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Greetings Parker Students and Families!

The start of school is right around the corner! The year ahead has many exciting things in store, most notably; we will be celebrating the 50th anniversary of the opening of Parker High School!

As we begin to think about the start of the year, there are a number of events and activities that are occurring before the school year begins. Please call us if you have questions that are not answered here. Our offices are open Monday through Friday from 8 am to 4 pm.

Enjoy the rest of your summer!

Chris Laue
Parker Principal

IMPORTANT DATES AND EVENTS

Parking Permit Sales

Students who wish to park in the student parking lot are required to pay a \$100 district parking fee. Stalls will be assigned on a first come, first served basis. To be eligible, students must present the following: valid driver's license, and proof of registration and insurance for the primary vehicle they will be driving. Sales will resume September 8. Students will be expected to begin using the assigned stalls on SEPTEMBER 18 (the student lot is open to all valid student drivers September 5 - 15).

School Registration

Families must complete online registration prior to the start of the school year, which is accessed through the Infinite Campus parent portal. The link to the portal is found on our school webpage, www.janesvilleparker.org. Completing this process will allow you to check and update addresses and other family contact information and pay fees. If you need assistance with the process, you can call Parker High School at 743-5600. You can also come in on our Picture/Fee Collection Day, August 17 from 9 am to 1 pm and from 4 pm to 6 pm to complete online registration. Our computer labs will be open and staff will be on hand to assist you with the process.

Athletic/ Co Curricular Registration

Students who plan to participate in clubs, sports or other school sponsored activities must complete the online athletics and activities registration. Part of this process is reviewing the athletic and co curricular code; this is place of attending a "code meeting" at the school.

Students cannot participate in any activities until this process is completed. The directions for this can be found on our website, www.janesvilleparker.org/athletics.



Pictures/ Fee Collection Day

On August 17, from 9 am to 1 pm and 4 to 6 pm, students can come to Parker to have their picture taken, pay fees in person (if not doing so online), and complete online registration, if they have not done so at home. All students must have their photo taken for their school ID, the yearbook, and have the option to purchase photos from our school photographer. Lifetouch will send the picture order forms to your home prior to August 17. Students do not need to bring a parent to have their picture taken; those who cannot attend that day can have their picture taken on September 6.

District Athletic Passes

Students have the option to purchase an athletic pass that allows them entry to all home athletic events (excluding tournaments). The cost is \$30, and this can be purchased through the Infinite Campus parent portal. A family athletic pass is also available which allows entry for up to 5 family members.

The cost is \$75, and this can be purchased through the Parker Attendance Office August 14 - 31 from 8 am until 2 pm (not able to be purchased online).

Schedule Issues

Students were sent copies of their tentative schedules via first class mail in July. If you have an open class period, have two classes the same hour, or are signed up for a class that you do not have the prerequisite, please call the Parker Student Services Office at 743-5651. At this time our goal is to have every student start the year with a full schedule. If you would like a schedule change or have other issues, these can be addressed at the start of the school year. Schedules will be available online mid August.

Free and Reduced Lunch Applications

Families who qualify for Free or Reduced Lunch should receive a letter stating this on or before August 10. If you need to apply for Free or Reduced Lunch, you must complete the application online as a part of online registration. You may also pick up a paper application at the school district office, 527 South Franklin Street. Questions regarding free or reduced lunch should be directed to the school nutrition office, 743-5132.

Jumpstart Night

Parker staff will host Jumpstart Night on August 30 from 5 pm to 7 pm. This evening will allow students to practice finding their classes, meet teachers, and drop things off in their lockers.

First Day of School- September 5- Freshmen Only!

To help freshmen start the year, our first day will be for freshmen only. The morning will consist of activities hosted by Parker Link Crew, and the afternoon will be a modified 8 period schedule. School will start at 8 am and end at 3:28 pm; lunch will be served.

Second Day of School- September 6- All students!

All students will attend classes from 8 am - 3:28 pm. Lunch will be served.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

School Supplies- We do not have a “supply list” as students had in lower grades. Most students find having paper, folders, pens and pencils are all that is needed to start the year. There may be additional school supplies needed for a specific class, but are not required to start the school year.

Textbooks- Textbooks will be issued when school starts. We no longer distribute books on Picture/Fee Collection Day.