



Tomah Middle School



April 2024 Newsletter

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Spring is finally here; hopefully the weather will cooperate. As we enter the fourth quarter, we continue to plan and look at different opportunities for your children. You will see some great and unique opportunities at each grade level as we get closer to the end of the year. Please look for information regarding team field trips starting this month.



Tomah Middle School was well represented at the Mississippi Valley Gifted and Talented Regional Spelling Bee competition on March 19th. It was a great competition, and we are proud of the four TMS students who placed in the top six and the two who placed in the top three. Congratulations to Sophia Tackmann who finished in third place and Clara Gouty who finished in second!

March was full of fun as well. Our 7th grade math classes participated in celebrating PI (3.14) Day. Students competed to see who can list as many digits of PI as possible. At our Middle School Month Assembly, our 7th grade teachers were given a “PI” in the face from the winners. We look forward to more fun in the month of April.

Students also started Forward Testing in the month of March. This will continue in April. We are very excited with the hard work and focus our students have already shown during the ELA testing. It is important for us, as teachers, to ensure we are teaching our students the correct content at the correct rigor.

This is the time of the year our staff tackles twice the amount of planning. We look to make the rest of this year fantastic while starting to plan for next year. Please make sure to mark your calendar for our **Fall Rally on August 14th from 11:00 am-5:00 pm**. Parents of 8th grade students: We thank you for all you have done along the way and wish you and your children well as you look to begin their high school journey.

Thank you for all the support you have provided your child throughout the year thus far, and we look forward to your ongoing support as we move forward. If you ever have a question regarding your child’s success at TMS, please do not hesitate to contact your child’s teacher or our offices so we can assist.

Sincerely,

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APRIL 2024 EVENTS

Note: Please verify dates and times for sporting events on the website as they are subject to change.

Month of the Military Child

Monday, April 1	No School – Spring Break
Tuesday, April 2	School Resumes Begin 4 ½ week classes Full Jazz Band Rehearsal 7:00-7:35 a.m. Boys' Tennis Practice Begins THS 3:30 p.m.
Wednesday, April 3	Beginning Full Jazz Band Rehearsal 7:00-7:35 a.m. 8 th grade Science Forward Testing Student Council Meeting 3:30-4:30 p.m. Chess and Gaming Club 3:30-5:00 p.m.
Thursday, April 4	Low Brass Sectional Jazz Band Rehearsal 7:00-7:35 a.m. Team 7-1 to Viterbo University 6 th grade Math Forward Testing 8 th grade Science Forward Testing
Friday, April 5	8 th grade Science Forward Testing
Monday, April 8	7 th grade Math Forward Testing Art Club 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Tuesday, April 9	Full Jazz Band Rehearsal 7:00-7:35 a.m. 7 th grade Math Forward Testing Boys' Tennis vs. Longfellow @Central High School 4:30 p.m.
Wednesday, April 10	Beginning Full Jazz Band Rehearsal 7:00-7:35 a.m. 7 th grade Math Forward Testing 8 th grade Social Studies Forward Testing Art Club 3:30-4:30 p.m. Chess and Gaming Club 3:30-5:00 p.m.
Thursday, April 11	Saxophone Sectional Jazz Band Rehearsal 7:00-7:35 a.m. 7 th grade Math Forward Testing 8 th grade Social Studies Forward Testing Track & Field @Winona Paul Giel Field 4:45 p.m.
Friday, April 12	7 th grade Math Forward Testing 8 th grade Social Studies Forward Testing
Monday, April 15	
Tuesday, April 16	Full Jazz Band Rehearsal 7:00-7:35 a.m. Boys' Tennis vs. Aquinas - THS 4:30 p.m. Track & Field - McKean Field 4:30 p.m.

Wednesday, April 17
 Beginning Full Jazz Band Rehearsal 7:00-7:35 a.m.
 Team 7-2 to Math Day – Brewers Game
 8th grade WEB Leaders meet during Flex time
 8th grade Math Forward Testing
 Chess and Gaming Club 3:30-5:00 p.m.

Thursday, April 18
 Trumpet Sectional Jazz Band Rehearsal 7:00-7:35 a.m.
 8th grade Math Forward Testing
 Boys' Tennis vs. Onalaska - @Onalaska Middle School 4:30 p.m.
 7th & 8th grade Softball vs. Viroqua 4:45 p.m.

Friday, April 19
 8th grade Math Forward Testing

Monday, April 22
 Lego Club 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Tuesday, April 23
 Full Jazz Band Rehearsal 7:00-7:35 a.m.
 Quiz Bowl Competition Day in Mauston
 8th grade Softball vs. Onalaska - Schroeder Field - 4:30 p.m.
 7th grade Softball vs. Onalaska - THS 4:30 p.m.

Wednesday, April 24
 Beginning Full Jazz Band Rehearsal 7:00-7:35 a.m.
 8th grade WEB Leaders meet with 6th grade groups during Flex time
 Lego Club 3:30-4:30 p.m.
 Chess and Gaming Club 3:30-5:00 p.m.

Thursday, April 25
 Full Jazz Band Rehearsal 7:00-7:35 a.m.
 8th grade Softball @West Salem High School 4:15 p.m.
 7th grade Softball @West Salem High School 4:15 p.m.
 Boys' Tennis vs. Logan - THS 4:30 p.m.
 Track & Field @Onalaska Middle School 4:30 p.m.

Friday, April 26
 Dress Rehearsal for Big Band Bash at Cranberry Country Lodge during school hours
 Boys' Tennis vs. Longfellow – THS 4:30 p.m.

Saturday, April 27
 Big Band Bash at Cranberry Country Lodge

Monday, April 29
 8th grade Softball vs. Aquinas - THS 4:30 p.m.
 7th grade Softball vs. Aquinas - THS 4:30 p.m.
 Boys' Tennis vs. Aquinas @Green Island Tennis Courts 4:30 p.m.

Tuesday, April 30
 Full Jazz Band Rehearsal 7:00-7:35 a.m.
 End of 4 ½ week classes
 Track & Field @Sparta High School 4:00 p.m.