

Dear 8th grade parents and guardians,

The end of the school year is rapidly approaching! This means there is a flurry of activity with exams and trips and concerts and celebrations.

Two events are completely parent planned and produced: the **8th grade dance** on **Friday, June 15**, and the **Moving Up Reception** following the ceremony on **Monday, June 18**. Currently there are only a handful of parents working on these events. We need help!

The **8th grade dance** is to be held at DeWitt from 7:30-9:30pm on 6/15. There is a 50s theme with root beer floats and retro touches. Dancing will be in the cafeteria, and activities in the gym. This is a gift to the kids, with no admission charge and no charge for refreshments. The school and PTA help fund it, but **we really need some contributions**. Are you able to give \$10, or \$20, or more as a donation? Or, can you donate chips/pretzels or cookies/brownies (something that doesn't require a plate or utensils)? Are you handy with artwork/decorating? Anything helps.

The **Moving Up Reception** will be held immediately following the 7pm ceremony on 6/18, at Ithaca High School. We need **desserts**, or **monetary donations** (to purchase supplies), for this event.

PLEASE fill out the form below and return by Friday, June 1 to your child's home base teacher. You are welcome to call Betsy Noel at 592-4614 or email at elizabethmnoel@gmail.com with questions or thoughts.

Thank you so much!!!

Name: _____ Contact info: _____

____ YES, I can donate to the 8th Grade Dance

____ I am donating \$_____ (check to Dewitt PTA or cash in envelope. Memo "for 8th grade dance")

____ I am going to donate food ____chips/pretzels ____ cookies/brownies

____ I would like to donate my time for making decorations OR set up on June 15 (between 4-7pm) OR clean up starting at 9:30pm (circle which ones you can help with)

____ YES, I can donate to the Moving Up reception

____ I am donating \$_____ for food/supplies for the reception (check or cash as above, memo "reception 6/18")

____ I will make _____ (how many) cupcakes (We need between 700 and 800!!!)