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After a busy fall, we are gearing up for the second half of the school year! The Methacton Education Foundation is looking forward to supporting [new exciting programs!](#) We will help fund these innovative programs with events like Dodgeball!

Thanks, as always, for your interest! Read on for news about our Dodgeball Tournament fundraiser, Grant Applications, and more ways you can support us!



DODGEBALL IS BACK!

Get ready to enjoy a fun-filled afternoon of friendly competition at our Dodgeball Tournament! **ADULT TEAM REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!**

Here are three ways you can participate:

1. Form a team and compete in the games
2. Be a spectator and cheer on the competitors
3. Be a proud sponsor of this charity event

To organize a team for the tournament, choose a captain and a total of 6-10 players. At least 70% of each team must be either a Methacton student, employee, parent, or alumni. The cost is \$25 per person plus the processing fee.

Win Prizes!

- Best Dressed Team
- Best Team Name
- First Place Teams in each division
- Top Fundraising Team

Spectators pay a nominal fee of \$5 to enter. Enjoy refreshments at our concession stand!

Proceeds from the Dodgeball Tournament will be used to fund grants that will assist Methacton families in vital ways including STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) Education, Programs that Benefit Economically Disadvantaged Students, Career Readiness, and Student Wellness.

For more details, including how to register, purchase tickets, and become a sponsor for the Dodgeball Tournament, click here <https://www.methactonfoundation.org/dodgeball/> or email dodgeball@methactonfoundation.org.



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ALUMNI



Did you know you can join Methacton Alumni & Friends? Through our online community you can find old friends, stay connected, receive updates, learn about special events, participate in mentoring, and find volunteer opportunities that support Methacton. Connect with old classmates using the official Methacton Alumni Directory.

JOIN METHACTON ALUMNI AND FRIENDS

GRANT APPLICATIONS



ATTENTION STAFF:

The Methacton Education Foundation (MEF) is accepting proposals for grants for their Spring 2024 funding cycle. The deadline is March 1st. This fall, grants were awarded at every grade level:

- Each elementary school PE department is receiving funds to purchase a set of balance bikes and all necessary equipment to add bike riding instruction to the kindergarten physical education curriculum. This project was piloted successfully at Worcester and is now expanding to the other elementary schools.

- At the middle school level, funding was provided for the Chamber Theater to come to Arcola to perform several plays based on the short stories 8th graders read throughout the year in their English classes.
- Methacton High School teachers Jennifer Specht and Lee Ann van der Kwast received financial support from MEF to pilot the use of translator earbuds by ESL students and teachers to meet the communication and academic needs of this growing population of students.

[The MEF website](#) has all the information you need to submit a Letter of Intent to propose funding for your creative idea as well as criteria for the evaluation of your proposal.

APPLY FOR A GRANT



Are you looking for ways to help us make the Methacton School District stronger? We could always use your help! Here are ways to support the Methacton Education Foundation:

- [DONATE](#)- MEF is a 501C3 and all donations are tax deductible
- [TAX CREDITS](#) -Did you know your tax dollars can support the students at Methacton? Learn more about [EITC](#).
- [VOLUNTEER](#)- We have tons of volunteer opportunities!
- [JOIN US!](#) - Sign up for our events!

LEARN MORE



MARK YOUR CALENDARS

- [3/1/2024- Fall Grant Applications are Due](#)
- [3/17/2024- 2024 MEF Dodgeball Tournament](#)

The Methacton Education Foundation is a charitable organization proudly supporting innovative educational programs for Methacton

students.



STEM
(Science, Technology,
Engineering & Math)



**Student
Wellness**



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**Economically
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