

# MEADS MILL PATRIOTS

## Peek of the Week



Week of January 14, 2019

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### **Meads Mill Mission Statement**

*Our mission is to challenge all students to become active, compassionate, life-long global learners through a rigorous and comprehensive curriculum which promotes creativity and problem-solving during the transition from elementary to high school through a partnership of staff, families, and our community.*

**Students – Your school ID and Planner should be with you at all times!**  
**Lose your Schedule? Replacements cost \$1**



### **7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls' Basketball Team Tryouts**

Tryouts for the 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade Girls' basketball team are this week as follows:

7<sup>th</sup> Grade: 1/14, 15, 17 – 3:15 – 5:00 pm

8<sup>th</sup> Grade: 1/15, 16, 17 – 3:15 – 4:30

**NOTE** – if you are trying out for the school team, you **MUST** have an athletic physical [form](#) on file in the Meads office. **Questions?** 7<sup>th</sup> Grade - email Coach Phillips: [phillian@northvilleschools.org](mailto:phillian@northvilleschools.org). 8<sup>th</sup> Grade – email Coach Clark – [clarkda@northvilleschools.org](mailto:clarkda@northvilleschools.org).



### **Attention Students! - Forensics Meeting – January 14**

Are you interested in public speaking, poetry, theater, and debate competitions? Are you interested in competing in the Forensics Spring Middle Level Tournament? If so, please attend the Forensics meeting on Monday, January 14 at 3:10 pm in room B-8, Ms. Sandiha's classroom!



### **MM National Geographic Geography Bee Finalists!**

Congratulations to the following students who are Meads Mill's National Geographic Geography Bee finalists: Ameen A., Will L., Donny W., Stella B., Kayley G., Tommy L., Ben C., Jack B.

The final round of the Geography Bee will be held on Tuesday, January 15 at 8:30 am in Ms. Castor-Taylor's room (E-7). Good Luck!



### **4<sup>th</sup> Annual International Night**

Calling all Meads Mill families!! It is time to start our planning for our 4th Annual International Night. If you are interested in participating, please take a moment and click on the link below to let us know about your interest. The survey needs to be completed by 3 pm, Monday, February 25. Thank you for your support in celebrating the diverse cultures of our school!

<https://goo.gl/forms/fSXJUoTtK0hFfHEj1>



### **Last Call - Project Night Night – Donations Requested**

Hello, I am Amelia Mistry, a sophomore at Northville High School currently completing my MYP project. For my project, I chose to work with a local children's charity known as Project Night Night. PNN donates care packages filled with different items to children in homeless shelters all around Michigan. Each care package contains a security blanket, a stuffed animal, and a book that encourages positive messages along with familial bonds. At Meads Mill, I have set out collection bins outside the office where new books, stuffed animals, and blankets can be collected. **The bins will be at Meads Mill through Christmas break and into mid-January!** Thank you! ~ Amelia



### **Volunteers Needed for PAL (Parents at Lunch)**

PARENTS NEW (AND OLD!) TO MEADS MILL!! **New dates through February have been added!** The PAL (Parents At Lunch) program continues at Meads Mill and the Sign Up Genius list is ready for volunteers!! This is a great way to experience a little of the Meads Mill school day without a big commitment. There really isn't much to it-- come around 10:50, sign in at the office, grab a PAL lanyard and walkie-talkie, and head toward the cafeteria. You are done by 12:25. Even if you can help out just once a month, that would be wonderful! Grab a friend and catch up while you help Meads Mill!! If you have any questions, contact Kristen Goodman at 248-662-5610 or [meadsmillpal@yahoo.com](mailto:meadsmillpal@yahoo.com). Thank you!! Click on the link below to sign up!  
[www.SignUpGenius.com/go/409094BA8AA2CAA8-meads6](http://www.SignUpGenius.com/go/409094BA8AA2CAA8-meads6)



### **Bring In Your Box Tops for CA\$H!**

Clip, save and send in your Box Tops to the main office or drop off with this month's parent volunteer, Elizabeth Kao (Moeller). We hope to receive lots of Box Tops during this holiday cooking, baking, entertaining...and cleaning season. Happy Holidays!



### **Yearbook Orders**

Yearbooks are on sale! Go to the following link and order now! [Meads Mill Yearbook Link](#). For any questions regarding the yearbook contact, Mrs. Tina Macdonald: [macdonti@northvilleschools.org](mailto:macdonti@northvilleschools.org)



### **Join the Meads Mill PTA!**

Hello Meads Mill Families ~ Thank you to all of the families who have joined the PTA and for your generous donations to Invest In Your Child. If you haven't joined or donated yet, it's not too late!! Please click on the link below to our MemberHub Store:  
<https://meadsmillpta.memberhub.store/>

## **CALENDAR**

### **Events:**

January 14:	Forensics Meeting for interested students – 3:10 pm – Room B-8
January 16:	Patriot Pitstop open in Room C-22 – 7:45 – 8:10 am Credit Union Deposit Day at lunch
January 17:	PTA Meeting – 9:15 am – Fish Bowl
January 18:	Patriot Pitstop open in Room C-22 – 7:45 – 8:10 am
January 21:	<b>No School/Teacher Furlough Day/ MLK Day</b>
January 23:	Patriot Pitstop open in Room C-22 – 7:45 am – 8:10 am
January 25:	<b>End of 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter/1<sup>st</sup> Semester/Patriot Pitstop open in Room C-22 – 7:45 – 8:10 am (Half Day for Students – Dismissal at 11:35 am)</b>
January 28:	Second Semester Begins
January 30:	Patriot Pitstop open in Room C-22 – 7:45 – 8:10 am
February 1:	AM – Smooshed Schedule / <b>PM – Quarter 2 PBIS Celebration</b>

### **Sports:**

January 14, 15, 17:	<b>7<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls Basketball Tryouts – 3:15 – 5:00 pm</b>
January 15, 16, 17:	<b>8<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls Basketball Tryouts – 3:15 – 4:30 pm</b>
January 16:	Coed Swimming – Meads Mill v. Hillside (A) – 5:30 pm
January 28:	Girls Basketball – Meads Mill v. Novi Green (A) - 7 <sup>th</sup> & 8 <sup>th</sup> grades – 4:00 pm
January 30:	Girls Basketball - Meads Mill v. Franklin (A) – 7 <sup>th</sup> & 8 <sup>th</sup> grades – 4:00 pm