

Greetings Nathan Hale Families,

I am writing to you to express my thanks and gratitude for all that you are doing to support the continued learning for your child/children during this unimaginable time. I realize that many of you may be thinking about and trying to plan for the summer at this time as well. Unfortunately, we are left facing what is now the unknown and planning may be difficult for many of you.

As a school leader, I share a lot of the same concerns that you have and am wondering how we can best support your child/children through this time. I'm writing to share resources that I have come across that may be helpful for you.

Since our students are not attending our school, they are missing the regular support systems in place that help them on a daily basis to thrive. Everyone's social and emotional well-being is a constant on my mind. Therefore, I have compiled a short list of Counseling Services in the Greater Boston Area that you may be interested in.

https://arbourhealth.com/

http://www.backbaycounseling.com/

https://www.backbaylifecoaching.com/

https://csrox.org/ -Children's Services of Roxbury

<u>https://www.wediko.org/</u> -Wediko Children's Services

Secondly, I want to help students have something fun to look forward to doing to help them cope during this time. While summer camps are changing their programs to maximize safety and social distancing, there are some amazing ways for kids to have fun this summer---including many virtual camps. I am providing you all with a link to a website that has been designed to support parents in getting some much-needed relief and fun for the summer. Summer: BostonSummerCamps.org

I hope that this information is useful for you all and, thank you again for all that you do every day to help us with educating your children.

You're the best!

Warmly,

Romaine