



# AMS Eagle News



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Dear AMS Families,

The weeks of summer seem to be flying by! I can not believe that it is already August. Where does the time go? Before we know it, the first day of school will be upon us! Over the past few weeks, I hope that you have been able to enjoy spending time with family and friends! At AMS, we have been busy getting ready for the start of another exciting and fun-filled year.

To get our 2023-2024 school year kicked off, I welcome all Amsterdam students and their families to attend our second annual, "Chalk the Walk" event on Tuesday, August 22, 2023 from 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM outside the main entrance of Amsterdam School. Be sure to bring your sidewalk chalk and smiles and decorate the sidewalk of AMS! Remember to wear sunglasses too. It was quite sunny (and hot) last year.

I have also included in this newsletter some important dates to mark your calendars regarding Kindergarten Orientation, New Family Night, AMS Open House, and other important school events that are right around the corner.

Finally, please see the [AMS Health Office Welcome Letter](#) and information regarding the process for [Medication Drop Off](#) for the 2023-2024 school year from Nurse Hujber.

Enjoy the relaxing pace of summer by having fun, making memories, and enjoying time with family and friends. I look forward to seeing many of you on August 22, 2023!

Sincerely,  
Michele Fisher



## Important Dates at AMS

### **Medication Drop Off Dates/Times**

**Tuesday, August 22, 2023 - Thursday August 24, 2023**  
9 am until 2 pm

### **Chalk the Walk Event at AMS**

**Tuesday, August 22, 2023**

**4:00 PM - 5:00 PM**

Connect with fellow AMS friends outside the main entrance  
Be sure to bring your "bucket" of sidewalk chalk!

### **New Family Night Students in Grades 1-4**

**Monday, August 28, 2023**

**Starting at 5:00 PM**

New Family Night for new students & families in grades 1-4

### **Kindergarten Orientation and Back to School Night**

**Thursday, August 31, 2023**

**Starting at 5:00 PM**

All kindergarten students and parents are invited to attend the AMS Kindergarten Open House to learn all about Kindergarten, visit their classrooms, and learn about AMS.

### **Amsterdam Open House**

**Tuesday, September 5, 2023**

**8:00 AM - 8:30 AM**

Take a "peek" at your classroom & say hello to your teacher!

### **Back To School Night Grades 1 & 2**

**Monday, September 11, 2023**

### **Back To School Night Grades 3 & 4**

**Tuesday, September 12, 2023**

More information to follow.

### **AMS School Picture Day**

**Monday, September 18, 2023**

### **School Closed - Yom Kippur**

**Monday, September 25, 2023**

