PTA THURSDAY FOLDER

MVCS Science Night, Big Flea Donations, Volunteer Opportunities, PTAC Golden Apple Awards, and MORE!

EVENTS

TOMORROW!! MVCS Science Night | Friday, 03/21, 5-7 PM, MVCS Primary Playground
Join us on the primary playground for hands-on science experiences with the PTA and community partners! Activities include Code Ninjas, volcanoes, bubbling potions, archaeology, and more! Pizza will be provided. Don't forget your water bottles!

MVCS PTA Meeting | Tuesday, 3/25, 6-7 PM, MVCS Library and Zoom
Come join us for important updates from the last PTA meeting, from Ms. Hamilton, and redistricting. There will also be a short presentation on mental health resources.

Join via Zoom
https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88497627580
Meeting ID: 884 9762 7580

LOOKING Ahead, Mark Your Calendars!
3/28, 3/31 – No school!
4/9 – Spring2Action!
4/10 – Coffee with the Principal (8:15 AM at MVCS)
4/14 – 4/18 – Spring Break! No School!
4/22 – MVCS PTA April Meeting (6 PM at Casa Chirilagua)

ANNOUNCEMENT: Big Flea, April 26, 2025
The Mount Vernon Big Flea is one of the MVCS PTA's largest fundraisers, turning donated treasures into vital support for our students! **Mark your calendars for April 26, 2025**, and start saving your gently used goods for our Fill the Flea donation events. We also need volunteers to help collect, sort, and sell—join us and be part of this amazing community event! Visit TheBigFlea.org to learn more about donating goods, volunteering and shopping!

Donate your goods at a Fill the Flea Events held at 2311 Mt Vernon Ave (Pat Miller Square)
- Sunday March 23, 9 AM-12 PM
- Sunday April 6, 9 AM-12 PM

For more information about the Big Flea, visit: https://www.thebigflea.org/
To find out how to donate, click here: https://www.thebigflea.org/donate

Sign up to volunteer at this link: https://www.thebigflea.org/volunteer

VOLUNTEER REQUESTS

Science Night Volunteers Needed
We need a few volunteers to serve pizza and help with set up and clean up tomorrow night at Science Night. Sign up here! https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F054CACA72BA0F94-55722004-science#/

The Big Flea Needs Your Donations & Volunteers!
Spring cleaning? Donate your gently used treasures to the Big Flea this Sunday, March 23, 9 AM-12 PM at Pat Miller Square (after the Del Ray Farmers Market)! We're collecting small furniture, home goods, toys, tools, and more to help stock the Big Flea sale on April 26. Plus, we need volunteers to help at donation events and leading up to the sale. Sign up to volunteer here: https://www.thebigflea.org/volunteer

Opportunities for Substitute Teachers and Day-Time Tutors
Are you looking for more ways to get involved? MVCS can always use more substitutes and day-time tutors. Please reach out to Principal Hamilton if you are interested or want more information: jennifer.hamilton@acps.k12.va.us .

GENERAL NEWS

PTAC Golden Apple Awards
The PTAC is accepting nominations for outstanding teachers and staff in ACPS. Nominate someone who demonstrates excellence in teaching, family engagement, and partnership with the PTA. Deadline is April 11. Submit nominations here:
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScY40gg7W5sw2kh8gU-wCKhaewpwKrCK6bxLpLL2kKhpAYkNA/viewform

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- Follow us on Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/mvcspta
- Follow and tag us on Instagram: MVCS PTA / #mvcspta
- Follow us on Twitter: @MVCSPTA

HELPFUL LINKS

- ACPS Back to School Guide & FAQs: https://www.acps.k12.va.us/families/back-to-school-guide
- ACPS Express: https://www.acpsk12.org/news/
- MVCS General FAQs: https://www.acps.k12.va.us/domain/1323

Participation in all PTA events and activities is completely voluntary.