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Dear Parents/Guardians of rising 6th grade students:

On Thursday, August 1st, and Friday, August 2nd, Peachtree Charter Middle School is hosting a special event for our rising 6th graders. We would like to invite all students who will be 6th graders in the 2013-2014 school year to participate in our Summer Bridge program. The Summer Bridge is designed to ease the transition between elementary and middle school as well as prepare students entering Peachtree to have a wonderful and productive 6th grade year!

Thursday, August 1, 2013, from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM, is reserved exclusively for 6th grade parents to register their children. Registration will take place in the gym (signs will be posted to help direct you to the correct location). Your registration will not last the entire morning, but please arrive early enough to allow approximately one hour to complete the process. Please bring the following documents to ensure a smooth registration:

- Two different types of proof of residency (current mortgage deed or lease, June or July gas or electric bill, NO phone or cable bills). Please bring two photocopies of each document that will be kept by the school.
- Current immunization form; one photo copy required.
Show proof of two MMR, two Varicella, and three Hepatitis B vaccines.

Agenda planners, PCMS spirit wear, and PE uniforms will be available for purchase. After registering and purchasing required items, students will receive their class schedule for the first semester.

Also on Thursday, any student interested in joining the PCMS band may stop by the band room for a brief instrument evaluation. Mr. Shores and Mr. Hickman will be available in the band room from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM to speak with any interested students and parents.

Friday, August 2, 2013, from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM, the students will attend an orientation program consisting of several sessions such as: appropriate use of the locker and agenda planner, extracurricular activities available, and a scavenger hunt throughout the building. Upon arrival, students will proceed to the cafeteria. Parents, please *drop off students no later than 8:00 AM*. Friday's session is intended for students only. All students need to bring their locker number and combination, agenda planner, and a pencil. Students will follow a mock class schedule. Please meet with the principal in the cafeteria at 11:30 AM for a brief meeting, prior to picking up your child at 12:00 PM.

8:00 – 8:55 Meet and Greet Social
8:55 – 10:00 Homeroom Activities

10:00 – 11:50 Class Changes
11:50 – 12:00 Closing Activity

Participation in the PCMS Summer Bridge program is optional, but *highly recommended*. There is no cost for the program; however, you must pre-register your student in order for them to attend the Friday sessions. To register, please fill out the form below, detach and return to the main office of your child's school by Friday, May 10th.

PCMS Summer Bridge (August 1st and August 2nd)

Please check one of the following and fill out the information below:

_____ My family plans on participating in both days of Summer Bridge.

_____ My family will not be able to participate in Summer Bridge.

Student Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Name(s) _____

Phone number: _____ Email address: _____

