

**10-10-23**

### **Middle/High School Chipotle PTF Fundraiser TODAY!!!**

Have dinner at Chipotle on Rt 18 to support the MCA PTF! Please join us at the Chipotle at 3070 Medina Road between 5pm-9pm. Bring in **the attached flyer**, show it on your smartphone, or tell the cashier you're supporting MCA and 33% of your order total will be donated to our PTF. You can also order online and pickup Chipotle by using the **Promo Code 86K33RN** on the Chipotle app or website. Please note that fundraiser online ordering is only valid through pickup during your fundraiser's scheduled date, time, and assigned restaurant. Ordering delivery for fundraisers is not permitted at this time.

Show your support of MCA!

Thank you!

*PTF*

### **Elementary School PTF Fundraiser**

The PTF is selling fudge pops and students will enjoy them on October 18th at recess. Please see **the attached form** for more information and to order one for your student today! **Please be sure to turn your form and \$ in by tomorrow, October 11th!**

### **Spirit Week: October 16 - 20 at the Middle and High School**

**Monday** - Country vs. Country Club

**Tuesday** - Twin/Triplet/Group Dress the Same Day

**Wednesday** - Pajama Day

**Thursday** - Students dress up as Staff, Staff dress up as Students

**Friday** - Class Color Day and Pep Rally

12th - Barbie Pink

11th - White

10th - Blue

9th - Red

8th - Orange

7th - Purple

6th - Green

Hats are allowed as long as it goes with the theme but CAN NOT be worn in the classroom. Can be worn before school, at lunch and at the Pep Rally.

**Please NO** Ripped/Holes in jeans, Leggings/Yoga Pants, Tutus, Tank Tops/Spaghetti Strap Shirts/Crop Tops, Offensive Writing/Pictures on Shirts, Slippers/Flip Flops/Open Toed Shoes, Dyed/Spray Painted Hair, Face paint, Blankets or Stuffed Animals.

Overall, when choosing an outfit each day, the dress code policies of modesty and appropriate fit must be of primary concern. Be creative within those parameters.

Students not choosing to dress in costume are to wear "Friday spirit wear" (jeans and an MCA shirt) or regular MCA uniform.

Let's show our MCA Knights Spirit, and HAVE FUN!!

### **Spirit Week: October 16 - 20 at the Elementary School**

**Monday** - Class Color Day and Pep Rally (no masks)

PK - Orange

K - Yellow

1st - Purple

2nd - Red

3rd - Pink

4th - Black

5th - Green

**Tuesday** - Crazy Day (Crazy hat, hair, socks - no masks)

**Wednesday** - Plaid and Polka Dot Day

**Thursday** - Career Day - Dress as what you want to be when you grow up!

**Friday** - Jersey Day - Wear your favorite sports jersey

Face paint or temporary hair color can only be worn on Class Color Day and Crazy Day. Ball caps/hats appropriate to the theme of the day are fine. Jeans (no holes permitted) and sweatpants are fine.

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### **Homework Help Lab**

Homework Help is here! Check out **the attached flyer** for all of the details. Are you struggling with homework? Do you want to forget about homework once you're home? Have a sport but need to get your work done first? Need a teacher to help answer some homework concerns you or your parents might have? Sign up for help asap! **This year the program is available at both the elementary and upper campus!** Any 12th graders interested in tutoring can also apply for community service hours! Contact Mrs. Trinckes at [jltrinckes@mcaschool.net](mailto:jltrinckes@mcaschool.net) for more info.

## [October 2023](#) Sign Up

### **Cold and Flu Season**

If your student ends up sick with a cold and needs to take cold medicine (medicine must be kept in the nurse's office) or cough drops while at school, please make sure the over-the-counter medication form is filled out ([it's on our website under current families](#)) and sent in with the medication. Only students in 5th-12th grade may carry their own cough drops and cannot share them with anyone except their siblings. For the students in Pre K- 4th grade, the cough drops must be kept in the nurse's office.

Also, please keep your student at home if they are running a temperature of **100** or greater, vomiting or are otherwise feeling unwell and can return to school if there is no fever or vomiting for 24 hours **without the use of medication**. If you have any questions please contact Nurse Missy at the Elementary School [mcottage@mcaschool.net](mailto:mcottage@mcaschool.net) or Nurse Toni at the Middle & High School [upperschoolnurse@mcaschool.net](mailto:upperschoolnurse@mcaschool.net).

### **Recess at the Elementary School**

As the weather gets colder please remember to send a jacket/coat with your child for recess. Also, please label everything.

### **Elementary School Chapel Visitor Sign Up for October 18**

If you would like to attend chapel on Wednesdays you will need to sign up before you come. [HERE](#) is the sign up for October 18 (**NOT tomorrow**). If you have non-school-aged children coming with you, you will need to add them to the sign up as well.

Upon entering MCA, please sign in at the Welcome Desk (they will have the list with your name on it) and go straight to the visitor seating area in the auditorium. Visitors are not permitted in the halls or classrooms before or after the Chapel Service. Students are not permitted to sit in the visitor's seating and must remain with their class.

3-5 Grade Chapel is 8:45 - 9:15

PK4 - 2 Grade Chapel is 9:30 - 10

## **From the Academic Advisor Office**

### **Upcoming College Rep Visits at the High School**

October 18th U.S. Coast Guard

October 30th Cedarville University

\*National Honor Society Induction Ceremony will be October 25th at 6:00pm

## **Picture Retake Day - Monday, October 23**

If your student was absent on the original picture day then they can get their pictures taken. If they got their pictures taken before and you purchased a package and weren't happy with them for some reason you can send the package in with your student and they can hand it to the photographer when they get their pictures retaken. **Lifetouch will be at the Elementary School from 8:45 - 9:45, the High School from 8:45 - 9:30 and at the Middle School from 12 - 12:45.**

If your student is in the PK 3 class and they need retakes you are welcome to bring them in sometime between 9 - 9:30.

Click [HERE](#) to order online and then there's no need to bring in an order form on picture day. The Picture Day ID is **EVTZX6QWC...** and the website is **[mylifetouch.com](http://mylifetouch.com)**. If you would like a picture form please ask Carla Collier at the Elementary School, Christa Tran at the Middle School or Laurie Wood at the High School and we will send one home with your student.

## **Lifetouch National Customer Care Team**

If you have an issue with your order please contact:

Lifetouch National Customer Care Team

Hours : 8:00 am to 8:00 pm EST M-F

Phone: 1.800.736.4753

Online : Chat Feature at <https://my.lifetouch.com/> (best time saving option for busy parents!)

## **Upcoming Events**

October 11 - PSAT (8th - 11th) MAP Testing (6th - 7th) **Early Release at 11:30 for Middle and High School ONLY. (No Lunch, ALC or Busing)**

October 11 - Senior College Visit Day

October 12-13 - All Staff Inservice Day **No School or ALC**

October 20 - Last Day of 1st Quarter

October 21 - Homecoming

October 23 - Fall Pic Retakes

October 25 - The National Honor Society Induction Ceremony will be Wednesday, October 25 @ 6 pm in the MS Assembly Hall

October 25 - 26 - ODE 3rd Grade Reading Guarantee Test

October 27 - Elementary Harvest Parties

## **Calling all MCA Fans!**

On Tuesday, October 17th at 6:00pm Medina Christian Academy's Varsity Volleyball Team will compete in the 2023 OHSA Sectional Tournament at Lake Ridge Academy! Please join us in a "white out" to cheer on our team! What does a white out mean? It means, wear all white and come support your MCA Knights! Questions? Email Athletic Director Dawn Conwill at [athletics@mcaschool.net](mailto:athletics@mcaschool.net)