



K-8 Core Values

*Respect
Optimism
Achievement
Responsibility*

**Mary Lyon K-12 Newsletter
October 9, 2015**

9-12 Core Values

*Professionalism
Respect
Inclusion
Determination
Excellence*



Mark Your Calendars!

<u>Mary Lyon K-8</u>	<u>Mary Lyon 9-12</u>
<p>October 15 Friends of Mary Lyon Board 4:30pm October 19 Boston Celtics Spirit day or wear your Celtics Green</p>	<p>Oct 14 PSAT, Grades 10 & 11 Oct 14 Seniors College Visit Day Oct 15 Friends of Mary Lyon Board 4:30pm Oct 26-30 School Spirit Week</p>

K-12 ANNOUNCEMENTS



Congratulations to Team Lyon K-12 Together we raised \$1200 for the American Cancer Society at this year's Making Strides Boston Walk on Sunday, October 4, 2015.

Friends of the Mary Lyon Board Meeting: The first meeting for the Friends will take place on Thursday, October 15th at 4:30pm at Lyon Upper.

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<p><u>After School Program:</u> We are no longer accepting registrations for the after school program. <i>Students who are not registered for after school cannot stay beyond 3:30pm dismissal.</i> We are not able to accommodate daily requests for students to stay. If your child is registered but doesn't stay every day, we ask that a consistent schedule be communicated to the school so that we are clear on your child's dismissal plans. Miss Ashley will be reaching out to impacted families to clarify.</p> <p><u>Parent Council Elections:</u></p>	<p><u>PSAT</u> Students in grades 10 and 11 will be taking the PSAT at school on Wednesday, October 14th.</p> <p><u>Seniors College Visit Day</u> Boston Public Schools is encouraging seniors to visit colleges on Wednesday, October 14th. All grade 12 students will receive an excused absence from school with documentation that they visited a college. Please refer to the guidance department for assistance.</p>
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Thank you to all of our parents who volunteered to help with parent council this year:

Co-Chair: Patty St Amand

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Secretary: position still vacant

Treasurer: Erin Martinez

SSC: Maureen Donovan, Sheri Kiami, Elaine Meehan

SpedPAC: John St Amand

Staff members: Mrs. Condon, Ms. Gallagher, Ms. Edouard, Mrs. Greene, Ms. Stanley

Uniform Donations: We are accepting donations of gently used uniform shirts and bottoms. If you have shirts that are in good condition but don't fit any more, please send them in. We will save them for our emergency back ups or deploy them to families in need.

Winter Uniform Guidelines: L&M Discount and Lands End both have long sleeve polo options for winter. In addition navy sweaters, half-zip fleece or vest with or without the logo are the approved option for cold weather wear.

Students will not be allowed to wear their outerwear, including jackets, coats, hoodies etc during the school day.

Procedures for Pick Up: All Parents are asked to please report directly to the office if you arrive at school to pick up during the day. We will use the intercom to call for your child. Parents are asked not to go to classrooms.

Room Parents: If you are interested in being a Room Parent this year, please contact Patty St Amand at pcstamand@comcast.net.

After School Clubs

The following clubs are meeting after school...

GSA - Tuesdays

Computer Programming - Tuesdays

Weightlifting - Tuesdays & Thursdays

Theater - Mondays

Yearbook

Running

Music - Tuesdays

Double Dutch - Mondays & Tuesdays

Modern Dance

Movie Club

Culinary Club

Board Games

Governing Board

Thank you to all who attended our first Board meeting of this school year. The results of the elections are as follows:

Parent Representatives: Maryann Crush (Co-Chair), Ewa Logan (Treasurer), Christine Lonergan, and Elaine Meehan

Faculty Representatives: Herve Anoh (Co-Chair), Katie DeLaRosa (Secretary), Ashley Jacobson, Dan Kelly, and Lisa Johnson-Bechtel.

The Board will meet on the 1st Thursday of each month. The next meeting is on November 5th.