche will hold a series of Saturday meetings throughout the coming months as an opportunity for community discussion about the [CHPS 2020: A Clear Vision for the Future](#) long-range strategic plan and the upcoming September 2018 bond referendum. The meeting locations will rotate among our 12 elementary schools.

The first meeting will take place on August 26 from 9-10:30 am at Clara Barton Elementary School, 223 Rhode Island Ave. Addition meeting dates, locations and times are listed on the [District Events Calendar](#).

All members of the public are



Community Bulletin Board Offers Scouting, Sports & Events Information

Be sure to click the [Community Bulletin Board link](#) at the bottom of the [District web site](#) home page. You'll find information about after school programs, league sports, seminars, community events and other activities around Cherry Hill.

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encouraged to attend. These meetings are informal – please bring your own coffee or favorite beverage.

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