

Dear Parents,

Another Superintendent has stepped down and I realize that this is very concerning to parents and community members. I want to assure you that our good work with students here at Julian Curtiss will continue to move forward. Our exemplary staff is dedicated to the academic, social and emotional growth of our students. This dedication will not change despite the turnover in superintendents. The most important people in your child's educational world are the professionals they see everyday! We are still here and look forward to our continued work with tomorrow's future. Who knows...there might be a future superintendent in the group?

There is a solid district strategic plan in place that will continue and we have made great progress in the area of making learning personal for students. We are not going to stop making progress now!

*The Greenwich Public Schools (GPS) 2015-2020 Strategic Plan is designed to achieve the [Mission, Vision](#) and Strategic Goals for academic, personal and interpersonal growth by providing personalized learning opportunities for each student. Personalized Learning is a teacher facilitated process that provides each student with meaningful choice, guided by a standards based curriculum, in what, where, how and at what pace and appropriate depth they learn, based on individual strengths, needs, motivations, interests, goals and cultural background**

For further information please refer to the website:

<https://www.greenwickschools.org/district-information/strategic-plan>

Field Day 2018

Mother Nature did not agree with us this week. Our rain date is Wednesday, June 6th. Please note the change in time for grade levels. Our youngest students will go out in the afternoon.

TIMES:

Opening Ceremony: 8:30 – 8:45 am for K-5 on the field

Grades 3-5 will have Field Day from 9-11am.

Grades k-2 will have Field Day from 12-2pm.

Lunch: 11-12. Classes are free to have lunch outside on the field or in their classrooms during this time.

Lastly, on the note of dedicated teachers please feel free to stop by our staff meeting on Wednesday, June 6th at 3 pm in the cafe to **congratulate and give good wishes to our two retirees, Lynn Arndt and Joy Carroll. Parents are welcome!**

Have a wonderful weekend!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Trish McGuire

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