

October 2, 2014

Dear Walden Green Families:

I have some terrific news to share with you, please read below.

iPad gift

Wednesday, our Middle School students were presented with a phenomenal gift of 37 iPads. This extraordinary gift of technology also included a wireless keyboard and a carrying case to assure the longevity of each machine. With the current iPads, as well as these additional 37 iPads, we now have a one to one ratio for our middle school students to use here at school. After we “opened” this generous gift, the students compiled a list of ways that the iPads might be meaningful in our academic setting. An anonymous donor gave this wonderful gift to our school, in recognition of our strong curriculum and our programming opportunities for our students. I am incredibly grateful and deeply appreciate the opportunity that this affords our middle school adolescents. This gift goes a long way in making our students educational experience even more extraordinary.



Picture Day

Don't forget that tomorrow is Picture Day. Send your child to school with a big bright smile. Retakes are scheduled for November 3rd.

Farewell Lisa Cates

Tomorrow will be Lisa's last day in before and after care. Lisa has been an integral part of our Walden Green community for over three years. We will miss her dedication to our students, the green team and our families. This morning the faculty honored her with a potluck breakfast. She will be missed.

Our new arrangement will be managed by Frank in the afternoon and Andrea in the morning. We are glad to have their commitment to our program effective Monday morning.

Count Day

Yesterday was count day for the State of Michigan. I'm happy to report that we have 167 students, which is above our budgeted forecast. This is great news. In addition, we are hosting on-going tours for interested families to join our community here at Walden Green. If you should happen to know any families that are looking for a great place to send their children, please have them contact Patty or I in the main office.

Enjoy the weekend ahead.

Sincerely,

Mark Neidlinger
Director