

November 13th 2019 **MARSHALL MEMOS** WE ARE MARSHALL & WE ARE DESTINED FOR GREATNESS!

Thurgood Marshall Middle School's Official Newsletter

CHECK OUT WHAT'S INSIDE THE ISSUE:

Students Learn Photoshop Music While Students Dine Important Dates & Info Calling All Parents Drop Off and Pick Up



Jose displays his first Photoshop creation

Students Learn Photoshop

This year, Marshall students in Ms. Tulloss's technology class are learning how to use the program Adobe Photoshop. Photoshop is used by professional photographers and graphic artists to enhance and create digital images. In their first project, students learned the basic tools of Photoshop by creating an image of a chef made of fruits and vegetables.

Jose Montoya, a 6th grader in Ms. Tulloss's class, said that he really likes her class and his favorite thing so far has been Photoshop. At Marshall, we are committed to offering Career Arts classes that provide skills related to future careers of interest. Currently, the Technology class is part of a 9 week rotation of Coding, Art, STEM, and Technology.



Ms. Tulloss works with students as they learn Photoshop



Music While Students Dine

Wind Ensemble performed a short Halloween concert during the lunch periods on Halloween. Students and staff were entertained by their outstanding performance. We currently have 30 students in the Wind Ensemble (advanced group). This year we also have 10 Wind Ensemble students registered to audition for Mid-State, the most we've had since Mr. Nichols has been at Marshall!

IMPORTANT DATES & INFO

- **Progress Reports:** Progress reports will be issued this Friday, Nov. 15th
- Wrestling- Our 1st Wrestling match will be Monday November 18th against Head Magnet @ Marshall. Tickets are \$2
- **Basketball-** Our 1st basketball game will be Tuesday Nov. 26th against Oliver @ Oliver. Tickets are \$3
- Thanksgiving Break- There will be no school November 27-29.

Calling All Parents

We are looking to restart our Marshall Parent Organization (PTO/PTA). As one of the largest and most diverse middle schools in Nashville, we would also like to have the largest, most diverse, and most active parent organization in the city! If you are interested in assisting, please click on the link to take our Parent Organization survey by this Friday November 8th.

http://bit.ly/MarshallParentOrganization

Drop Off & Pick Up Reminder

Just a reminder, please do not drop off students prior to 8:25 am. There is no adult supervision prior to this. On most days, we will allow parents to begin to unload at 8:20 am, so we can move the car line at 8:25 am. Now that it is getting colder, this is especially unsafe. We appreciate your cooperation with this expectation.

Also, please pick up your child by 4:15 pm. At 4:30 pm the office closes, and starting on Monday 11/25, parents will need to come into the gym (via cafe door) to sign out their child if they arrive later than 4:30 pm.



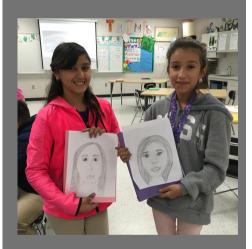
8th grade team playing it cool with shades!



6th grade team trying to find some shade



Wind Ensemble students play during lunch periods



6th graders Nohely Reyes & Yorquelis Pena display their sketches from Art class



Ms. Smith, Ms. Reyes, and Ms. Hampton show they are more than friends on Twin Day!