

**NEWAYGO MIDDLE SCHOOL**  
**March 6, 2025**

Good morning Newaygo Middle School,

Happy Birthday - NONE for March 6

BOOK of the Day - March is reading month. Please guess which book this is from.....  
(teachers - the answer will be sent to you)

Students, please make sure to go directly to class during passing time and before school. Do not gather or linger in the hallways. We've noticed an increase in groups hanging out during these times, and we need to keep the hallways clear. Thank you for your cooperation!

Little League sign ups! Paperwork is in the office. There will be a Newaygo Little League Signup event this Saturday, March 8th from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM at the Brooks Township Hall.

Track sign ups in Mr. Brummel's room. Please sign up during passing time. And this week the sheet will be brought around to all the advisories (PT)

The M-Step words of the week for this week are: COMPARE and CONTRAST. These two words are easily confused with each other.

COMPARE means to examine two people, places, or things and explain their **similarities**

CONTRAST means to examine 2 people, places or things and explain their **differences.**

If a question asks you to **compare and contrast** something, you need to tell both how they are similar and how they are different.

Hot Chocolate and Donuts this week for 5th and 6th graders.

Life Skills class will be cleaning up/out the Lost and Found area THIS week so be sure to check that area for items that might be yours.

Please don't forget to utilize our 8th hour if you are struggling with some classes and need extra help.

Mondays - Science - Mr. McGowen's room

Tuesday's - Math - Ms. Fricke's room

Wednesday's - Language Arts - Mr. Chrapek's room

Thursday's - SS - Mr. Busch's room

The end of the marking period is March 14.

Teachers please be sure to check your class list to see who may be in need of that extra help.