



Friday Flyer: September 30, 2016

Upcoming Events:

- 9/30 - Cross Country Meet at Granite Oaks, 4pm
- 9/30 - PTA General Meeting (5:30 pm), Pizza (6:15 pm) and Dance (7:15-9:00 pm)
- 10/3-10/5 - Goal Setting Conferences; Minimum Days (School Dismissal is at 12:00)
- 10/3-10/5 - Scholastic Book Fair
- 10/4 - Girls' BB @ Foresthill
- 10/5 - Girls' BB @ Colfax
- 10/5 - Cross Country @ Empire Mine
- 10/6-10/7 - NO SCHOOL, Fall Break

PTA's Pizza and Dance Kick Off Event!

The PTA's first big event of the year is TONIGHT! Join us for the PTA General Meeting, Pizza and Dance.

Scholastic Book Fair

The Scholastic Book Fair is here again! The fair will run October 3, 4 & 5 from 8:00am to 8:30 then open again from 12:00 to 5:00pm. Come support the school library by purchasing some books either at the fair or online at:

<http://onlinebookfairs.scholastic.com/default.aspx?f=3575997>

Hope to see you there!

Volunteer Hours Tracking

We encourage parents to continue their support by being an active participant in their child's education by volunteering 40 hours per family per school year.

Next week, families will be receiving their first Volunteer Hours statements. **To track your cumulative volunteer hours, please log them in the appropriate binder in the office. We will continue to send home notices throughout the year (at conferences and with report cards, etc.) showing your current number of hours recorded to date.**

We value and encourage families to participate in school events, parent teacher conferences, attend PTA meetings, volunteer their time at school, and other parent enrichment activities provided by the school to inform and encourage parents to be leaders in our school community.

There are many volunteer opportunities during school hours, after school, or during the weekend. Volunteer opportunities include helping out in the office, or classroom, on field trips, with our Art Docent Program, Garden Docent Program, or our PTA. Volunteering and attending school events, PTA general meetings, PTA board meetings, and/or joining a committee are all ways to earn volunteer hours.

Children's House Enrollment Opportunities!

We have a couple of spots left in our full day, 5 days per week private preschool program. If you have any questions about our preschool program, please email Mrs. Bass at jbass@mmcharter.org.

Attention parents- Do you have grant writing experience?

The MMCA Board needs you! There are many resources and enrichment opportunities available to schools who submit grant applications to the organizations that offer them.

We would love to apply for some more of those grants and bring those opportunities home to MMCA for our children, but we need your help. The Board is seeking volunteer grant writers to help apply for funds and enrichment experiences for our students. This volunteer opportunity will count as DOUBLE volunteer hours towards our family volunteer hours and can make a world of difference! If interested, please contact Board Member Cindy Hanna at cindy.l.hanna@gmail.com.

Aftercare October 3rd through 5th - No Drop-Ins Accepted - You Must Have a Reservation

October 3rd through 5th are minimum days with a 12:00pm release time. Please reserve your spot with Aftercare as soon as possible. No drop-ins accepted on those dates and any student left in our care without a reservation will have their parents called to be picked-up.