



PTA THURSDAY FOLDER

The Ultimate October Extravaganza, Reflections Art Hour, Pumpkin Patch Volunteers, and MORE!

EVENTS

Reflections Art Hour | Thursday, 10/10, 3-5 PM, MVCS Main (K-2) Playground

Come create art to submit to this year's PTA Reflections art contest. The theme of this year's Reflections Program is "Accepting Imperfection...". Art materials and snacks will be provided! All reflections entries are due by October 30; a link to a Google form to submit entries will be coming soon.

The Ultimate October Extravaganza!! Pumpkin Patch, MVCS PTA Member Meeting, and MVCS Hispanic Heritage Month Showcase | Friday, 10/18

Due to the unique scheduling challenges in October, we have planned a blockbuster afternoon and evening for everyone on Friday, October 18th. The afternoon kicks off with the fall favorite Pumpkin Patch, featuring carnival games and pumpkins for sale (all pumpkin sales will be at the event). Stick around for food and the PTA Meeting, directly followed by the MVCS Hispanic Heritage Month Fiesta. Stay tuned for more details.

See the Bake Sale and Pumpkin Patch Volunteer Requests below, if you can help!

Pumpkin Patch, 3 PM, MVCS Main Playground

MVCS PTA Meeting, 6 PM, MVCS Cafeteria

MVCS Hispanic Heritage Month Fiesta, 6:30 PM, MVCS

LOOKING Ahead, Mark Your Calendars!

10/2, 10/3, 10/4, 10/14, 10/25, 10/31, 11/1, 11/4, 11/5, 11/11 - No School

10/4, 11/4- Parent-Teacher Conferences (No School)

10/17 - Coffee with the Principal "Preparing for Parent Teacher Conferences," 8:15 AM, MVCS Cafeteria

10/26 - Marine Corps Marathon Fun Run

10/30 - Reflections Submissions Due

11/13 - Dinner with the Principal "Understanding Report Cards and Using PowerSchool"

11/16 - Fabulous Fall Fundraiser!!

VOLUNTEER REQUESTS

Annual MVCS Pumpkin Patch and Bake Sale Volunteers Needed

We are looking for volunteers to help plan and run our Annual Pumpkin Patch on Friday, October 18th. We are looking for help with pumpkin sales, organizing activity tables, bake sale and cleanup/setup. If

interested, please sign up using the sign up links below. If you have any questions, please email mvcsptaprograms@gmail.com.

Bake Sale: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F054CACA72BA0F94-51666589-mvcs>

Pumpkin Patch: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F054CACA72BA0F94-51675394-mvcs>

One More Room Parent Volunteer Needed!

First, the PTA Teacher Appreciation Committee would like say a BIG THANK YOU! to all who signed up to be room parents. It is so helpful to the teachers and very much appreciated! We still need one more volunteer for Ms. Gomez (1st grade) to split with someone else. Can you help? Sign up here: [MVCS Room Parent Requests](#)

GENERAL NEWS

MVCS Spirit Wear for Sale

MVCS spirit wear is available! Paper order forms are coming home soon, but you can order online now at mvcs.memberhub.com. T-shirts, hoodies, magnets and more are available for adults and kids. Orders will be delivered in late October.

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- Donate to Blessings in a Backpack: <https://mvcs.givebacks.com/store/items/119181>
- 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.