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Voorhees Middle School

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Dear Voorhees Community,

I hope this email finds you well. Below please find some important dates and other information.

Vaccination Clinics – Adler’s Pharmacy

<https://www.picktime.com/437da4c9-e682-4e64-8443-3b21076f1c79>

Elementary students ages 5-12 November 15, 1st dose - December 6, 2nd dose 4:00-6:00 -VMS Theater.  
Elementary students ages 5-12 November 23, 1st dose - December 14, 2nd dose 4:00-6:00 -VMS Theater.

Vaccination Clinics – Medilink RxCare

<https://hipaa.jotform.com/213114624491146>

Students 5 and up, adult booster shots, adult vaccinations.  
November 18, 1st dose - December 9, 2nd dose 4:00-6:00 - Administration Building.

We ask **all** families choosing to be vaccinated to please provide your school nurse with a copy of your child’s completed vaccination card. We ask those families that utilize our onsite vaccination clinics to also provide proof to your school nurse. This information will help us to determine “close contacts” for future positive cases.

As vaccines become more readily available, we hope to continue our transition to normalcy in 2022. Upon return from winter break, we hope to eliminate all cafeteria shields. This would enable us to better utilize these spaces for instruction and extracurricular activities. Students will continue to be assigned seats and asked to be socially distant whenever possible.

Annual elementary school conferences are scheduled for November 30<sup>th</sup> and December 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup>. Do not hesitate to contact your child’s teacher should you still need to schedule a conference.

Voorhees Middle School will be offering in-person conferences for the parents of students whose teachers have requested a conference. Those parents will be contacted and scheduled in advance by the VMS counselors prior to the start of conferences. Each teacher will offer virtual arena conferences as well. Parents will receive information from each of their child's teachers with instructions on how and when to access the arena.

- 11/30 Virtual Arena Conferences from 1:15-3:25 PM (Early Dismissal)
- 12/1 Virtual Arena Conferences from 6:00- 8:00 PM (Early Dismissal)
- 12/2 Scheduled In-Person Conferences from 12:00-2:00 PM (School Closed)  
Virtual Arena Conferences from 2:15-4:30 PM  
Scheduled In-Person Conferences from 6:00-8:00 PM

Our Second Family Night is scheduled for Wednesday, November 17, 2021. We hope everyone gets to spend some quality time together. Anyone wishing to share their family fun on our Facebook page may email Sue Donnelly at [donnelly@voorhees.k12.nj.us](mailto:donnelly@voorhees.k12.nj.us)

Congratulations to Osage School for being named the winner of our First Annual Scarecrow competition.

We wish all our VMS winter teams and clubs the best of luck as they begin to prepare for their upcoming seasons (basketball, cheerleading, wrestling, drama).

Congratulations to Mr. Bruce Taylor, our Director of Technology, for being recognized by our Joint Insurance Fund for initiating measures in our district to enhance cybersecurity.

Please visit our Facebook Page to view the many exciting lessons and projects presented by our staff and students. <http://www.facebook.com/voorheestwppublicschools/>

Progress continues at Kresson School, and we look forward to a September 2022 opening. Once again, a special “Thank You” to Mr. Mathes and Mrs. Haley as they continue to oversee this project.



Have a wonderful weekend.

Respectfully,  
Michael Redfearn  
Acting Superintendent