

# Annandale Middle School News

2/17/2017

## DATES TO

## REMEMBER:

- **2/20/17**  
**President's Day**  
**Holiday - No**  
**School**
- **2/27/17 AMS**  
**Choir Concert**  
**7:30 pm**
- **2/28/17 7th &**  
**8th grade**  
**Parent-Teacher**  
**Conferences 4-7**  
**pm**
- **3/12/17 AMS**  
**School Play**  
**2pm**
- **3/13/17 AMS**  
**School Play**  
**7pm**
- **3/20/17-3/24/17**  
**Spring Break**
- **3/27/17 Teacher**  
**Workshop/**  
**Grading Day -**  
**No School**

## Spirit Week

The AMS Spirit Week was a huge success thanks to a lot of hard work by our SSU students and their advisers, Mrs. Harps and Ms. Rolando! It was a fun-filled week with dress up days, Valentine's Day sales, and wrapped up by the ever-popular AMS Talent Show!

## Pennies for Patients

The annual AMS Pennies for Patients fundraiser led by Ms. Briscoe's Positive Directions class coincided with Spirit Week this year. The final amount raised was \$1,405.47. 6th grade raised \$538.66, 7th grade raised \$197.19, and 8th grade raised \$699.62. Students and staff worked very hard to make this fundraiser a success!

## Conferences

7th & 8th grade Parent Teacher Conferences will be held Tuesday, February 28th from 4 - 7 pm.

## Registration for the 2017-18 School Year

In March our current 6th and 7th graders will be registering for band and/or choir for the 2017-2018 school year. Please talk to your student about their participation in band and choir for next year so they are prepared to register in March.

## AMS School Play

This year's AMS School Play will be The Wizard of Oz! The cast and crew under the direction of Mr. Davidson are getting prepared for an amazing performance. You are invited to attend the performances held at the AHS Auditorium on Sunday, March 12th at 2 pm or Monday, March 13th at 7 pm.

## AMS Spring Sports and Activities

Spring sports and activities are just around the corner. Most middle school practices will start after spring break. Please make sure you have all necessary paperwork and fees taken care of before the season starts. Encourage your children to check the AMS daily announcements for informational meetings planned by coaches/advisers. You can also check the High School Activities webpage or contact the High School Activities office at 320-274-8208 for more information.

## 6th Grade ELC trip

The ELC trip is April 24-26. The cost is \$190 per student and \$135 per chaperone. **A minimum deposit of \$50 per person will be due February 24, 2017.** The balance will be due April 12, 2017. You may pay these fees via check (payable to AMS), cash, or through Parent Portal (can be made in multiple payments). If you have questions, please contact your child's homeroom teacher.

## MCA Testing

MCA testing will be held in April, dates and more information will be shared in the next newsletter.

