



# All Families Mailer

Week 18: January 2nd, 2024

## Happening This Week: Welcome Back from Winter Break

Monday 1/1	Tuesday 1/2	Wednesday 1/3	Thursday 1/4	Friday 1/5
No School	<b>School resumes today!</b>	<b>1pm Dismissal</b>  Middle School Basketball 1:00-2:30pm		<b>Skate Night Putty Hill 4-6pm</b>
<b>Coming Up: THIS WEEK!</b>  School resumes: <b>Tuesday, January 2nd 2024</b>		For more upcoming events, please refer to the <a href="#">AY 23/24 Family Digital Calendar</a>		

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## A Note from Admin:

Greetings families,

Happy New Year! We are so excited to welcome our students back to school tomorrow. We hope you had a safe, enjoyable and relaxing winter break. As we prepare to rejoin as a community, let's remember to meet each other with grace, kindness and compassion, knowing that we are all in this together and have the same common goal: success for all of our students. Over the next few days we will all be reacclimating to normalcy in schedules and routines. You can partner with us and help to make this transition smooth by supporting your child with preparation and school readiness. We can't wait to see our students back in action!



## Helpful Links

### Class Weekly Mailers

Here you will find links to your class mailers! Feel free to check out what's happening in all of our classes.

### Monday Mailers

Kindergarten	First Grade	<a href="#">Second Grade</a>	<a href="#">Third Grade</a>
<a href="#">Fourth/Fifth Grade</a>	Middle School	<a href="#">Arts &amp; Athletics Team</a>	

### Lunch Menu for the week:

1/1 Monday	1/2 Tuesday	1/3 Wednesday	1/4 Thursday	1/5 Friday
No School- New Years Day	Mild Boneless Wings Spicy Boneless Wings Deli Sandwich w/ Flatbread Corn Green Beans Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted Milk	Cheese Pizza Wedge Turkey Pepperoni Pizza Wedge Turkey Bologna & Cheese Sandwich Wedge Fries Carrot Sticks Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted Milk	Sloppy Joe on WG Hamburger Bun PB & J Sandwich w/ String Cheese Broccoli Carrot Sticks Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted Milk	Chicken Burrito Bowl w/ Sour Cream Turkey Ham & Cheese Sandwich Fiesta Taco Black Beans Side Salad Assorted Fresh Fruit Assorted Milk

#### Milk Options:

1% White Milk, Fat Free White Milk, Fat Free Chocolate Milk, Fat Free Strawberry Milk  
([Milk Nutrition](#))

#### Seasonal Fresh Fruit

Apples, Oranges & Bananas([Fruit Nutrition](#)) ([Condiment Nutrition](#))

All rolls, breads, and tortillas are made with whole grain.

Menu is subject change

## What's Happening: Upcoming Events-

### FREE After School Arts Programs for Middle School Begin 1/29!!

Greetings CNH Families! Thanks to some grant funding from the Family League, we will be offering **SEWING/FASHION DESIGN, SET DESIGN, THEATER, CHOIR, DRUMMING**, and **DANCE** after school beginning at the end of this month! Use this link to see the tentative schedule and to sign your child up: <https://forms.gle/VnicQda5yaD2dF4MA>

Students involved in these after school programs will be preparing to put on The Wiz in June. Only Theater requires an audition. All other programs are open to all middle schoolers. **If all 45 spots for middle school students are not filled, 5th and 4th graders will be permitted to participate until we reach capacity.** Please, see the updated audition schedule below:

**Jan 10th- 6th Grade Auditions 3-5 Auditorium**

**Jan 11th- 7th Grade Auditions 3-5 Mr. O's Room**

**Jan 12th- 8th Grade Auditions 3-5 Auditorium**

**Jan 17th - Call Backs 3-5 Auditorium**

All audition materials are available in The Wiz Google Classroom. Here is the invitation link: <https://classroom.google.com/c/NjQ0NzgzNzUzNzZw?cjc=nxnpuqg>

Please email Ms. Breai at [bmason-campbell@cityneighborshamilton.org](mailto:bmason-campbell@cityneighborshamilton.org) with any questions.

### CNH HOSTS: First Friday: Skate Nights!

Skate Night Dates for CNH 2024:

- [January 5th](#)
- [February 2nd](#)
- [March 1st](#)
- [April 5th](#)
- [May 3rd](#)

Time: 4 p.m.-6 p.m. (They can stay longer if families choose)

*Join us on the first Friday of each month for Skate Night at Putty Hill, as CNH receives some of the proceeds from this event.*

We hope to see you there!

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**City Neighbors Parent/Guardian PBL Night:**

## City Neighbors parents!

Join us for our City Neighbors Parent Arts Project-Based Learning Night. Come develop an understanding of a key part of our City Neighbors approach - project-based learning. Learn what it is, how it might look in your child's classroom, and help design it for yourself. The night will be a hands-on, community-building, and interactive event, led by City Neighbors educators for parents from all three schools.

The event will take place in the City Neighbors Hamilton art room.

To join us, please RSVP here by Friday, January 19th: <https://forms.gle/9scSrhkPLiVgFja76>

If you have any questions, please contact Mike Chalupa, City Neighbors Foundation Director at [mchalupa@cityneighbors.org](mailto:mchalupa@cityneighbors.org).

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## Let's Advocate for Funding for Charter School Students!

For the first time ever, charter schools may have the opportunity to get funding for our facilities. Senator Cory McCray is sponsoring a charter school facilities funding bill. This could mean a huge impact for our schools - possibly up to \$2000 per student to cover the cost of our Facilities expenses!

Come to Annapolis! Join us Wednesday, January 31st, during the day, for Charter School Advocacy Day. Buses will leave City Neighbors to head to Annapolis at 8:30 and return at approximately 4 pm. Our job? To convince our representatives that it's finally time to fix this inequity. We are seeking 40 folks from our schools! Sign up here: [Charter School Advocacy Day 2024](#)



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**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10TH | 5-9PM**  
**1507 HAVENWOOD ROAD, BALTIMORE, MD, 21218**

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ORDER ONLINE FOR PICKUP USING CODE **CVH8ABN**  
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For online orders to count towards the fundraiser, they must be placed for pickup only from the restaurant location of, and during the hours of, the fundraiser. Delivery orders and gift cards do not qualify. \$150 minimum event sales required to receive any donation.



# Enrollment 2024-25

We have begun accepting enrollment applications for 2024-25!



Now Accepting  
Applications

## NEW FAMILIES

City Neighbors Hamilton is now accepting enrollment applications for next school year. The deadline to receive applications from **new families** for inclusion in the enrollment lottery is 3 PM February 2, 2024. Please spread the word!

## CURRENT FAMILIES AND STAFF

The deadline to receive applications for **siblings of current students** and children of school staff is **January 22, 2024**. If your child currently attends CNH, there is no need to reapply. Intent to Return forms will be sent and collected in January. Siblings and children of staff will not be included in the enrollment lottery, **HOWEVER**, you must submit an enrollment application by **January 22, 2024** in order for us to have an accurate count of open seats when we conduct our lottery.

Enrollment applications can be found here:

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeKFYZ1Oru2NVeCet6dPh3JkASh6d83yTaqXjR1zuinRd0DnA/viewform?usp=sf\\_link](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeKFYZ1Oru2NVeCet6dPh3JkASh6d83yTaqXjR1zuinRd0DnA/viewform?usp=sf_link)

Please be aware that the Sibling Preference Policy only applies to siblings of current City Neighbors Hamilton students. **It does not apply to siblings of students who are enrolled at City Neighbors Charter School or City Neighbors High School.** Read the entire policy on our website, as well as get answers to other frequently asked enrollment questions: <https://www.cityneighborshamilton.org/apply>

If you have any questions about enrollment, please reach out to Enrollment Coordinator, Stephanie King, at [sking@cityneighborshamilton.org](mailto:sking@cityneighborshamilton.org).



# 2023-24 SCHOOL CALENDAR



August	M - F	21-25	Teaching/Classroom Staff Return, Staff Professional Development
	M	28	First Day of School for Students
September	M	4	NO SCHOOL—Labor Day
October	W	4	Parent-Teacher Conferences
	F	6	Asynchronous Learning Day 1*, Parent-Teacher Conferences
	F	20	NO SCHOOL—Staff Professional Development
November	F	17	NO SCHOOL—Staff Professional Development
	W, Th, F	22, 23, 24	NO SCHOOL - Thanksgiving holiday
	M	27	1 <sup>st</sup> Trimester Ends
December	F	1	Asynchronous Learning Day 2*
	F, M-T	1, 4-5	Report Cards Mailed
	F-F	22-29	NO SCHOOL - Winter Break
January	M, T	1,2	NO SCHOOL—Winter Break
	T	3	School Resumes
	M	15	NO SCHOOL - MLK Day
	S	20	13 <sup>th</sup> Annual Progressive Education Summit
	W	24	Parent-Teacher Conferences
	F	26	NO SCHOOL - Parent-Teacher Conferences
February	F	16	NO SCHOOL—Staff Wellness Day
	M	19	NO SCHOOL - Presidents Day
March	F	1	Asynchronous Learning Day 3*
	T	5	2 <sup>nd</sup> Trimester Ends
	M-W	11, 12, 13	Report Cards Mailed
	F	15	NO SCHOOL—Staff Professional Development
April	M-F	25-29	NO SCHOOL--Spring Break
	M	1	NO SCHOOL--Spring Break
	T	2	School Resumes
May	W	8	Parent-Teacher Conferences
	T	14	NO SCHOOL—Election Day
	W	15	Parent-Teacher Conferences
	F	17	NO SCHOOL—Staff Professional Development
	M	27	NO SCHOOL - Memorial Day
June	TBD	TBD	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation Ceremony
	T	11	1 PM Dismissal, Last Day of School (if no inclement weather days used)
	W	12	Inclement Weather Day 1 (if necessary)
	Th	13	Inclement Weather Day 2 (if necessary)
	F	14	Inclement Weather Day 3 (if necessary)
	F, M-T	21-25	Final Report Cards Mailed

## Need to pay for a field trip? Want to make a donation?

Scan the code below! Be sure to add a description of your purchase to the “for” section.



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