

As a Grade 6 student at Roger Ludlowe Middle School you can look forward to:

- ◆ **Crewing** (Our student teams are called crews) with your friends and classmates
- ◆ Performing as a member of our orchestra, band or chorus
- ◆ Learning to cook and sew
- ◆ Sharing with your school counselor to become the best you can be
- ◆ Enjoying interesting field trips
- ◆ Swinging in the Project Adventure Room
- ◆ Working with fabulous, dedicated teachers
- ◆ Exploring the internet for research and learning
- ◆ Leading the way with Student Leadership
- ◆ Becoming a Top Dog
- ◆ Cheering for our Basketball teams
- ◆ Working on the Newspaper or Yearbook
- ◆ Acting in our Drama production
- ◆ Learning many wonderful new things

## **MISSION STATEMENT**

**The mission of Roger Ludlowe Middle School is to create a quality educational environment where the unique gifts and talents of its students are acknowledged, affirmed, and developed. Working collaboratively, students, faculty and parents create a safe, supportive and tolerant atmosphere where academic, emotional, social, artistic, and physical development can reach their fullest potential. This is a place where making responsible choices and respecting one's self and others are necessary to become productive members of society and life-long learners.**



***WELCOME TO***

# **ROGER LUDLOWE MIDDLE SCHOOL**



***"Making a Difference"***



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Karin Shaughnessy— Assistant Principal  
Steve DeAngelo—Dean of Students**

March 2015

Dear Parents of Fifth Grade Students:

Welcome to Roger Ludlowe Middle School!

Making the transition from fifth grade to sixth grade is a most important one for both you and your child. Middle level education provides children with many opportunities. In the years that your child will spend at Ludlowe he or she will go through many social, physical and academic changes. We are here to support both you and your children during this time of development. We begin by inviting you to review the timeline that we have put together in this brochure to make that transition a smooth one.

Our parent orientation will take place on **April 8, 2015 in the Roger Ludlowe Middle School auditorium at 7:00 p.m.** We hope that you will be able to attend. At this time it will not be necessary to have your child with you since we will provide a comprehensive program later for their transition to our school.

We look forward to welcoming you to our school and meeting with you on

**April 8, 2015 at 7:00 pm.**

Sincerely,

Megan Tiley  
Principal

Ian Banner  
Assistant Principal

Karin Shaughnessy  
Assistant Principal

## TYPICAL GRADE 6 SCHEDULE

### *Periods 1–5*

Language Arts  
World Language  
Math  
Social Studies  
Science

### *Periods 6 & 7*

2 days – Physical Education  
3 days – Music  
*Orchestra, Band, Chorus, Keyboarding*

### Unified Arts Rotation

(One each marking period)

- ◆ Art
- ◆ Family & Consumer Science
- ◆ Health
- ◆ Computer Science



## GRADE 5 ORIENTATION to ROGER LUDLOWE MIDDLE SCHOOL

(For fifth grade students and parents from Dwight, Mill Hill, Riverfield, and Sherman Elementary Schools)

### FEBRUARY–MAY

*Ludlowe staff visits feeder schools to observe classes, review elementary student records and meet with principals and/or teachers.*  
*Ludlowe counselors and administrators meet with students.*

### APRIL

*Parent meeting on the evening of April 8th at 7:00 p.m. in the RLMS auditorium. (Parents only, please).*

### MAY

*Music selections made on Infinite Campus.*

### JUNE 3rd

*Incoming 6th Graders visit Ludlowe for Lunch and Activities*

### AUGUST

*6th graders attend orientation at RLMS (Time to be determined and will be published in the summer mailing.)*

