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A Message from our Administrators......

Dear Parents and Students,

Can you believe there are only a couple weeks left of the 2021-2022 school year? It is hard to believe that our seniors will be graduating on May 21st! I know it sounds cliché, but where does the time go! We are truly grateful for your support and dedication to the learning of our students.

Congratulations to all academic programs as we close out the school year. The Awards Ceremonies and Senior Scholarship recognition is truly a testament to the hard work of our students! Additionally, our Edgewood musicians performed beautifully at the Band, Orchestra and Choral concerts. I am always in awe of the extraordinary talent of our students! Athletics have wrapped up for the year, with our track, tennis and lacrosse programs having very strong finishes! Both boys and girl's tennis won districts, and not only did our girls team advance to regionals, but they also made it to the state tournament — a first for Edgewood. Girl's lacrosse also advanced as far as the regional finals, and these phenomenal athletes are known as the Elite 8! Track also advanced several competitors into regionals, including the women's 4x400m relay and the men's 4x800m relay.

The hard work doesn't stop now, though! Students, be sure to get in touch with your coaches for summer workouts. Volleyball and basketball will be in the gym, cross-country is already doing optional practices, and several other sports will be getting in extra practice over the summer. Even if your sport isn't doing anything, or you're not around to participate, get those reps in, get those miles in, get those shots in, and get ready!

As we approach the summer months, all students should have completed their service-learning hours. Ms. Drever, our Guidance Clerk, can assist you if there are any questions or concerns. Parents, please submit your parent volunteer hours form to Ms. Howard in our Front Office. She can also assist with any questions or concerns regarding the parent volunteer requirement. In addition, May 26th, is literally around the corner, so please be sure that students clear all financial obligations and responsibilities as well as return any borrowed technology equipment before they leave for the summer. Speaking of summer, we ask that all families Save the Date for Registration! Edgewood will hold registration for all students on Wednesday, August 3, 2022, from 8 am to 6 pm. Our 7th Grade Orientation, Welcome to the Pack, led by Guidance and SGA will take place on Thursday, August 4, 2022, from 5 pm to 7 pm. Stay tuned for more information that will be shared with all families over the summer.

On a final note, it is bittersweet that we say good-bye to an exceptional Senior Class. The Class of 2022 has continuously modeled our school vision of "seeking excellence in who we are, what we know, and what we do," and there is nothing these students cannot handle. We are not only proud of their accomplishments, but we are honored to have served them for the last 6 years. Remember, your wings are ready, but Edgewood will always be your home.

Thank you and enjoy the last two weeks of school!

Jacqueline Ingratta

Principal



SUMMER TESTING

Students that were unable to complete the EOCs (Algebra, Geometry, Civics, Biology) before the end of the year can complete this testing July 18th – 22nd.

FSA testing (7th – 10th reading, 7th math) is not available during the summer months. AP exam testing is also not available during the summer months.

If your student needs to schedule an EOC make-up, please contact Mrs. Hardy hardy.tracy@brevardschools.org to ensure your test is available.

PE Uniforms will be on sale during Registration for the following prices: 1 set consisting of a shirt and a pair of shorts - \$15.00. Separate pieces are \$7.50 each.

CHALLENGE INDEX LIST

As you all know, there are multiple school rankings that exist and we're usually in the top 100 in the nation and the top 10 in Florida. This is no small feat, and Edgewood is a phenomenal school with dedicated students, faculty and staff. The latest index for 2022 surpasses everything we've done before ...

Edgewood ranks 23 in the nation for 2022 according to https://jaymathewschallengeindex.com/ (the challenge index in both Newsweek and the Washington Post). This ranking means we are in the top 1% of American's 22,000 high schools!

I would be remiss if I didn't tell you that we surpassed all BPS schools ...

And ... we are ranked 2 in the district for the Cape Coast Conference all sports trophy (a little school WITHOUT all the sports!)

Congratulations to the AP Art and Design students who won awards at the School Board Art Show. Ellie Roberts won a merit award for her digital art, and Hana Hunter won first prize in 3D. Well done, artists!

The art show can be viewed at:

https://artfulevaluation.com/Entries/PublicShow/f36fc62 8-8d55-460d-b536-789a1a15341d

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

It's that time of year again! While we are closing out School Year 2022, we are gearing up for School Year 2023. Please note the following important dates as parents plan their summer vacations:

Registration: Wednesday, August 3, 2022, from 8 am to 6 pm. Grade specific information is forthcoming!

Welcome to the Pack – Orientation for Incoming 7th Graders: Thursday, August 4, 2022, from 5 pm to 7 pm. Specific information will be emailed to our incoming 7th graders!

SECOND SEMESTER IMPORTANT

DATES

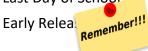
May 21 Graduation – 11:00am

May 23-26 Exams Days/Early

Parent Volunteer Hours May 26

Deadline

May 26 Last Day of School





YOU CAN HELP THE AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY SAVE LIVES!

Dear Prospective donor,

Greetings from your American Cancer Society and the ACS on Campus Club at Edgewood High School! I'm part of the ACS Club. ACS on Campus is a club found at High Schools & Universities nationwide that partner with the American Cancer Society (ACS) to educate students & fundraise money towards amazing causes such as cancer research, cancer education, and providing services for cancer patients.

As a staple in the community, you are aware of how important it is to work together for the benefit of our friends and neighbors. With this in mind, I am eager to share with you an event that will touch every member of our community while raising funds for the fight against cancer. The American Cancer Society Bark For Life events honor the lifelong contributions of our canine caregiver. These events empower canine caregivers and their owners to contribute to the fight against cancer through their involvement in the American Cancer Society. What's better than an event that is fun for the whole family, you can bring your dog to, AND raises funds for the fight against cancer?!

The Bark For Life will be held this fall at a local park. At this event many participants have been touched by cancer in some way and we want to make it special for them. Our success depends on your generosity.

Local businesses are sponsoring the event or donating in-kind items like canopies, gift certificates (for raffles), food for participants and everything else we need for the event. With all of the donations we receive, more money can go to the cause. Anything you can donate will be greatly appreciated. We also have a sponsorship package detailing the different levels of sponsorship and the appropriate benefits for your company. We also invite you to form a team with your friends, family & co-workers! It is a great "Team Building" event for any business!

All contributions to the American Cancer Society are tax deductible to the full extent allowable by IRS regulations. Our tax ID # is 13-1788491. The money raised from this event will benefit the patient services, research, and educational programs of the American Cancer Society.

If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to me or Karen Rubenstein, our ACS Staff Partner.

Sincerely,

Esha Savani ACS On Campus President Society esavani@gmail.com 321-720-2623 Karen Rubenstein Sr Manager, Youth Programs, American Cancer

karen.rubenstein@cancer.org 818-653-8864



Bark For Life presented by the ACS Club at Edgewood High School 2022 Sponsorship Form

Y	YES, I would like to become an official sponsor/supporter of the 2022 Bark For Life.							
Monetary Event Sponsor Options:								
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Company/	Individual Name (as you w	ish for it to appear in print):						
Address: _								
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E-mail Add	dress:							

Please return this form to the student you got it from or scan and email to Karen.rubenstein@cancer.org

All donations to the American Cancer Society are tax deductible to the full extent of the law.

ACS Tax ID number is 13-1788491.



2021/2022

STUDENT OF THE

YEAR:

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MAISY DAVIS

STUDENT OF THE MONTH LIST

7TH GRADE –

8TH GRADE -

9TH GRADE –

10TH GRADE -

TRAVIS KALAROVICH AINARA BENGOA TWISHA MEHTA ALFRED ZHENG GIANNA LOPEZ JONATHAN NAGDHI WILLOW COWAN LOGAN SPEARS

11TH GRADE -

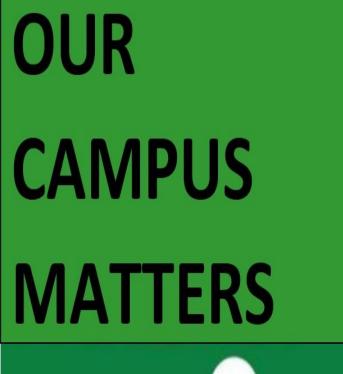
MATTHEW ALARIO ASH CELANO



APRIL STUDENT OF THE MONTH:

SENIOR STUDENT OF THE MONTH:

GWYNETH KIRBY





PLEASE.....

Dispose your trash in trash bins around campus.

Dispose of used mask.

Clean up after yourself, after eating in common areas and patio areas.

Do not be afraid to remind others to **Help** keep you school clean.

Spread the word!

BE PROUD TO HELP.....

Keeps our school campus looking great.

It boosts morale and confidence in you and your peers.

Shows visitors our love for our school and how we expect them to treat our school.

A MESSAGE FROM YOUR CUSTODIAL DEPARTMENT





SPORTS NEWS

Girls' tennis brought home their second-straight district championship this season with a dominating performance across all their lines at the district tournament. Nishka Dalal, Ria Prasad, and the doubles partnership of Dalal and Kayleigh Rushin all won their lines, while Mallory Manning, Emerson McCleery, and Sharanya Natarajan all picked up valuable points on other lines. The girls move on to a tough regional playoff in an effort to earn their way into States!

PARTNERS IN EDUCATION

7-11 (MERRITT ISLAND AND VIERA)
A+ THRIFT
COMMUNITY CREDIT UNION
CORA'S ISLAND CAFE FOOD TRUCK
EDGEWOOD PTO
GEORGIANNA UNITED METHODIST
GRACE UNITED METHODIST
IMAGE DEPOT EXPRESS
ISLAND FAMILY HEALTH
MERRITT ISLAND ROTARY CLUB
MIKE ERDMAN MOTORS
MR. STORE-IT
STATE FARM RANEW
WAWA (FISKE & 520)

Help support those that support us!



As the end of the school year approaches, I have been getting the clinic ready to close for the summer. Please remember that if your student has medication in the clinic it will need to be picked up or it will be disposed of on the last day of school. Medication cannot be stored over the summer in preparation for the 2022-2023 school year. Notices have been going home with your student via their fourth period class. If you would like me to dispose of your student's medication on the last day of school call me and I will note that. Please keep in mind that all medical documentation needs to be updated for each school year. If you plan to have medication in the clinic for the 2022/2023 school year I suggest speaking with your physician over the summer and getting the doctor's authorization at that time. All medication should be counted upon arrival and exiting the clinic so small, unopened bottles are preferred. Emergency medication such as epinephrine injectors and inhalers can be carried by your student with a physician's authorization, parent permission, and Principal's approval. This too needs to be updated for each school year. It has been a pleasure serving the students and families at Edgewood this year. I tell the students this is their clinic and I am here for them. Parents I am here for you too. If you have ANY questions, concerns, or thoughts please call me. I am happy to help. Have a lovely summer!!

Club News:

Two middle school teams from Edgewood made it into the top 8 teams internationally! They have been working on this competition for over 2 months in their spare time; they had to design and build a model habitat for astronauts that goes within lava tubes on the moon, a mission patch and a notebook. They have submitted several videos and received feedback from experts in the field.

"In partnership with NASA, the WEX Foundation offers New Worlds Await You – a high-quality STEM program offering National STEM Challenges. New Worlds Await You (NWAY) features a national network of in-school and after-school clubs that focus on Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM). Our focus is on high quality space exploration and architecture activities for middle school students."

<u>Team Celestial Communities:</u> <u>Team Dark Side Designs:</u>

Twisha Mehta Robert Ward

Shriya Armugam Alyse Reyier

Anjala Joseph Natalia Roman

Ashritha Vuddharaju Chris Lane



Our students had a great time Saturday at the school participating in the virtual interviews with their models. Please congratulate them if you see them!

I know a few of you have allowed your students to come to my classroom to work on their models (or you let them work in your room!) in the last couple of weeks so I just wanted to say thank you!!

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2022-2023 STUDENT LEADERSHIP

Edgewood Junior Senior High School Leadership 2022-2023

High School S	GA Executive Board 202	2-2023		Sophomore Class of 20	25
Position	Name	Sponsor	Representative	Name	Sponsor
President	Natalie Al-Shihabi	Robbins		Jamaris White	Noah
Senior VP	Christine Yu			Maria Thering	
Junior VP	Zoya Barnes			Reese Brandt	
Senior Senator	Alison Niemeyer			Madison Nicholls	
Secretary 1	Alana Ho			Colleen Gaydar	
Secretary 2	Emma Ramsey			Grace Mann	
Secretary 3	Piper Carver				
Treasurer 1	Noah Paredes			Freshmen Class of 202	6
Treasurer 2	William Struble		Representative	Name	Sponsor
Treasurer 3	Lily Shannon			Twisha Bhattacharyya	Cofer
Comm officer	Ariana Gonzalez			Nirvaan Dalal	
Comm officer	Colton Turner			Samih Daubney	
Comm officer	Brooke Wolfington			Nabil Joshi	
Whip	Brian Cheng			Ava Lott	
Sr. Ambassador	Anastasia Celano			Vincent Wright	
Jr. Ambassador	Esha Savani			8th Grade - Class of 202	77
Sergeant-at-Arms	Leah Schleffer		Representative	Name	Sponsor
1st Historian	Bria Cottrell		Representative	Sophie Avagliano	Allred
2nd Historian	Scarlett Mallory			David Amador	Allieu
SAC Rep - Senior	Victor Peytchev			Kenji Blakeley	
SAC Rep - Junior	Shannon Stuckey			Teresa Kalarovich	
SAC Rep - Julioi SAC Rep - Sophomore	Shirley Chen			Savanah Nazario	
<u> </u>				Manan Patel	
SAC Rep - Fresh/MS Pres Lilyana Castano Senior Class of 2023				Cecelia Pope	
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Position	Name	Sponsor		Audra Prill	
President Vice President	Angelina Guirgis	Allred		Jacob Terrell Maddalyn Tonhauser	
	Megan Nguyen			7th Grade - Class of 202	10
Secretary Turner 1	Kayla Ho		Davitia	1	
Treasurer 1	Nishka Dalal		Position	Name	Sponsor
Treasurer 2	Isabella Rose		President		Allred
Senator 1	Ashley Duncklee		Vice President		
Senator 2	Thanmay Kumar		Secretary		
Historian	Chloe Neuhart		Treasurer		
Sergeant-at-Arms	Daniel Mata		Senator		
	unior Class of 2024		Senator		
Position	Name	Sponsor	Sgt of Arms		
President	Tariq Abodallo	Brown	Historian		
Vice President	Jawad Mosrie				
Secretary -	Andrea Toledo				
Treasurer	Danielle Toland				
Senator	Chiara Garcia			for questions pertaining to a pa	rticular class.
Senator	Julia Froemming		See Ms. Robbins regard	ing voting and contracts.	
Senator	Gabriel Cruz				
Historian	Elizabeth Steinmetz				
Sergeant-at-Arms	Jeffrey Almeda				

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