



LAWRENCE PUBLIC SCHOOLS USD #497
NATIVE AMERICAN STUDENT SERVICES



NASS Newsletter

Summer Announcements

May 2017

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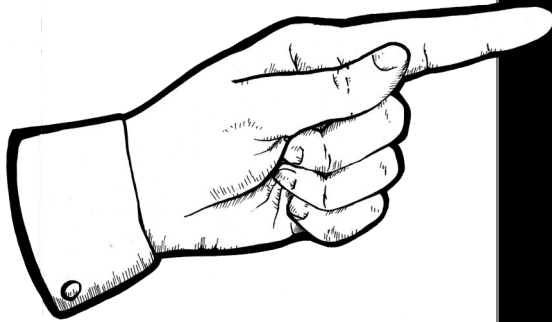
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- Something to do for every grade level, K-12

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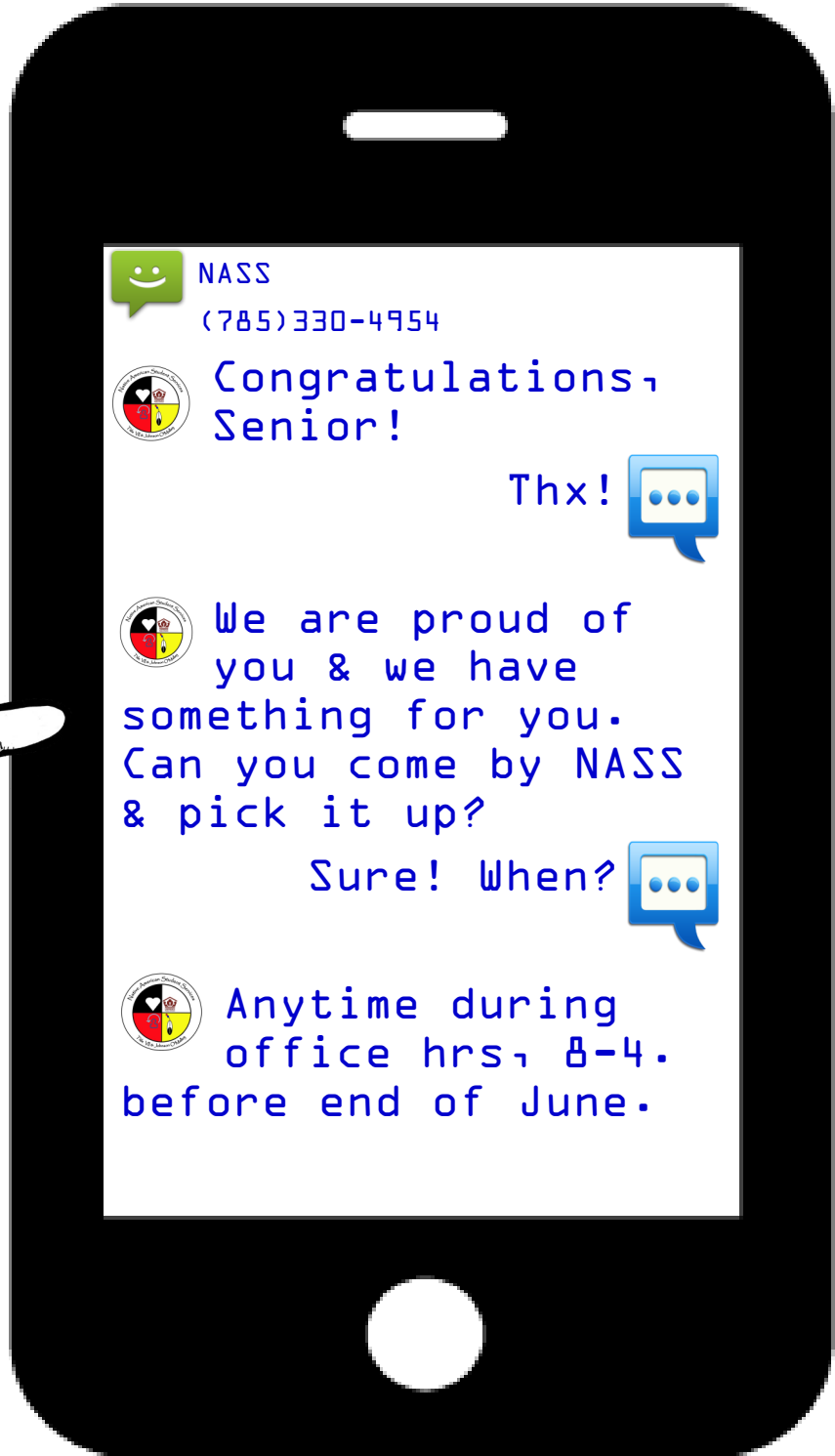
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NASS Summer Academies

NASS Summer Academies will take place June 5-23. We will continue with culturally relevant activities for kids. We will meet noon to 4pm each day in Centennial. Activities include: getting ready for next grade year, studying Native American authors, learning self-advocacy, nutrition, physical fitness and wellness, and more!

We hope that your kid/s can come each week, but if you can only commit to one week, that would be great, too. We ask that you sign up for the whole week, so that the NASS teachers & tutors can prepare for everyone.

Also include any food allergy information. An older sibling may pick up and drop off, as long as we know ahead of time. Please fill out the slip and bring to NASS office. Or you can register by email to jattockn@usd497.org.

Preparation Academy	Enrichment Academy	Leadership Academy
Incoming Kindergarteners	Leaving K-5 grades	Leaving 6-12 grades
June 19-23, 9am to noon	June 5-23, noon to 4pm	June 5-23, noon to 4pm
This is prepare incoming Kindergarteners for the transitions and group work they will encounter in Kindergarten. If your child has never been to a pre-school or head start, this is ideal. It's open to all incoming NASS Kindergartners.	Students will focus on academic and cultural enrichment, Indigenous authors, nutrition and wellness. A snack is provided. We hope that your kid/s can come all three weeks, but we ask that you sign up for at least one week minimum, for planning purposes.	The secondary students will assist with the Enrichment Academy/younger students during game times and group activities. They will have their own leadership and team-building activities as well. To apply, contact Jennifer Attocknie or Kelly Walker.

Community Events & NASS Reminders



Attention Mini-Mocs and families: The "Spring Fling" event is scheduled for Wednesday, May 17th.

If you are unable to attend next Wednesday's event, don't forget the Mocs will be hosting their first practice/workout session on June 1st at South Middle School from 6-7 pm.

Any questions/concerns contact Coach Gipp or Mrs. Gipp.

minimocsks@gmail.com or their Facebook page: www.facebook.com/MiniMocsTrackClub/



Summer Reading Program for kids and adults @ Lawrence Public Library

May 24-Aug 20.

Pick up logs at library.

Prizes for all ages.

More information : <http://www.lawrence.lib.ks.us/news-events/summer/>

LAWRENCE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Summer Reading 2017
MAY 24-AUG 20

**BUILD A
BETTER
WORLD**

Read books! Attend events! Win prizes!

NASS REMINDERS:

- The last day to bring receipts for reimbursement will be June 15. We can only reimburse current year's receipts.
- Pick up free Summer Bridge Books in NASS office! Keep your academic edge over the summer break.
- Volunteer! School Supply Work Days. Help put together the school supply kits. July 31, Aug 1 & 2; 9am to 1pm, Centennial. A great opportunity for students needing AVID volunteer hours.
- School Supply Distribution will take place August 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15 9am to 3pm, Centennial





Lawrence Summer

Meal Sites 2017

Sites will be closed Monday July 3 & Tuesday July 4

Children 1-18 eat free

June 5 - August 4

Lunch only

South Park
Broken Arrow Park
Lawrence Library Lawn
Holcom Park Recreation Center
East Lawrence Center

Lunch

12:00-1:00
11:30-12:30
12:00-1:00
11:30-12:30
12:00-1:00

June 5 - July 28

Breakfast & Lunch

Kennedy Elementary
New York Elementary
Woodlawn Elementary

Breakfast Lunch

7:30-8:30 11:30-12:30
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Adults may purchase a meal:

Breakfast \$ 2.20

Lunch \$ 3.50



NEW!
One bonus month!

student summer **BUS PASS**

Four months for \$10!

The student summer bus pass gives K-12 students the chance to get to summer activities safely, independently, and for a great deal.



NEW: Pass now starting in May! Four months for \$10.

WHO: The student summer bus pass is for K-12 students only.

WHAT: Four months for \$10.

WHEN: Pass is good for unlimited rides in May, June, July and August.

WHERE TO BUY:

- **Starting April 17**
 - City Hall
 - Dillons stores
 - Hy-Vee stores
 - The Merc
 - Community Building
 - East Lawrence Rec Center
 - Holcom Rec Center
 - Rock Chalk Park
 - Indoor Aquatic Center

- **Starting May 27**
Outdoor Aquatic Center



For information, call (785) 864-4644 or visit: www.lawrencetransit.org



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Grade entering Fall 2017	Student Name (s) <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 5px;">Parent or primary phone #s:</div>	School (if 5th or 8th grade, list both schools)	Circle Week 1, 2, &/or 3 Academy or
			1 2 3
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List names of people who will pick up child:			

Please contact us at NASS, jattockn@usd497.org or 785-330-1814 for late registration.

Week 1: June 5-9; Week 2: June 12-16; Week 3: June 19-23

For students wanting to do enroll in Leadership Academy (leaving grades 6-12)

You do not have to be a leader to be in the Leadership Academy, but you do need to be interested in leadership. There are all kinds of leaders. We want to help you find your own style.

I agree to the following:	<p>I agree to assist the teachers and adults in caring for, teaching and hanging out with the younger kids.</p> <p>I will make a commitment to my agreed upon schedule.</p> <p>I will participate in activities.</p> <p>I will help develop our own program, with team building, community caring, and individual leadership activities, led by the adults and teachers.</p> <p>If there are more applicants than spaces, I understand NASS may ask for an interview.</p>
Print Student Name:	Sign Student Name: