

Parents - Please use this post as a reminder to take the 5Essentials Survey. Our school needs **20%** parent participation in order for results to be generated. Thank you! Click the following link to begin the survey: Illinois 5Essentials Survey.

Should you have any questions please feel free to contact Brent Edwards at jbedwards@y115.org. Thank you for your participation and helping to provide key insights for improvement at your child's school. Please find more information at Yorkville 5Essentials Parent Survey



Yorkville Community School District 115 is proud to introduce a new student information system (SIS) called Synergy Edupoint. Families will be able to experience Synergy later this month with the opening of student registration.

On **Tuesday**, **February 27**, **2024** families will receive an email from Synergy containing a link with instructions to activate a ParentVUE account which is required to complete student registration for school year 2024-2025.

For more information please visit the <u>Registration Services</u> page under the **Parent** tab at <u>v115.org</u>.

### **Family and Community Engagement - Parent Workshop**

This is the F.A.C.E. Workshop you don't want to miss! *Open to all families*, Parent Workshop #3 will include presentations on the Physical Aspects of Mental Health, Healthy Eating by Whitsons Culinary Group, and an introduction to the new Central Registration Program and Synergy Student Information System (SIS). D115 F.A.C.E. Parent Workshop #3 will be held on Tuesday, February 27th from 6:00-8:00 p.m. at the Yorkville High School Library. (Please enter through door #27 or #28) Mark your calendars and RSVP today! Please RSVP at the following links: English - https://tinyurl.com/ynexaybp Spanish - https://tinyurl.com/3dpdx95b For more information please visit: http://tinyurl.com/mu4pee73

#### Check out the <u>YMS Book Fair Slide</u> with all the information.



## FREEZING FOR A REASON!

The "Cool School Challenge" is a competition between local schools as part of the Yorkville Polar Plunge to **benefit the Special Olympics of IL**! YMS Students and staff are being encouraged to join the "coolest" team around!



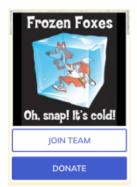
As the name Polar Plunge implies, participants **fundraise at least \$100 in donations** from friends and family in exchange for jumping in the icy waters of Lake Loon in Yorkville at Silver Springs! There are incentive prizes to raise more! **All proceeds** collected by plungers benefit Special Olympics athletes. Every plunger will receive a hooded sweatshirt when the \$100 minimum is raised!

Mrs. Wille, an 8th-grade Science teacher at YMS, has agreed to organize the team from YMS! Be one of the **brrrrravest** people around and join our team today! Ask a friend or family member to join our Frozen Foxes team to raise money for Special Olympics! Not ready to feel the chill, donate to a team member to show your support!

# Ways To Get Involved:

### **Join** the Frozen Foxes Polar Plunge Fundraising Team

**Donate** click on "members" to select a staff member and/or student to donate to on our Frozen Foxes Team.



If you have any questions please contact: kwille@y115.org

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### Wellness Wednesday

Next week, students will be completing Second Step Lessons during their Wellness Wednesday Advisory period. Below you will find a summary of the lessons that will be covered at each grade level this coming week.

#### Lesson 23: Resolving Conflict Part 1

• Objective: Students will be able to describe the perspectives of everyone involved in a conflict in a nonjudgmental way.

#### Lesson 14: Understanding Stress and Anxiety

• Objective: Students will be able to recognize how stress and anxiety affect their emotions, thoughts, and bodies





### **EVENT DETAILS**

APRIL 20, 2024 6:00–11:30PM PARAMOUNT THEATRE, AURORA DRESS CODE: COCKTAIL ATTIRE TICKET COST: \$125/PP

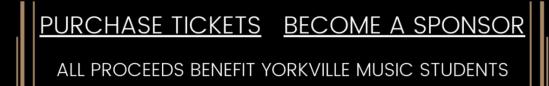
## HOTEL BLOCK

HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS & SUITES, AURORA <u>RESERVE A ROOM</u>

### MORE INFO

WE ARE ROLLING OUT THE RED CARPET FOR OUR FIRST GALA!

- PREMIUM OPEN BAR
- CHOICE OF PLATED DINNER
- SILENT AUCTION
- - NEW VINTAGE STRINGS
  - LAST INSTIGATOR PRODUCTIONS
  - JORDAN BUMGARNER



<u>yorkvillemusic.org/gala</u>

# https://www.yorkvillemusic.org/gala

Please click here to purchase a YMS yearbook!

### **YMS Student Educational Travel**

Come with us to New York City! Explore the greatest city in the world taking in the sights and sounds of New York. We will stay in Midtown Manhattan and enjoy the city's world class entertainment on Broadway, the historically significant places, tours of the Statue of Liberty, Ellis Island, The Empire State Building, and more. Use the link below to access the official information, and how to register for the trip. Be

sure to look at the payment plans available, or call the tour company phone number. Parent chaperones are welcome.

Link to brochure and sign up information. Tour Number A598. Trip date is 06/20/2024

# Notes to Note 💐

#### Notes from the Main Office

Meal Menus can be found here: <u>http://www.fdmealplanner.com</u>. Please type in Yorkville, and then click on Yorkville Middle School. Nutrition info and menu descriptions can also be found here.

More information on Whitson's can be found here: <u>https://m.youtube.com/watch?</u> <u>v=o5zWEFy9Epc&feature=youtu.be</u>



#### Note from the Nurses' Office

Please remind your child/ren that phones should be off and away. Students should always report to the nurses' office if not feeling well. Any student who texts to go home without going to the nurse or front office will have an unexcused absence. Please reach out with any questions.



#### Notes from the PTO

Attention 8th-grade families. The Aloha dance will be held the last week of school - final date coming soon! If you are willing to help with decor, donate items for raffle baskets, and/ or volunteer your time at the event please email Josie Harris at <u>harrisjosie24@gmail.com</u>. More details will come as we get closer to the event! Thank you for your help- we look forward to an amazing send off for our 8th graders!







GOOD LUCK YMS WRESTLING! at IESA Regionals!

# FALL CHEER OPEN GYMS & TRYOUTS

OPEN GYMS - YHSA GYM

TUESDAY, APRIL 9TH 3:30 PM-5:30 PM TUESDAY, APRIL 16 3:30 PM-5:30 PM TUESDAY, APRIL 23 3:30 PM-5:30 PM TUESDAY, APRIL 30 3:30 PM-5:30 PM

TRYOUTS - YHSA GYM

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1ST 3:30-5:30 PM THURSDAY, MAY 2ND 3:30-5:30 PM

You must have a physical on file for tryouts. Pick up a tryout packet in the main office. Please contact Coach Fishbeck (hfishbeck@y115.org) with any questions!



# YMS ATHLETICS AND ACTIVITIES





REGISTRATION FOR <u>TRACK AND FIELD</u> AND <u>GIRLS SOCCER</u> IS NOW OPEN!

YOU MUST REGISTER ON 8TO18 REGISTER ON HTTPS://YORKVILLEMS.8TO18.COM

YOUR STUDENT MUST HAVE A CURRENT PHYSICAL ON FILE TO PARTICIPATE IN ANY SPORT TRY-OUT

TRACK'S FIRST DATE 7TH AND 8TH GRADE:

FIRST DAY OF PRACTICE THURSDAY 3/14

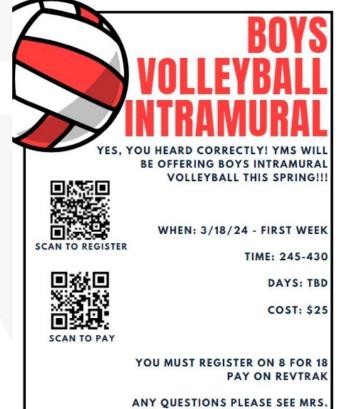
2:45-4:30



GIRLS SOCCER TRYOUTS 7TH AND 8TH GRADE:

> TUESDAY 3/19 WEDNESDAY 3/20 THURSDAY 3/21

> > 2:45-4:30



SCHMITT OR MR. PILMER



This beginner strength and conditioning camp is a free program designed for 7th and 8th grade students who want to learn the proper form and technique needed to safely develop strength and conditioning. Emphasis is placed on effort, positive attitudes, commitment, and integrity.

> This program will be held 2/15 2/20

> > 2/22 2/27 2/29 3/5 3/7 3/12 3/14

SIGN UP NOW

3:00-4:00 at YHS Weight Room Students will take a bus leaving from YMS at 2:45 to YHS <u>\*\*Parents must pick up their athletes at YHS</u> from the athletic entrance at <u>4:00\*\*</u>

#### Y115 BPAC Spirit Wear!

The Logo Factory in Yorkville opened up the link for BPAC spirit wear for the 2023-2024. If you are interested, use the link to place your order. The Logo Factory will email you once

your order is ready and you will pick up your order from the Logo Factory. <u>https://bpac.logofactoryusa.com/</u>

#### Y115 Spirit Wear!

The Logo Factory en Yorkville activó el enlace para spirit wear de BPAC para el año escolar 2023-2024. Se puede usar el enlace para pedir. The Logo Factory comunicará con usted por correo electrónico cuando esté listo su pedido y puede recogerlo de The Logo Factory.

https://bpac.logofactoryusa.com/

### CLICK HERE TO VIEW YMS BELL SCHEDULE



### **R**Partner Programs

There are many opportunities to help support Yorkville Middle School during the year. Please consider donating your time to help the PTO support our staff and students! <u>PTO Opportunities:</u> <u>Volunteer at YMS (signupgenius.com)</u>



### **YMS PTO Officers & Information**

President - Wendy Peterson Vice President - Jody Perona Secretary - Ashley Waid Treasurer - Janell Harroun

### FEBRUARY 2024

CURRENT

#### CALENDAR VIEW

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
	2:40p - 3:30p Student Council 3:00p - 5:30p Competitive Cheer Practice 6:00p - 8:00p Spelling Bee 6:20p - 8:00p	2:30p - 4:30p Scholastic Bowl Meet (H) v. A. Vito Martinez 3:00p - 5:30p Competitive Cheer Practice 5:00p - 6:30p +	3:00p - 5:30p Competitive Cheer Practice 4:30p - 7:30p Wrestling Invite (A) v. Liberty and Old Quarry 5:00p - 6:30p	3:00p - 5:30p + Competitive Cheer Practice	8:00a - 9:00a 7th Gr. Girls BB (A) Kaneland Tournament Times TBD 3:00p - 5:30p Competitive Cheer Practice	7th Gr. Girls BB + (A) Kaneland Tournament Game 3TBA 8:30a - 3:00p + Wrestling Dale Keith Tourney - Varsity Only (A)

	7th Gr. Boys Basketball Sectionals (A)	Basketball IESA Regionals (A) v. Ottawa	Basketball IESA Regionals (A) v. Plano		Wrestling Dale Keith Invite Varsity Only (A)	
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