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Important Dates

3/13 Finance Committee,
6:30 pm

3/15 Policy Committee,
3:30 pm

3/16 Heggies Pizza Pick
Up, 4:15 pm - 6:15 pm

Food Service Program

Current Lunch prices -
including milk

Hot, Alt. or Emergency
Lunch:

- Full Pay = \$3.50;
- Free/Reduced = \$0.00

Vegetarian Lunch:

Greetings!

To the left, you will find helpful links to important pages on our website (School Links), and will provide a quick list of upcoming events (Important Dates.)

NEED TO KNOW.....

2017/2018 School Calendar Approved ([Holly Fischer](#))

The 2017/2018 school calendar was approved at the last board meeting. Please [click here](#) to view or find it on the school website.

Heggies Pizza Results & Pick Up ([Melanie Persellin](#))

Thank you to everyone who participated in the Heggies Pizza fundraiser. **The students raised just over \$11,750** toward our goal to raise \$148,500 for the new playground!

All Heggies Pizza orders will be delivered to the school and must be picked up between 4:15 p.m. and 6:15 p.m. on March 16. The pizza pick up area will be located by the office.

The pizzas will be frozen. With the warmer weather, we recommend bringing a cooler to help ensure your pizzas remain frozen before you deliver them.

After picking up your order, consider attending the DaVinci March Madness basketball game from 5 to 8 p.m.

More Good Eats!



- Full-pay = \$4.50;
- Reduced-price = \$0.40;
- Free = \$0.00

A La Carte Items - charged to ALL students:

- Milk-only = \$0.50;
- Pre-Ordered Extra slice of pizza = \$1.50,
- Emergency meals = \$3.50
- Extra Entree (Grade 6-8 only) = \$1.50

Current Breakfast Price:

- Full-pay = \$1.75
- Kindergarten = \$0.00
- Reduced-price = \$0.00
- Free = \$0.00

Go [here](#) to apply for free or reduced-price meals or to find out more about the food service program.

PTO News

Link [here](#) to the PTO website or download the most recent [newsletter](#) (dated April 2016) for recent information.

Label All Apparel

Help reduce our lost and found! Please label all clothing, outdoor and lunch boxes.

(Consider using [NameBubbles](#))

[\(Melanie Persellin\)](#)

We'll be partnering with Chili's in Blaine in March as part of their Give Back program. If you eat out at Chili's and present a special voucher, DaVinci Academy will receive 15% of the sales. Watch for dates and the voucher in an upcoming newsletter. All funds raised will go toward the playground fund.

Dollars for DaVinci Kick Off

[\(Megan Steinbruckner\)](#)

All grade levels k-8 have the opportunity to help raise money for the playground and outdoor learning spaces at our NEW school! Please note, this is absolutely not required - but classrooms will be participating in contests to see how much they can bring in.

[Click here](#) to see a copy of the informational letter that was sent home last week.

NICE TO KNOW.....

Middle School Uniform Change August 2017 - Navy Blue Polo Shirts

Starting next August, middle school students (grade 6-8) will be wearing navy blue polo shirts instead of the current red polo shirts. This will be one more way of giving middle school students their own identity and distinguish them from the K-5th students. Start shopping the sale racks now! Sears is closing stores in Minnesota and deep discounts may be available.



The rest of the uniform policy remains the same.

SEAC Meeting, 4/25

[\(Marwa Sallam\)](#)

DaVinci Academy's Special Education department is holding a Special Education Advisory Council (SEAC) meeting on Tuesday, April 25th from 5pm to 6pm in the resource room. An administrator will be speaking to SEAC attendees about the new building and how it will look for students on an IEP. A SEAC (pronounced "seek") is a group that provides input on special education issues to its local school district. Its purpose is to advise and advocate, not to decide policy.

If you have a child at DaVinci who is on an IEP and receives services, feel free to stop by the resource room on Tuesday, April 25th to get more information on what things may look like for your child next year at the new site. Please contact your child's case manager if you have any questions about the meeting. This will also be a great time to get any questions you have answered about the new building. Please contact your child's case manager if you have any questions about these meetings.

Uniform Donations Accepted

Do you have any uniform apparel at home that does not fit your kids anymore? Clean, gently used uniform apparel can be dropped off at school between now and March 30. These items will be made available to families that will be new to DaVinci next year.

ONGOING NEWS.....

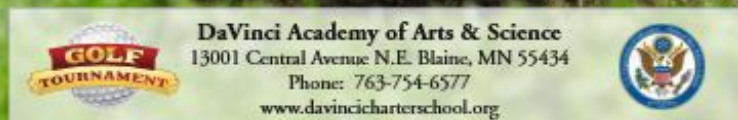
Golf Tournament Registration Open - Online Payments Accepted!

You can now register for the June 9th golf tournament on our website [HERE](#). Online payments are available for the first time from our web page as well!

SAVE THE DATE
DAVINCI ACADEMY OF ARTS & SCIENCE 6TH ANNUAL
GOLF TOURNAMENT
& Dinner

Majestic Oaks Golf Club
701 Bunker Lake Blvd NE
Ham Lake, MN 55304

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DaVinci Academy Book Drive

As you know we are running a book drive to fill our new school with books. We just boxed up the books that filled up the two book cases! Now they are ready to be filled again; please keep donating.



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