

# eDistrict 622 -news

Friday, August 5, 2016

## Back-to-School News and Information

Students in the North St. Paul-Maplewood-Oakdale School District will head back to class in just a few weeks. The first day of school for students in grades 1-12 is Tuesday, Sept. 6 and the first day of kindergarten is Wednesday, Sept. 7.

Check out [www.isd622.org/back2school](http://www.isd622.org/back2school) for open house information as well as links to each school for supply lists and more!

## 622 Levy News

### 622 Levy Request Update

This November's election is important not only because the outcome will decide our next President and many other elected offices at both national and local levels – but also because it includes a levy increase request for School District 622. If voters approve the levy request, funding would be used to:

- maintain existing programs
- support struggling learners
- improve student and school safety
- expand accelerated learning opportunities



You can learn about the basic facts by visiting our special [levy website](#). On the website, you can find a fact sheet, voting information, an online tax impact calculator and more. We will continue to post information as it becomes available, and welcome all feedback and questions at 651-748-7629 or [levy@isd622.org](mailto:levy@isd622.org).

## Upcoming Events

### Filing for School Board closes Aug. 16

During the June 28 meeting, the North St. Paul-Maplewood-Oakdale School Board approved a resolution to hold a general election on Nov. 8, 2016 for the purpose of electing four school Board members for terms of four years each.

Candidates can begin filing for office on Aug. 2, 2016. Filing will close at 5 p.m. on Aug. 16, 2016. The four seats up for election are currently held by Theresa Auge', Steve Hunt, Nancy Livingston and Becky Neve.

An affidavit of candidacy must be filed with the School District election clerk at the District Education Center, 2520 12<sup>th</sup> Avenue East, North St. Paul, and the \$2 filing fee paid before the filing period closes.

Candidates for School Board must be an eligible voter, must be 21 years of age or more on assuming office, must have been a resident of the school district from which the candidate seeks election for thirty (30) days before the general election, and must have no other affidavit on file for any other office at the same primary or next ensuing general election.

The general election will be held between 7 a.m. and 8 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 8. Visit <http://pollfinder.sos.state.mn.us/> to find your polling place.

## Back to School Immunization Clinics

School District 622, in partnership with Homeland Health, will hold two immunization clinics for enrolled District 622 students only who have not received their required shots prior to starting school.

Students must bring their Student Immunization Form to the clinic, which specifies the immunizations he or she needs prior to starting school. The Form is available from the health office at each school or online at [www.isd622.org/immunizations](http://www.isd622.org/immunizations). Immunizations will not be given without this form.

A \$14 administrative fee is requested per vaccination, but no one will be turned away for inability to pay. Families with insurance should bring their insurance card with them. To make it easier for staff to give the vaccinations it is suggested that students wear short sleeves.

The immunization clinics will be held at the District Education Center, 2520 12th Avenue East, North St. Paul on the following dates and times:

- Tuesday, Sept. 6 – 8am to noon
- Wednesday, Sept. 7 – 8am to noon

More information is posted online at <http://www.isd622.org/immunizations>. Clinics will also be offered during the back-to-school open houses at John Glenn, Maplewood and Skyview Middle Schools.

## Work for 622!

### District 622 is hiring!

Visit [www.isd622.org/employment](http://www.isd622.org/employment) to find out more about how to join the 622 staff!

### Become a Reading or Math Corps tutor

ISD 622 is looking for reading or math tutors for the 2016-2017 school year. Successful candidates receive a stipend for 11 months of service through Minnesota Reading Corps or Minnesota Math Corps. Tutors also receive extensive training, support and general professional development opportunities.

In addition, an education award is available to use toward future education or to repay student loans. Tutors 55 or older have the opportunity to gift the education award to their child, grandchild, or foster child. Full-time tutors may be eligible for health insurance and childcare assistance.

Current district Minnesota Reading Corps volunteer Shelley Lindquist said, "I love working with children and seeing them succeed. Knowing that I make a difference in their lives is rewarding and fulfilling. Many volunteers wish they would've started this work a long time ago."

To learn how you can join the team of Minnesota Reading Corps tutors, visit [www.MinnesotaReadingCorps.org](http://www.MinnesotaReadingCorps.org). Please **do not** apply via the district website.

### Follow Careers@ISD622 on Twitter

Follow Careers@ISD622 on Twitter. To see a list of positions available with ISD 622, visit [www.isd622.org/employment](http://www.isd622.org/employment)

## Community Partners

### Find out about activities offered by community organizations

Many community non-profit organizations offer meaningful enrichment activities and events to students and families within ISD 622.

Visit [www.isd622.org/e-flyers](http://www.isd622.org/e-flyers) often to see which activities might be of interest to your family. The flyers are posted in a PDF format and available any time from any device.

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## Follow 622 on Social Media



## Community Education News

### Follow ISD 622 Community Education on Facebook!



### Adventure Connection Before & After School Age Care

Get more information and register for fall at <http://www.isd622.org/ac>.

### GED and English as a Second Language Classes

Classes are held at Harmony Learning Center, 1961 County Road C East Maplewood (3 blocks south of Maplewood Mall on the corner of County Rd C and White Bear Avenue). Learn more at [www.isd622.org/abe](http://www.isd622.org/abe) or call 651-748-6208.

### Adult Programs

#### Adult Enrichment Classes and Activities

New classes went live on July 1! We are online at [www.isd622.org/adultenrichment](http://www.isd622.org/adultenrichment). To register, go online to [www.isd622.thatscommunityed.com](http://www.isd622.thatscommunityed.com) There is also a secure registration hotline at 651-748-7254.

### Teach a Community Education class!

Share your skills by teaching a class! Instructors are paid a stipend to lead classes and activities. Contact Cheryl at 651-748-7252.

### Gladstone 55+ Center

Receive the quarterly newsletter for the Gladstone 55+ center, *The Dateline* at your home by [subscribing today](#).

Volunteer opportunity - [Meals on Wheels](#)

### Community Bridge - Adults with Developmental Cognitive Disabilities

### ECFE & Preschool

#### District 622 Preschool – Openings for 3-year olds!

#### 2- and 3- day morning openings!

For information on how to register, visit [www.isd622.org/preschool](http://www.isd622.org/preschool) or call 651-748-7280.

#### Registration Open for Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) 2016-2017

Please call 651-748-7280 for a copy of the Early Childhood and Family Programs Early Registration Pages or register online at <https://isd622.thatscommunityed.com/courses/ecfe/ecfe-classes>

**COMMUNITY EDUCATION** Early Childhood & Family Programs

**District 622 Preschool**  
Enroll your 3-year-old now!  
2- and 3-day morning options available

\* Children must be three on or before September 1, 2016.  
For more information call 651-702-8411 (Language interpretation available)  
[www.isd622.org/preschool](http://www.isd622.org/preschool)



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