

Monday Montessori Moments



Monday January 30th, 2017

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Jan 30th to Feb 10th

Before/After school, Lunch
Carnation Sales

February 8th

Science Fair
Gymnasium – 8:30 to 3

February 15th to 17th

Early Release 1:30 to 7 pm
Student Teacher Conf.

February 20th

No School
President's Day

Feb 27th to Mar 3

Literary Week

February 28th

Spelling Bee, 9 to 2:30

March 2nd

Literacy Night, 6 to 8

March 13th

History Fair

March 15th

Love and Logic, 6 to 8

March 17th

Half Day, PD

A Message from MMA's Instructional Technology Specialist, James Loken



Social media platforms are powerful tools that enable us to expand our social networks, share personalized content, and learn about others. Social media use is growing fast, here in the USA, and around the world. According to Kit Smith's article, *Marketing: 96 Amazing Social Media Statistics and Facts*, there are 2.3 billion social media users worldwide.

When we create a new social media profile we are joining a community. As with all communities, social interactions matter. As we interact with others, we build a *digital* reputation. Others may prejudice you, based on this *digital* reputation, without even knowing you. It is important that we always be our best self online.

In order to keep a positive *digital* reputation, careful consideration should go into all of the content you post online. Some best practices for online interactions are listed below.

Before you finish a post, ask yourself:

- Will my post:
 - Help someone learn something?
 - Make someone feel good?
 - Be liked by others?
- How would I feel if:
 - It was so popular that thousands of people saw it?
 - A friend, enemy, family member, or neighbor saw it?
 - People were talking about it at school?

By asking yourself these questions, and only posting content that is friendly and positive, you will make sure that your *digital* reputation is a good one. At MMA we are in the process of developing Social Media Guidelines for our students. In the meanwhile please feel free to review the guidelines offered by the New York City Department of Education (linked below).

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- James Loken

What's New at MMA?

EARLY CHILDHOOD

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MARIA
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WWW.MMAEARLYCHILDHOOD.COM

TO REGISTER VISIT:

WWW.MMAEARLYCHILDHOOD.COM

Classes are held Monday - Friday

AM 8:30-11:30

PM 12:00-3:00

Tuition - \$250 per month (\$100 registration fee)

OR pay the full year and the registration fee is waived

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New Inclement Weather Guidelines

The administrative team at Maria Montessori Academy has reviewed and revised the Inclement Weather Guidelines. Please review the new Guidelines.

All policies and handbooks can be found at this link;
http://www.mariamontessoriacademy.org/?page_id=61

The link is labeled, *Inclement Weather Guidelines*



Carnation Sales!

Location: Hallway by Front Office

Dates: January 30th - February 10th

Specifics: We will be selling carnations before school, during lunch, and after school.

Price: \$3/flower, \$5/flower, vase, and bow

*Flowers will be delivered February 14th.

Archery Club Tournament

Saturday, February 18th, 2017 – NASP Tourney,
Salt Palace Convention Center
90 S West Temple SLC, UT, Various Times

Archery Club Members can reserve a flight for the
NASP Tourney at: <https://wejoinin.com/sheets/ftfh>

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