DEER PARK UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT

ROBERT FROST MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Dear 8th grade parents and caregivers,

What an exciting month this will be as we celebrate your children as they Move-Up to high school. Please be advised of the following things:

- 1. The Final Exam calendar was emailed home to you, and a letter regarding the end of the school year was mailed home to you as well. I will attach them to this email just in case you have yet to see them.
- 2. The 8th grade picnic, which is generously sponsored by our PFC, will be held on the last day of class, Monday, June 17th. A full day of activities is being planned for your children. Please, have your children bring in a towel or blanket with which to sit on while we're outside. Also, students should wear and hat and sunscreen. Lastly, PLEASE have all students bring a water bottle that they can refill with them to school that day. It has always proven to be very warm on the day of the picnic, and students will need to stay hydrated.
- 3. THE 8TH GRADE MOVING-UP BREAKFAST AND REHEARSAL TIMES HAVE CHANGED!! Due to the 8th grade foreign language test, we have had to adjust the times of the breakfast and rehearsal. The breakfast and rehearsal will be from 10:30 AM 1:00 PM on Monday, June 24th. Students who are taking the exam will already be at school, and will stay. Students who are not taking the FLACS exam will need to be at school by 10:30 am for the rehearsal. Bus transportation will be provided.
- 4. The Moving-Up ceremony will take place on Monday, June 24th at 6pm sharp. You will be receiving a separate letter in about a week's time that will contain information about Moving-Up, and will also contain your 2 tickets for the ceremony. Due to fire-code and overcrowding, each child will receive 2 tickets. Please look out for this mailing, as tickets will not be re-issued.
- 5. The 8th grade dance is an exciting time for the students to celebrate together as a class one more time! Tickets are on sale during lunch periods at school, and are \$25. This includes a DJ, a catered meal, dessert, a photo booth, and a favor. I have attached the flyer to this email. I truly hope all students will join us directly after the ceremony at 7:30 pm 10 pm on June 24th.
- 6. Lastly, we are asking all students to "Dress Up for Moving-Up". Outfits should be modest and appropriate (no jeans, shorts, t-shirts, flip-flops, etc.). Students should feel comfortable in their clothing.

Thank you again for sharing your children with us these past 3 years. It has been a pleasure getting to know them and watching them grow. We look forward to celebrating with you on June 24th.

Most sincerely.

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