

**O.L. Smith Middle School**  
**Daily Announcements**  
**Friday, September 6, 2019**  
**B-Day**



- 1) **Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) surveys** have been distributed to the youngest family member in each Dearborn Public School. Not all Smith students will receive this survey. Families who receive this survey are asked to fill out the survey completely and return to the main office as soon as possible. Completing this survey will help ensure that additional funding for our school is available to meet the needs of all Smith students.
- 2) **The Smith PTSA will be selling pizza and beverages in the Atrium beginning at 5:30pm the evening of Open House, Wed. Sept. 11th for your convenience. All items are only \$1 and while you are there, you can sign up to be a PTSA Member. Families who join the Smith PTSA before Sept. 13th will be entered into a raffle to win some great prizes!**
- 3) **Attention all returning NJHS students:** Check the announcement outside the counseling office for your 1st service announcement and list of hours.
- 4) **ATTENDANCE LINE (313) 827-2801. If a student is absent or late for any reason, please call the attendance line. This extension is available to leave a message 24 hours a day.**
- 5) **Open House: September 11th from 6pm-7:30pm. All Smith parents and students are welcome to attend.**
- 6) **The 8th Annual Cipriano Cross Country Run will be held on Friday, October 11th at Ford Field. This year the run will take place during the afternoon, as Dearborn students have a 1/2 day of classes in the morning. The middle school run will be 2 miles in distance. Bus transportation will be provided to Ford Field and will return to O.L. Smith following the run.**

**Students that wish to participate in the run must turn in a signed permission slip and pay \$3 no later than October 1. Interested students are asked to see their Phys Ed teacher (Dobronski, Sisty or Wyka) for a permission slip.**

- 7) Cheer Practice will be Monday-Friday 3:05-4:30 unless notified otherwise. Parents must pick up cheerleaders promptly at the doors near the football field/gym doors or at the swim doors (door 13). Games are on Thursdays. Basketball cheer practice start date will be announced in November.
- 8) Smith will be starting their Green School activities soon. If you would like to be a part of the group, please see Dr. Elder and sign up outside the counseling Office. Smith is a proud Green School and with your efforts, it will continue. Please sign up by Friday, September 6th.
- 9) Looking ahead: Sept. 20th - ½ day for students, Sept. 25th - Late Start
- 10) Lunch menus are now available through the Nutrislice software. Nutrislice also offers an app so parents & students can check what meal is being offered and see nutrition information for each meal. The links include details like calories, protein, carbs, and potential allergens such as dairy, wheat and more. The first menus are already posted at <https://dearbornschools.nutrislice.com/menu/>  
Reminder: All Dearborn Public Schools students receive free breakfast and lunch. Extra items such as chips, cookies and snacks are sold separately.
- 11) This year families are required to update the Student Emergency Form on line with a computer. This process will not work with an Ipad or cell phone. Parents and guardians must go to Parent Connect through [dearbornschools.org](https://dearbornschools.org) and update the emergency contact information for Smith students.
- 12) Smith families are reminded to review the Dress Code requirements for school. Wearing the following items violate the Smith Dress Code and students will be required to call home for a change of clothing:
  - Sandals without a back strap (slide sandals, flip flops, etc.)
  - Spaghetti strap tops
  - Muscle shirts
  - Shorts above the required fingertip length (Arms at sides)
  - Jeans and shorts with holes
  - Clothing with inappropriate wording
  - Crop tops/midriff tops
  - Leggings without proper coverage
  - Hats or bandanas/doo-ragsFor additional information, please refer to the Smith Dress Code Policy that was in the summer mailing packet, or is on display in the Main Office.
- 13) Dearborn Public Schools provides breakfast for all students in the cafeteria at 7:40am. Students are asked to eat all breakfast items in the cafeteria only

and to clean up when they have finished eating. Students are not allowed to take breakfast items from the cafeteria.