

Monday Montessori Moments



Monday January 9th, 2017

A Message from MMA Director, Stephanie Speicher



January 10th

Basketball Game, 4:15
vs. Venture Academy

January 12th

Basketball Game, 4:15
vs. Highland JHS

January 13th & 16th

No School

End of 2nd Quarter

January 17th

Basketball Game, 4:15
vs. Mound Fort JHS

January 19th

Basketball Game, 4:15
vs. Utah Military Academy

January 19th

6th Grade Social 5-7

January 24th

Skate Night, 5-9

January 26th

Junior High Open House

February 7th & 8th

Science Fair



I hope that all of you enjoyed your winter break and found some time to marvel in what the holiday season has to offer. On behalf of all of our staff, we would like to extend our gratitude for the generosity you showed us and to the charitable school efforts during the holiday season. The generosity was overwhelming!

Our Annual International Festival was a huge success. International Festival is typical to Montessori schools and they provide parents an opportunity to experience up close the Montessori geography curriculum. Dr. Montessori believed that exposing children to the people and customs of the world would teach understanding and tolerance of our differences and our similarities. We accomplish this in our geography curriculum by providing children with in depth continent studies. The students rose to the challenge and did marvelous creatively highlighting their continent and/or country.

Again, I want to express my thanks to you for your active involvement in our school. We welcome your involvement and interest as we collectively celebrate the many talents of our students as learners. Please continue to take the time and ask your child how his/her day was, inquire about what he/she has learned, and take a look at some of the work your child is engaged in daily. These are all great ways to stay involved in your child's education.

Sincerely,
Ms. Stephanie

What's New at MMA?

Club Invention is Coming to MMA!



Club Invention inspires children to be confident in their natural ability to dream and build, and has the great honor of being able to have a lasting impact on the lives of children every day.

When: Jan 17 to Feb 21, 2017 Tuesdays 3:15PM to 4:45PM

Sign up today at WWW.CLUBINVENTION.ORG

Registration Fee: **\$59**

Program Code: X-UT53-32068-17

MMA Science Fair – Volunteers Needed

MMA will be hosting our 7th Annual Science Fair on February 8, 2017. This is always a very exciting event that offers our students an opportunity to explore, and present a science or engineering topic that interests them. This year we will be having only the Jr. High fair, which will include all the 6th and 8th grade students. The students will compete in the morning from 9:00 – 12:00, with an Open House showcasing the projects from 3:30 – 5:30 that evening (students will not be required to be at the Open House). The Science Fair team is looking for volunteers to help with set-up, clean-up, scorekeeping, judge coordination and snacks.

Please contact Paula Dugan at

pdugan@mariamontessoriacademy.org or Rob Garrett rgarrett@mariamontessoriacademy.org if you would like to help support this event.

Rumbi Island Wednesdays!

Teriyaki Chicken & Veggie with White Rice- \$4.00

Orange Chicken with White Rice- \$4.00

Follow the payment link below:

<https://secureinstantpayments.com?Event=2375>

Orders must be submitted by 12:00 pm the Monday prior. Orders submitted after 12:00 pm on Monday, will be added to the following week's order.

INTENT TO RE-ENROLL FOR 2017-2018

On Friday January 6, we sent out the intent to re-enroll email. Please declare your intent for the 2017-2018 school-year no later than January 20th. Also, if you have siblings of current students that you would like to attend MMA next year, you should add them to the declaration of intent. Please contact the office with any questions.

Maria Montessori Academy

FREE Family Skate Night

Free Admission For You & Your Whole Family

Tue. January 24th

5-9p.m.

Regular Skate Rentals - \$1
Blades-\$3 & up
Scooters-\$3
You may bring your own Skates, Blades & Scooters



Discount Activities Available Only \$3 Ea.
Extreme Inflatable Park, Pirates Cove, Laser Tag, Bowling or \$5 for Unlimited Activities

School Spirit Night - Wear Your School Colors!!

Come Have a Rollin' Good Time!!



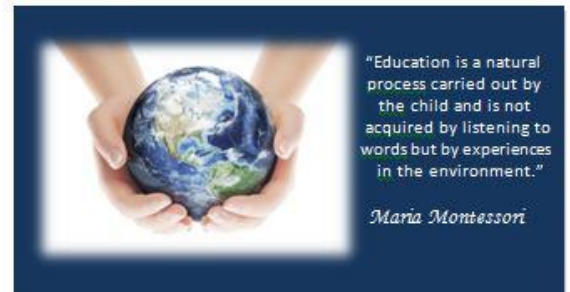
NEW Gravity Ropes Course \$7 for up to 30 min. session

\$3 Dinner Deal Available

Nachos or Pizza & drink or Hotdog, Chips & Drink

Skate at Your Own Risk

867 N. 1200 W. Layton 544-3456



"Education is a natural process carried out by the child and is not acquired by listening to words but by experiences in the environment."

Maria Montessori

Maria Montessori Academy 2017-2018 Open House

Jr. High Parent & Student Night

January 26th 6:30-7:30 pm

Discover a different method of education; one where children love to learn, are encouraged to ask questions, find their own answers and work together to solve problems. Explore the Montessori materials, meet teachers, administration and get answers to your questions.