

## Young Dolphins DIVE Into Learning

Develop Differentiated & Diverse Learning Experiences

Inspire Excellence

Value Community

Engage and Energize Productive Student Learners

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### 1/27/17 Home and School

*(The Home and School can also be found online at the following link.)*

<http://young.ipisd.org/uploads/9%2016%20home%20and%20school.pdf>

Dear Young Families,

Please join us next Wednesday, February 1 at 7:00 pm for a Storytelling Night for children along with the February PTA Meeting for parents with Dr. Darrell Echols, Principal at MVHS and Mrs. Jennifer Rowe, Dean at MVHS.

The PTA One Book One School program began on Monday. Students are enjoying the book Pickle as well as the trivia questions and activities that go along with the book. Please find below an update from the PTA about what is occurring with the One Book One School Program.

Have a good weekend.

Ms. Morgan

**PTA One Book/One School:** We hope you are enjoying the first few chapters of *Pickle: The (Formerly) Anonymous Prank Club of Fountain Point Middle School* by Kim Baker. Attached is the Family Letter as well as the extra New Club Application Form.

To decorate for the author visit on February 8th, we are asking students to bring in a see through PLASTIC container of a non-food item (ie: paper clips, balls, legos, crayons, cotton balls, pom poms, random toys, etc...) Please find attached container ideas. Place your name and classroom on the bottom of the container and drop it off in the LMC. Please use items found at home. You do not need to purchase anything. Containers may be picked up in the LMC on February 17th.

Also, podcasts of the book chapters read by Young staff are available on the One Book One School Tab on the Young website. <http://young.ipisd.org/Subpage.aspx?id=969>

Thank you,  
Joanne Jachimiec

**Yearbook Ordering:** Yearbook orders are now being taken through the HR Imaging website [book.hrimaging.com](http://book.hrimaging.com). **All yearbook orders must be placed by March 24, 2017.** After the deadline date of March 24, 2017, yearbooks will not be available for purchase. If you are not sure if your child's picture packet included a yearbook, please **contact HR Imaging at 815-433-1766** (Mon-Thu: 8:00 am-4:00 pm & Fri: 8:00 am-1:00 pm). HR Imaging will be able to share that information with you.

**2017-18 Kindergarten Pre-Registration:** Kindergarten pre-registration is open for the upcoming school year. If you or a neighbor has a child who will be **5 on or before September 1, 2017**, please complete and return the pre-registration form to the Young School office. The pre-registration form can be found at the following link. **Kindergarten Parent Orientation is Monday, March 6 at 7:00 pm.** <http://young.ipisd.org/News.aspx?id=87803>

Upcoming Calendar Dates	
Tuesday, 2/7	Jump Rope for Heart during the school day <a href="http://young.ipisd.org/News.aspx?id=87986">http://young.ipisd.org/News.aspx?id=87986</a>

<p><b>Friday, 2/10</b></p>	<p><b>PTA Daughter Dance</b></p> <p><b>7:00 pm – 9:00 pm</b></p> <p>Girls can attend the Daughter Dance with a mom, dad, grandparent, aunt, uncle, or other important adult in their life.</p> <p><a href="http://young.ipds.org/News.aspx?id=87915">http://young.ipds.org/News.aspx?id=87915</a></p>
<p><b>Thursday, 2/16</b></p>	<p><b>PTA Portillo's Night</b></p> <p><b>5:00 pm – 8:00 pm</b></p> <p>Proceeds from this night will go towards supporting PTA programs for students and families.</p>
<p><b>Monday, 2/20</b></p>	<p><b>No School-Presidents' Day</b></p>
<p><b>Tuesday, 2/21</b></p>	<p><b>Young Science Fair</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Students must register in order to participate in the Science Fair.</b></li> <li>• Science Fair Registration Form (click on the link below): <a href="http://goo.gl/forms/GYWThmmnNq">http://goo.gl/forms/GYWThmmnNq</a></li> <li>• Event Details and Project Guidelines can be found at <a href="http://young.ipds.org/Subpage.aspx?id=1228">http://young.ipds.org/Subpage.aspx?id=1228</a></li> <li>• Please direct questions to Mrs. Getzin at <a href="mailto:laura_getzin@ipds.org">laura_getzin@ipds.org</a></li> </ul>
<p><b>Thursday, March 2</b></p>	<p><b>Parent Teacher Conferences (No School)</b></p> <p><b>1:00 pm – 8:00 pm</b></p> <p>March 2<sup>nd</sup> conferences occur based teacher or parent request. If you are interested in scheduling a conference with one of your child's teachers, please contact the teacher to schedule a conference.</p>

<b>Friday, March 3</b>	<b>No School-District Institute Day</b>
<b>Monday, March 6</b>	<b>Kindergarten Parent Orientation Night-7:00 pm</b> <a href="http://young.ipds.org/Subpage.aspx?id=1144">http://young.ipds.org/Subpage.aspx?id=1144</a>