Happy Monday Murray Parents!

We hope you and your families are safe and well.

**Open Enrollment for Grades Kindergarten, 1st, and 3rd**
Our Murray admission team exhausted the Kg, 1st, and 3rd grade waitlists. With that, we can now enroll students that were not on the Murray waitlists for these grades. If you know of a family that has students in these grades and are looking to enroll at Murray, please have them contact Ms. Prinz, our dean of students. Ms. Prinz’s email is: mprinz@cps.edu.

**We are hiring!**
We currently have a Part-time Miscellaneous position available. The duties include, but not limited to, assisting with breakfast, recess, lunch, hallway transitions, morning entry, and afternoon dismissal. The pay is $15 an hour for 7 hours a day Monday-Friday. If interested, please send a resume to Ms. Burton, our assistant principal. Ms. Burton’s email is: tblurton2@cps.edu.

**Murray Picnic and CPS Back-to-School Bash**
- Our Murray picnic is Saturday, August 28th from 12:00PM to 3:00PM.

- The district is hosting Back-to-School Bashes to allow students and families to reconnect with their school communities and prepare for a safe and productive start to the upcoming school year. This bash is also an opportunity to get vaccinated against COVID-19. They are free to attend and advance registration is not required. The bash in our network is on Friday, August 20th from 12:00PM to 5:00PM. **The location is: Colman Administrative Office 4655 S. Dearborn St., Chicago, IL 60609**

**Homeroom Teachers**
We plan to finalize our school schedule this week. At the point of finalization, parents can visit Aspen and see the homeroom teachers. We will do a callout to alert parents when the scheduling is done. [Click here for a list of all Murray teachers.](#)

**Orientations**
- Our annual Kindergarten orientation is August 24th @ 5:00PM.
- We are currently planning an orientation for grades 1st – 8th. The targeted parents for this meeting is for new parents from last year and this year. The tentative date is August 25th.
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**We are Murray, We are one!**

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