

## **Evesham Township School District**

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Dear ETSD Families.

<u>Highlights</u>: Veterans Day Recognition; Vaccination Clinics Update; Cherokee's Fall Performance of Cinderella; Art Contests; Community Activities; Friendly reminders.

### **Veterans Day Recognition**

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all veterans of our armed forces among our ETSD families and staff. Your service, past and present, ebles school districts to do their work and serve our country's children. Your contributions--putting others before self--are a model of service for any school district, including ours. Every morning, when the flags are raised outside our buildings, you have made that possible, and much more. Thank you.

### **Vaccination Clinics Update**

For parents seeking vaccination options locally, please see this flyer for <a href="Free Vaccine Clinics for Ages 5+ Today">Free Vaccine Clinics for Ages 5+ Today</a>, Tomorrow, Sunday at Cherry Hill Mall. Also, our district is in communication with Walmart Pharmacies, with which we were connected through the NJ Dept. of Health, regarding hosting voluntary vaccination clinics for ages 5 and older at our schools, not during school hours, at no cost to our district, and with no pressure to participate. These completely voluntary opportunities are a way of providing options to help families. Among other considerations, we have seen this year that vaccination can increase in-person learning. For example, per NJ Dept. of Education guidance, people who are fully vaccinated do not have to quarantine if they are close contacts as long as they are not exhibiting covid-like symptoms. I anticipate being able to share specific information including times and locations by early next week. The first clinics may be next weekend.

### Cherokee's Fall Performance of Cinderella

Cherokee High School's drama students are presenting Rodgers and Hammerstein's classic "Cinderella" on November 26 and 27 and December 3 and 4 at Cherokee's Performing Arts Center. All performances begin at 7 pm. Tickets are \$12 and can be purchased at <a href="https://www.cherokeedrama.org/">https://www.cherokeedrama.org/</a>. Golden Age passes will be honored at the November 27 performance. Come see this incredible cast, crew, and production! Can't wait!



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#### **Art Contests**

As so many of our students are passionate about art, I would like to share these two contests going on now. Details are available via the links below.

- Art Contest: Hope, Healing and Resilience Through the COVID-19 Pandemic
- 2022 International Aviation Art Contest
  - Aviation Art Contest Brochure
  - Aviation Art Contest Announcement

### **Community Activities**

https://www.evesham.k12.nj.us/community/community\_activities

### Friendly reminders

- The <u>Evesham Diwali Celebration</u>, free and open to all, is going on right now at the Gibson House. Hope to see you there! (Am heading there after I hit send on this Update).
- Free COVID testing site in Medford
- Vaccination Walk-In Opportunities
  - Mondays, from 2 PM to 6 PM, at the Burlington County Emergency Services Training Center, 53 Academy Drive, Westampton (drive-thru clinic);
  - Tuesdays, from 9 AM to 1 PM at the Palmyra Community Center, 30 West Broad, Palmyra;
  - Wednesdays from noon to 4 PM at the Weimann Building, 400 Delanco Road, Edgewater Park;
  - Thursdays from 3 PM to 7 PM at the Bordentown Township Senior Center, 3 Municipal Drive, Bordentown.

Sincerely,

Dr. Justin Smith

Superintendent of Schools