
THIS WEEK!

at MNS

Happy New Year and Welcome to 2018! We hope you had a wonderful holiday break and are looking forward to an exciting new year ahead!

AT A GLANCE...

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January 3	Lice Check
January 6	PreK Carnival Playtime by Gate Hill Camp followed by Gaga Madness for K-5
January 11	Afterschool Registration begins (7 PM)
January 12	Fifth Grade Movie Night
January 15	Martin Luther King Jr. Day - School is Closed

FRIENDLY REMINDERS...

- [Sign up](#) to the Talent Show by Monday, January 8!

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GATE HILL FUN AT MNS!



PreK carnival playtime fun on **Saturday, January 6**, from **10-11:30 a.m.** at school, hosted by Gate Hill Day Camp. Enjoy games, bounce castle, gaga, art projects, camp fun and more! \$25 per family IN ADVANCE. \$30 per family AT THE DOOR. All profits go to MNS! [RSVP online](#) by **January 3**.

Gaga Madness event for grades K-5 at school on **Saturday, January 6**. Gate Hill Day Camp brings GAGA to MNS! Gate Hill brings the inflatable pit and the coaches; Your kids provide the excitement!! Drop off optional. Registration limited to 20 kids per time slot. Click on the links below to sign up. If interested in volunteering please email alisonmale@gmail.com.

12pm - 1pm [K & 1st grade](#)

1:15 - 2:15pm [2nd & 3rd grade](#)

2:30 - 3:30pm [4th and 5th grades](#)

**KEEP AN EYE OUT FOR THESE EVENTS
THE WEEK OF JANUARY 8**

SPRING 2018 AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM



Online registration for the Spring 2018 Afterschool term begins **Thursday, January 11 at 7 p.m.** The spring 2018 program runs from January 29 - June 22, 2018. All info regarding class schedules, descriptions, policies and procedures will be posted on both MNS PTA and PS290 websites by **January 2**. If you would like to gift supplies to the Afterschool Program, please use [this Amazon supply list](#).

FIFTH GRADE MOVIE NIGHT



All 5th graders are welcomed to attend a PTA-hosted movie night at MNS on **Friday, January 12**. Stay tuned for more details!! If you are interested in chaperoning, please email: fifthgradedelegates@mnspta.org

MNS ANNUAL TALENT SHOW



The Annual Talent Show will be held on **Friday, February 2 at 7 p.m.** and **Saturday, February 3 at 3 p.m.** at Wagner Middle School. To sign-up, please complete this [web form](#) by **Monday, January 8**. Please email talentshow@mnspta.org with any questions or if you would like to volunteer for the event.

ALSO HAPPENING...

LUNCH CLUB UPDATES



Global Lunch Club needs your help! We are looking for parents to donate one Tuesday morning to teach our students something special about their native country or a country they have a special attachment to. Please click [here](#) to sign up. If you have any questions please contact Barbara Rocha-Beck at rochabeck@aol.com.



The Fun and Games Lunch Club is looking to update their current library of games and Legos. If you have any gently used or new board or card games (e.g. Checkers, Connect Four, Spot It, Guess Who?, Uno, Sorry) or Legos you would like to donate please contact lunchclubs@mnspta.org.

DOE/NYC ANNOUNCEMENTS

KINDERGARTEN ADMISSION

Admission to Kindergarten is now in progress! NYC families of children born in 2013 can apply to Kindergarten until January 12, 2018. Click on this [link](#) for more information.

CAMP FAIR

The American Camp Association of NY & NJ is proud to be co-hosting a **Complimentary** Camp Fair with Family Media on Saturday, January 20th, at [167 East 75th St.](#), where parents and kids can be educated and engage with a wide variety of summer camps. To sign up, click [here](#).