



## Welcome Back!!



### **RECOMMENDED SUPPLIES TO HAVE FOR YOUR FIRST DAY!**

- 3 Ring Notebook
- Tab Dividers
- Pencils and Pens
- Pouch for Writing Implements
- Erasers
- i-pod earphones
- Calculators
- SSR BOOK
- Wide-rule loose-leaf paper
- Index cards
- Pocket folders

Welcome to Crew 7 L at Roger Ludlowe Middle School. We are looking forward to a terrific 7th grade experience for your child! We have planned curriculum based field trips, crew days, as well as interdisciplinary units. All of these activities will focus on skills that are academically, socially, and developmentally appropriate for middle school students.

This year, our crew will be once again part of a school-wide initiative called the Habits of Mind. These habits can be found on the website:

[http://www.fairfieldschools.org/b\\_level/b\\_RogerLudlowe/C\\_RogerLudlowe/03/habits\\_of\\_mind.htm](http://www.fairfieldschools.org/b_level/b_RogerLudlowe/C_RogerLudlowe/03/habits_of_mind.htm)

We strongly encourage all parents and students to read about these habits and their importance in life.

The teachers on crew 7-L

will be using Infinite Campus for a variety of functions. It is recommended that parents and students familiarize themselves with the Infinite Campus format. The web address for this site is:

<https://campus.fairfieldschools.org/campus/portal/fairfield.jsp>

If you do not have access to this site email: [reghelp@fairfieldschools.org](mailto:reghelp@fairfieldschools.org) for assistance.

Individual teacher uses of this site will be addressed at the beginning of the school year.

In order for each child to have a successful year, parents/guardians, teachers and students need to work together. We would like you, the parents and guardians, to support our instruction, homework, and discipline

efforts here at school. In return, we will update grade reports on Infinite Campus as one way to keep you informed about your child's experiences in our crew. We are confident that with school and home working together, each and every student can have her or his most successful year yet.

### **Dates to Remember**

**1st day of school**

**Thursday, August 28th**

**Open House**

**6th, 7th, and 8th grade  
Wednesday Sept. 10th  
7 p.m.**

**Parent Conferences**

**Thursday Oct. 23rd**

**Wednesday Oct. 29th**

**Thursday Oct. 30th**

In Science class, science goggles will be issued for grade 7 & 8 in September of their 7<sup>th</sup> grade year. If the goggles are lost or damaged they can be replaced for \$5.00 by having the student see their respective science teacher with cash or a check made out to RLMS.

## Meet the 7L Crew Teachers!



Dr. Smolinski  
Science



Mr. O'Hara  
Math



Mr. Haxhi  
Geography



Mrs. Natali  
Language Arts



Mrs. Devito  
Special Education