

Good Evening, Loiederman Families!

This is Megan McLaughlin, proud principal of LMS, calling with some important information. Tomorrow, Monday, March 14 is an EVEN day.

- **Anti-Racist Audit:** The Antiracist System Audit is a comprehensive and district-wide review of our practices and policies. Students will take the survey in school on March 15th.
- Here is basic information on the survey and resources for learning more about it: <https://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/antiracist/pdf/MCPS-Antiracist-Audit.pdf>
- Families are also being asked to take the survey. Here is the link for the family survey: https://maec.iad1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_bdUgwBrm5eGbtNc
- MCPS Surveys: Here are letters with important information regarding upcoming school surveys and assessments that your child will take in March and April 2022. If you have any questions, please reach out to either Mr. Aaron Barnett at aaron_b_barnett@mcpsmd.org or Mr. Jon D'Souza at jonathan_m_d'souza@mcpsmd.org, or by phone at 240-740-5830. [MSDE Survey](#) and the [MCAP Assessment](#).
 - **Girls Soccer Tryouts:** The second tryout for the girls soccer team is scheduled for Tuesday, March 15th from 3:15pm to 4:30pm. Students that haven't turned in the proper paperwork have until Tuesday at 3:00pm to either [Mr. Corcoran](#) or [Ms. O.](#)
 - **Boys Soccer Tryouts:** Boys Soccer tryouts are continuing through this week Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday after school until 4:30pm. Details are available on the [LMS website](#). Please reach out to [Mr. Mandelbaum](#) or [Mr. Corcoran](#) if you have any questions.
 - **The LMS Yearbook staff needs your help!** We want to celebrate what students have been up to outside of school this year! Please share photos of your students engaged in after school activities and clubs, celebrating family holidays, creating art, traveling, hanging out with family, friends or pets, cooking and baking, engaged in a hobby, or playing their favorite video games or sports. Whatever your student does outside of the building, please snap a pic and share it with the yearbook staff for possible inclusion in the 2022 LMS Yearbook. Click [HERE](#) to upload your photos! And don't forget to visit www.yearbookforever.com to purchase your 2022 LMS Yearbook!
 - **Hey 8th Grade Families!:** Please share your 8th grader's baby picture with the LMS Yearbook staff! We want to include as many 8th grade baby pics as possible in this year's book! This is for 8th graders ONLY! Please email photos to Ms. Moore at christiana.e.moore@mcpsmd.net

- **Students, please bring your own reusable water bottles:** Families, please encourage your students to bring their own reusable water bottles. Our water bottle filling stations have now been reopened, so we will not continue to provide students with individual water bottles each day as it does not align with our efforts to be recognized as a Green School.

- **COVID Reporting:** MCPS created [a Google form](#) for reporting your student's COVID-19 test results.

Make sure to visit our [March Newsletter](#) to stay updated with all LMS Lion News and to check out the [LMS PTSA Page on Facebook](#). Stay well, stay safe, and thank you for staying connected to Loiederman. Have a good evening!