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## “OLB Hits the Road!” Week of August 9

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Hello summer families. Late last week, our plans for this summer's musical hit a definite snag: the lighting at Ohio Dominican's Matesich Theater is in serious disrepair. My contact for our arrangements there asked me to come out on Thursday & see if we could, in any way, use the theater with the lighting "as is." It cannot be fixed or changed in any way prior to this Saturday.

Mrs. Six & I went to the theater & the lighting is simply not good enough, especially for the amount of money we pay to use the facility. While this can't be helped & ODU still offered for us to use the theater, we decided it is not possible in its current condition.

Since that time, the administrative team & I have thought out & pursued numerous options. Given the short time frame & the difficulty in altering things like the scenery & staging, we've decided the most feasible plan is to hold the musical outdoors at OLB. We are making arrangements to rent chairs & have a parking service assist us in managing space (both are cheaper than what we pay ODU for theater rental).

Obviously, we will not travel to ODU this Wed. & Fri. for dress rehearsals. We will practice with students who are in attendance on those days. We ask for all students who are participating in the musical to arrive at OLB at 6:30 on Saturday evening. Guests may also be seated at that time.

Students will receive their t-shirts on Friday. If your child is not in attendance on that day, he/she will receive the shirt on Saturday.

If the weather does not cooperate on Saturday evening, we will have the students perform during the lunch/recess hour on Wed. 8/18.

Although we are sorely disappointed in this development, we know the students' hard work will be appreciated, & we will all make the best of this. That's what OLBers do!

### Other special events:

#### ● **T 8/10; G.U.I.D.E.S./C.I.T.s travel to Whetstone Library & Park of Roses today**

- Students in **grades 5-8** walk to Whetstone with Miss Misty & Mr. MacGregor.
- Students should wear: comfortable, weather appropriate clothes, tennis shoes & socks (no flip-flops, please), hats or sunglasses.
- Students should bring: backpack, book for reading, tennis racket and/or baseball/softball mitt, library card, packed lunch that will fit in backpack.
- Students will also take their water bottles & teachers will take sunscreen, which will also be applied before the groups leave OLB.
- Departure from OLB is 10 am.** The groups keep their regular schedule until that time.
- Return is approximately 1:30 pm** & regular schedule is resumed.

#### ● **W 8/11; Musical practice throughout the day**

#### ● **R 8/12 is NOT a pool day.**

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**●F 8/13; Fun Food Friday for all groups & musical practice throughout the day**

- All groups will be treated to a pizza lunch.
- No packed lunches are needed on this day.
- The cost of the lunch is included in your registration fee.
- Groups will still eat at their regular time.
- Enjoy a few extra moments of precious time since you don't have to pack a lunch!

**●F 8/13; 1:15-1:45 pm; Rosary for K-8 (Chapel)**

- The students, teachers & Miss Lori pray the rosary each week during this time.
- Parents & family are welcome to join us.

●We are making arrangements for a field trip for all groups to the Grange Insurance Audubon Center on M 8/16. Details will be announced soon.

●Please continue to place payments for weekly tuition in the box at our sign in/out area. Any families who pay with debit or credit card had their cards charged last week. The last date for debit/credit card charges for the remainder of summer tuition will be 8/24.

●Please continue to check your family mailbox in the office at drop-off & pick-up each day.

●The last day for reading tutoring sessions will be Wed. 8/18.

●Contacting teachers is as easy as:

**GROUP**

- Director
- Office Manager
- Preschool/Pre-K (The Big Rigs)
- Kindergarten
- 1st Grade (The Speedsters)
- 2nd Grade
- 3rd/4th Grades (The Pit Crew)
- 5th/6th Grades (G.U.I.D.E.S.) &  
7th/8th Grade (C.I.T.s)
- Health/Phys Ed
- Float Teacher
- Finance Director

**TEACHER**

- "Miss Lori" Dulin
- "Mrs. Six"
- "Miss Rachel" McVay
- "Miss Breanna" Schrag
- "Miss Sarah" Snouffer
- "Miss Sherri" Porosky
- "Miss Emily" Stone
  
- "Miss Cathy" Cordy
- "Miss Misty" McVay
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Our entire staff is here to help in any way possible. You can call (614)459-8285 or email staff members. If you need to send an email about a change in your child's schedule for a particular day, please email ldulin@cducation.org & your child's group teacher.

Miss Lori