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Dear Parents of Eighth Graders,

In only a few short weeks, your student will be on to the next phase of their life. In the interim, we would like to make their remaining weeks at Liberty Middle School as memorable as possible. Some of the events that we have planned include a Field Day Kickback (5/21), Knights Under the Stars—Spring Formal (5/18), Transition Ceremony (5/22), and other celebratory events! We will have food trucks as an optional choice for students to take part in at their own leisure—all students will also have their scheduled lunch available as well as grilled food items. Please see below for additional information for the week.

SPRING FORMAL

The Spring Formal is on Saturday, May 18, 2024, from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. It is a ticketed event, and students **MUST** show a ticket for entry. **ONLY LIBERTY MIDDLE 8TH GRADE STUDENTS ARE ALLOWED TO ATTEND THE DANCE.**

FORMAL DRESS CODE:

- ✓ *Sagging pants are not allowed*—belts should be worn to keep pants at the waist.
- ✓ Dresses which expose **EXCESSIVE** cleavage, thighs, midriff and/or lower back will not be permitted.
- ✓ Sunglasses are permitted—but not mandatory.

TRANSITION CEREMONY

TRANSITION DRESS CODE:

On Wednesday, May 22, 2024, at 9:30 a.m., we will have our 8th Grade Class Transition Ceremony. Eighth graders will receive a Certificate of Completion as well as Academic and Achievement Awards. The ceremony will be held in the Liberty Middle School gymnasium.

- ✓ Boys are asked to wear black dress pants (belted), a white shirt, black tie, and black dress shoes.
- ✓ Girls are asked to wear a black OR black & white dress with black dress shoes.
- ▶ **STUDENTS MUST ADHERE TO THE NEWTON COUNTY SCHOOL SYSTEM DRESS CODE FOR THE DANCE AND THE TRANSITION CEREMONY.**
- ▶ **STIPULATIONS: Inappropriate behaviors occurring from April 12 through May 17, which produce a disciplinary referral resulting in out-of-school suspension (OSS) and/or two separate in-school suspensions (ISS), or ANY other stipulation mentioned in the student signed behavior contract on April 12, 2024, will automatically result in the student being ineligible to participate in ANY of the scheduled 8th grade events.**
 - ▶ These events will take place **MAY 16, 2024 – MAY 22, 2024.**

NO REFUNDS WILL BE ISSUED