



WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2023

# MASON MINUTE

*Weekly District News*

## Bulldog Bright Spot



The Mason High School National Honor Society brought students together to raise awareness and honor the memory of their friends and classmates Amanda Blue and Lillian Klages, during a safe driving event at the high school yesterday.

Led by junior Aidan Daenzer, the event included distracted driving and impairment simulations as well as offered students the opportunity to sign a pledge to drive safely.

Local businesses and the Mason community supported the effort with donations for the event as well as pledged funds to continue to raise awareness about safe driving. [Check out the WILX story about the event!](#)



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## Winter Enrichment Events

### MASON AQUATIC CENTER WINTER BREAK EVENTS DECEMBER 23, 2023 - JANUARY 6, 2024

Join us over Winter Break for fun in the pool! Payment for all Aquatic Center winter break events can be made at the door using correct cash or check.

#### Open Swim:

- December 26: 1-3 p.m.
- January 2-4: 1-3 p.m.
- January 5: 6-8 p.m.

\$3/adult, \$2/students or senior citizens, \$8/family of four.

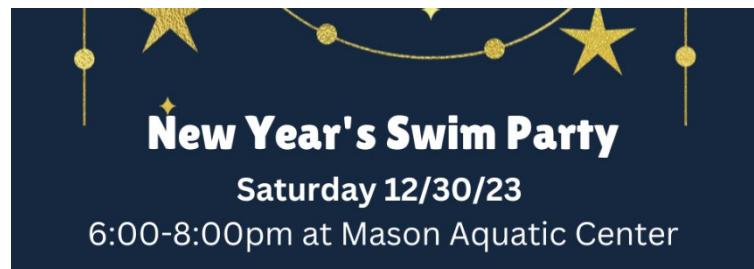
#### Adult Lap Swim (18+):

- December 26: 6-7:30 a.m.
- January 2-5: 6-7:30 a.m.

\$5/person or \$35/10-punch card

#### New Year's Swim Party!

- Saturday, December 30, 2023
- 6-8 p.m.
- \$5/adult, \$4/student or senior citizen, \$15/family of four, \$1/additional family member in the same household.



Ring in the new year with a family-friendly open swim and movie. Gift bags are available for the first 50 swimmers. All regular Open Swim rules will apply, and swimmers must pass a swim test to use the deep end of the pool.

There will be no Water Fitness classes during winter break and the pool will be completely closed December 27-29 for cleaning and maintenance.

The Community Education [Winter Enrichment Guide](#) is now available, and [registration](#) is open for all classes and events! Check out the great offerings and stay active this winter!



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## Elementary School Dances- Enrollment is now open!

Sign up now and join us for the spring elementary school dances! All events will take place at Mason Middle School on Saturday, March 16, 2024.

Please be sure to enroll in the appropriate event for your child's elementary dance and enroll your child and one adult to attend with them. Search the registration codes below to register for the correct dance for students and adults.



- 3-4:15pm - Alaieton Elementary Dance, 5000-W24 (child), 5001-W24 (adult)
- 5-6:15pm - North Aurelius Elementary Dance, 5002-W24 (child), 5003-W24 (adult)
- 7-8:15pm - Steele Elementary Dance, 5004-W24 (child), 5005-W24 (adult)

Harvey Kindergarten students should attend the same dance as an older sibling. If the student does not have an older sibling, please sign up for either the 3 or 5 pm dance!

Dances are open to Mason students currently enrolled in kindergarten-5th grade. Tickets are non-transferable and there will be no refunds after tickets are purchased. Enrollment closes March 4, 2024, or when the event is full.

## Stay Healthy this Winter

Mason Public Schools has had reports of multiple illnesses this fall including Hand Foot and Mouth, Strep, and COVID-19. If you are feeling unwell, please stay home when you have any of the following symptoms:

- A fever greater than 100 degrees; A person MUST be fever free for 24 hours without medication before returning.
- Vomited or had diarrhea in the past 24 hours.
- Severe eye drainage or red swollen eyes.
- A severe or croup sounding cough.
- Severe cold symptoms or constant thick nose drainage.
- Rash of unknown origin.

Always report any absences to your student's school. If you have questions or concerns about a student or staff illness or exposure, please contact the Health Team at [bulldogrn@masonk12.net](mailto:bulldogrn@masonk12.net).

## Important Dates

**Monday, December 25- Friday, January 6, 2024- No School, Winter Break**



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