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MG Parent News 11/20/2019

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THE FLYER

MONARCH GROVE NEWS



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE:
PLEASE TAKE OUR TECHNOLOGY SURVEY

Our annual technology survey closes on Friday and Monarch Grove only has 15 responses - please help! It takes less than five minutes to tell us about your child's school and home technology use. The results help us form a complete picture of technology use for learning. We use the information to make decisions about digital citizenship instruction, device purchases, and home access programs. The survey can be completed on your smartphone or a computer. If you have a child at other schools in our district, you should complete one survey for each school.

Take the Survey.

Puede cambiar el idioma al Español antes de hacer clic en el botón azul "Get Started", cambiará a "Empezar".

Sincerely,
Lara Storm
 Principal

COMING EVENTS

MONDAY-FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18-22

Parent-Teacher Conferences

Minimum Days All Week (**Bell Schedule**)

Book Fair All Week, 12:00-2:00PM, Science Room

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20

Empathy Wins Class, 6:00-8:00 PM, MG Library

MONDAY-FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25-29

No School, Thanksgiving Break

MONDAY, DECEMBER 2

PTA Meeting, 6:30 PM, Library

See's Candy **Orders Due**

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4

Minimum Day (**Bell Schedule**)

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12

ELAC Meeting, 6:00 PM, Room 16

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20

Pajama Day

Friends & Family Lunch, 12:10-12:50

DECEMBER 23-JANUARY 3

No School, Winter Break

MONDAY, JANUARY 6

School Resumes

PTA Meeting, 6:30 PM, Library

FRIDAY, JANUARY 17

Principal's Coffee, 8:25, Library

Topic: What is Science Camp?

MONDAY, JANUARY 20

No School, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29

Dental Screening, Grades K, 3, 5 & SpEd

FRIDAY, JANUARY 31

Spirit Day - Sports Day

NEWS AND NOTES

EMPATHY WINS CLASS TONIGHT: Join us tonight from 6:00-8:00PM in the library to learn how to build empathy in our children. Class and child care are free. **Please RSVP here.**

SHOP THE BOOK FAIR: The Book Fair is open in the science lab all week from 12:00-2:00PM. You can preview titles and purchase printable gift cards to send with your child instead of cash **here.** We are also collecting gently used children's books to donate to Stand Strong (formerly the Women's Shelter Program of SLO County). **More Book Fair details.**

LOST AND FOUND: While on campus for conferences, stop by the table outside the library to find missing items. We do check for names and return items to students, so it does pay to label things. Items not claimed by Thanksgiving break will be donated to a local charity.

ORDER FROM SHUTTERFLY = MONEY TO MG: Ordering holiday cards and gifts? Photo calendars? Invitations? Personalized books? If you use Shutterfly through **this link**, **8% will come back to our school.** Happy shopping!

LIBRARY CORNER: Battle of the Books: We have FOUR new qualifiers this week, all from third grade. Congratulations to Evangeline Miller, Anya Griesser, Christopher Herbst, and Garrett Hirsig! Be sure to keep up your Battle book reading over the Thanksgiving break. **Extra Books for Break:** Students will be encouraged to check out extra books this week so they have plenty to read over the Thanksgiving break. Please talk to your student(s) about finding a safe place for school library books to live when not being read so they don't get lost. **Follett Book Fair:** Thank you for supporting your students and our library by shopping at our school book fair this week! We are using a different company this year so please let us know what you think of the book selection or any other thoughts you have about the fair. See you in the library and have a wonderful Thanksgiving! -- Mrs. Santoianni

GET YOUR HOLIDAY SEE'S CANDY: Support our students going to Science Camp and get your holiday candy. It's a win-win! Orders close on Monday, December 2. **Download an order form.**

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 4 IS A MINIMUM DAY: Wednesday, December 4 is a minimum day for staff development. Kindergarten will dismiss at 12:00, TK at 12:20 and 1st-5th grade at 1:00.

SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL SURVEY: Please take less than ten minutes to share your experience and feedback about getting your kids to school. Your feedback supports future: infrastructure improvements and Safe Routes to School programming (Walk/Bike to School Days, bike education, crossing guards). The school with the greatest response will win a free bike rodeo from Bike SLO County on May 6, 2020, National Bike to School Day. Here is the **survey in English** and **in**

Spanish.

WINTER CHOIR CONCERT: Baywood, Los Osos Middle School and Morro Bay High School Choirs will be performing at the Cuesta College CPAC on December 2nd at 7:00pm. Come out and support these wonderful students. Tickets are \$9.00 and can be purchased at the door.

ESTERO BAY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION: Want to play youth sports? If your family participates in the "School Meals Program," the Community Foundation of Estero Bay Inc. has funds to help with registration fees for activities. See **this flyer** for more information.

TRAFFIC REMINDERS: Rosina Drive between Pine and Doris is a private drive and should not be used by anyone but residents. Please be aware of the no turn signs from Los Osos Valley Road onto Doris. The CHP does ticket violators.

GET SOCIAL WITH US: Make sure to follow us on **Instagram** and **Facebook**.

COMMUNITY FLIERS

Please follow **this link** to see district approved community fliers (sports, art, clubs and much more). Select "all district" to see activities in San Luis Obispo, Los Osos, and Morro Bay. If you would like to submit a flier for distribution, you can do so at the bottom of **the webpage**.

SUBMISSIONS FOR THE FLYER

If you have items you would like included in The Flyer, please submit them to our secretary, Debby Hymas. The deadline for inclusion in the week's edition is Monday at noon. Items received after that time will be held until the following week. For questions or assistance, call us at (805) 534-2844.

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