

# Cohasset Middle-High School

FEBRUARY 11— FEBRUARY 17, 2018

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## *from the desk of Principal Connolly...*

On Wednesday evening, I joined with members of the Middle School Steering Committee and Asst. Superintendent Sullivan to present the NELMS (New England League of Middle Schools) report to School Committee. This report was part of our continued work to examine our middle school practices and determine which could be stronger and more supportive of middle level learners. Following a year-long self study in which all middle school faculty and staff were engaged, we invited the NELMS visiting team to come to our school in November and develop some feedback and recommendations for our consideration. The Steering Committee has since worked to analyze the data in that report and to prioritize our areas of greatest need.

The next step will be the formation of an Action Planning Team, which we hope will be representative of all stakeholders by including parents and community members. If you would be interested in serving on that committee, please keep an eye out in the next week for an invitation to submit your name. We want to be able to share a timeline and meeting dates that so people can determine their availability etc. before officially asking people to join. Bringing everyone together to celebrate the positives about our middle school and to determine our next steps for continued improvement I believe will be powerful and important work. Whether you are on a committee, the parent/caregiver of a student, or simply an interested community member, we intend to keep folks updated on our plans and progress as a school.

The report and its executive summary of strengths and recommendations can be found on our [school website](#). For those who would appreciate a more visual overview, the slideshow we shared on 2/7 is also posted there. If life doesn't allow you the time to do either, know this: the report solidifies our belief in our passionate and talented staff, it recognizes the work we in which have already engaged during our self-study, and it makes many recommendations that support our philosophy of middle school and what we would like it to look like and feel like for kids! My continued thanks to our school community for its ongoing support of this initiative. It is exciting work that we are energized to continue!

Congratulations to Senior **Amby Tierney** of Cohasset Model UN for winning the first ever award for Cohasset as the **MOST OUTSTANDING DELEGATE** at Harvard Model UN (HMUN) in January!

**Looking for a little entertainment this evening?**  
**Senior Caitlin Conrad and a cast of thespian friends**  
**are performing**  
**“The Kennedys for President”**  
**a play written and directed by Caitlin as an**  
**Independent Study project.**  
**Curtain time is 7 PM in the CMHS Auditorium.**



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## Cohasset Middle School Yearbook

Our Sale is coming to an END! Don't  
be left out...

The Middle School journey is filled with memories of friends, school, and social occasions. Our yearbook is a wonderful way to look back on this special time and recall the excitement shared with friends. These colorful memories can be yours for \$25.00 payable to Cohasset Middle School. Don't be left out,

**ORDER ONLINE AT *YBPAY.COM* with code 13200118**

**or Return this form along with your payment to Ms. Gordon in room 109.**

**Please make your \$25.00 check out to CMHS**

<b>Yearbook Order Form</b>				
	<b>Information</b>	<b>Qty</b>	<b>Price</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Yearbook</b>	<b>A time capsule of the 2017-2018 school year.</b>		<b>\$25</b>	
	<b>Total Due:</b>			

**(Print) Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Homeroom:** \_\_\_\_\_

# Orders due by March 1, 2018

Cohasset Middle School Proudly Presents.....

# PETER PAN JR.

A musical based on the Play by J.M. Barrie

**Lyrics by**

Carolyn Leigh

**Additional Lyrics by**

Betty Comden & Adolph Green

**Music by**

Morris (Moose) Charlap

**Additional Music by**

Jule Styne

**Originally Directed, Choreographed and Adapted by**

Jerome Robbins

Thursday March 1 at 7pm

Friday March 2 at 7pm Tickets

\$10

*It's not on any chart, you must find it in your heart.....*

Peter Pan JR. is presented through a special arrangement with

And all authorized materials are supplied by Music  
Theatre International, New York, NY (212) 541 - 4684  
mtishows.com

# Middle School Candy Grams

For

## Valentine's Day

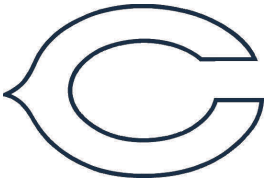


Send a chocolate treat and special message to a friend or yourself - On sale during break and lunch through Monday and delivered during IST on Feb. 14<sup>th</sup>.

\$2.00 each

Sponsored by: M.S. Student Council

**PLEASE NOTE UPCOMING DATES/EVENTS**



- 2/19-2/23 Winter Break
- 2/27 8th Grade Parents Curriculum Night 6:30 pm
- 3/1-3/2 MS Musical
- 3/3 HS Drama Festival Preliminary
- 3/6 HS Junior Class College Planning Night 6:30-8:30
- 3/8 Early Release
- 3/9 PD Full Day
- 3/19 Spring Sports Begin
- 3/21 All School Chorus Concert
- 3/22 All School Band Concert
- 3/30 Good Friday No School