

Wolverine Weekly
Parent Edition
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COVID and a tornado; it has been a challenging week. Many of you had damage to your property and have been busy cutting trees and searching for lost cows and such. Hang in there. This week is bound to be better! If we didn't have hard times, we wouldn't recognize the good times. Mountains don't exist without valleys.

It's been a busy week at DMS with construction continuing. Friday three deer greeted me as I rounded the corner by the gym, highlighting the beauty of our campus. This week we had the Dade County Sheriff's office working in conjunction with other agencies to train K9's in our building. Even without students, there is never a dull moment- although I certainly much prefer having kids in the building.



Items of interest:

- Look for information soon for a DMS Virtual Talent Show to happen on May 13! This will be a fun way for our kids to connect and to show off their many talents.
- I want a chance to get to know you, the parents. With that in mind, I am going to host several Zoom parent meetings this week. This will be a time for you to drop in and (virtually) introduce yourself. I am posing 2 questions for you. 1) From a parent perspective, what do I need to know about Dade Middle School? 2) What are your expectations of a principal? Feel free to visit during any of these times. *See page 2 of this newsletter for the invite information for each Zoom.*
 - Monday @ 9:00 AM
 - Tuesday @ 6:00 PM
 - Wednesday @ 1:00 PM
 - Thursday @ 4:00 PM
 - Friday @ 2:00 PM
- Digital Learning will be offered on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. Teachers are trying to keep it as simple as possible with a focus on essential standards. Grades may help but not hurt for this 9 week period.

Quote of the week: "Dignity of human nature requires that we must face the storms of life."
(-Mahatma Gandhi)

