

## MOSAIC Elementary School



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Dear MOSAIC Families,

Welcome back from what was hopefully a great weekend for you and your family. Recently, I have had several families communicate with me that they are having trouble contacting me through email. Please note that my email is [sclark@msdr9.org](mailto:sclark@msdr9.org) and not [clarks@msdr9.org](mailto:clarks@msdr9.org). Families are always welcome to email me with any questions, concerns or ideas. Families can also contact me on my office phone at 314-467-7901.

### MAP Testing

3rd, 4th and 5th grade students will be taking the MAP test over the next two weeks. 4th graders will take the test this week and 3rd and 5th grade students will take the MAP test next week. Please be sure that your child charges their Chromebook each evening. A good night's sleep and a healthy breakfast each morning would help with the success of your child as well. Finally, please make sure that your child arrives at school on time each morning.

Thank you for your assistance in making the MAP testing process as successful for your child as possible.

### Notes from SLAM

Happy Earth Day! Earth Day was founded by Gaylord Nelson on April 22, 1980. Earth Day is an annual celebration that honors the achievements of the environmental movement and raises awareness of the need to protect Earth. We celebrate Earth Day because we need to protect the planet from things like pollution and deforestation. Earth Day marks the anniversary of the birth of the environmental movement in 1970. Thank you for celebrating Earth Day with us!

### Notes from Coach Steinhoff

#### Field Day Sign Up

Field Day will be Friday May 17th! If you would like to volunteer for Coach Steinhoff's outdoor stations (different from PTO's indoor stations) please use the following

link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C4BA9A828ABFDCE9-48684199-field#/>

If you have any questions about Field Day please reach out to Coach Steinhoff. T-Shirts have arrived and will be handed out soon!

### Student and Staff Shout-Outs

Staff and families have the opportunity to give a “shout-out” for their child or their child’s teacher. Shout-outs will be read each day during morning announcements. Click on the link below to share something special to recognize the hard work of a MOSAIC student or staff member.

[Shout-Out Link](#)

### Specialists Days

4/22 - D Day  
 4/23 - A Day  
 4/24 - B Day  
 4/25 - C Day  
 4/26 - D Day  
 4/29 - A Day  
 4/30 - B Day  
 5/1 - C Day  
 5/2 - D Day  
 5/3 - A Day

<b>Grade- Teacher</b>	<b>A Day</b>	<b>B Day</b>	<b>C Day</b>	<b>D Day</b>
<b>K- Comer</b>	Music/PE	PE/Music	Art	Library
<b>K- Donaldson</b>	PE/Music	Music/PE	Library	Art
<b>1 - Fix</b>	Art	Library	Music/PE	PE/Music
<b>1- Morris</b>	Library	Art	PE/Music	Music/PE
<b>2 - Alles</b>	Music	PE	Art	Library
<b>2 - Murar</b>	PE	Music	Library	Art
<b>3- Ketzner</b>	Library	Art	PE	Music
<b>3 - Layton</b>	Art	Library	Music	PE
<b>4 - Bradley</b>	Music	PE	Art	Library
<b>4 - Rengel</b>	PE	Music	Library	Art
<b>5 - McLard</b>	Library	Art	PE	Music
<b>5 - Werner</b>	Art	Library	Music	PE

### **2023/24 MOSAIC Clubs & Community Education**

*Families who are dropping their children off for morning club meetings are reminded to only use the main entrance door facing Lemay Ferry. To ensure everyone's safety, we cannot allow students to enter the building from the small parking lot. Students and families are also reminded that their child should not be dropped off prior to 8am.*

## **MOSAIC Clubs**

### **Tuesdays:**

**Crazy 8s/Game Club:** 8:05 am - Studio 3; *Weekly; **Last Meeting 4/30***

**Green Team:** 8:05 am - Library; *Every other week*

4/23, 5/7, 5/21

**MOSAIC Mixed Media:** 8:05 am - Art Room; *Weekly; **No Meeting on 4/23***

4/30, 5/7, 5/14, 5/21

**Girls on the Run:** 3:55 pm - Library; *Tues and Thurs*

4/23, 4/25, 4/30, 5/2, 5/7, 5/9

### **Wednesdays:**

**Engineering:** 7:45am - Library; ***Last Meeting 4/24***

**Prodigy:** 8am - Studio 3; *Weekly; **Last Meeting 4/24***

**SLAM:** 8am - Studio 4 (Bradley)

4/24, 5/1, 5 / 8

### **Thursdays:**

**Girls on the Run:** 3:55 pm - Library; *Tues and Thurs*

4/23, 4/25, 4/30, 5/2, 5/7, 5/9

*5/11: Girls on the Run 5K in Forest Park*

### **Fridays:**

**Moving Mindfulness:** 8:10am - Cafeteria; *Weekly; **Last Meeting 5/3***

## **Community Education Classes**

*Prior registration is required for all offered sessions.*

CE classes and registration can be found using this link:

**<https://bit.ly/3CDCmD4>**

**CE: Beginning Strings (Tues/Fri, 8:20 am - Studio 1):**

8:20 am - Studio 1 (Morris)

4/23, 4/26

**CE: Beginning Strings Concert Rehearsals:**

4/30: 4:15pm, Rogers Elementary

5 /6: 5pm, OHS Band Room

**CE: Chess Club (Thurs, 8 am - Cafeteria):**

4/25, 5/2, 5/9, 5/16, 5/23

**PTO WEEKLY UPDATE****<https://mosaic-pto.org>****SAVE THE DATES**

Mark your calendars and join in the fun!

4/24 - Parent virtual Technology safety talk 6pm

5/3 - Oberweis Dine out

5/6 - 5/10 - Teacher Appreciation week

5/17 - Field Day

**TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK**

We have a full committee! Thank you volunteers! The committee met last week & decided that our theme will be "Olympics: Mosaic teachers take gold!" Look for opportunities through your studio(s) in the coming weeks to donate items for the teachers' lounge. Thanks for your support!

Contact Callie Kusto [a.rae.kusto@gmail.com](mailto:a.rae.kusto@gmail.com) with comments or questions.

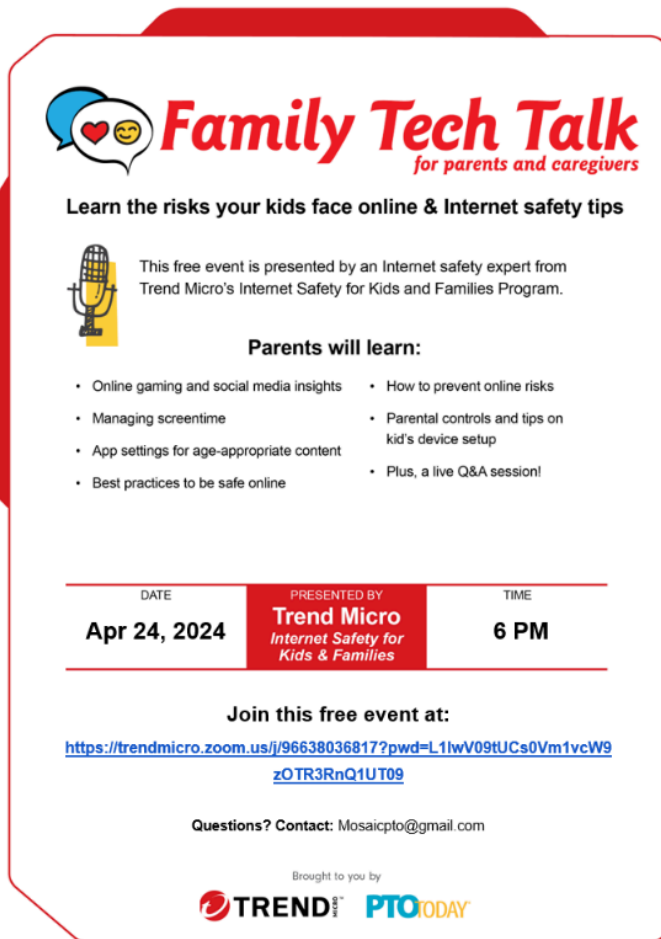
**VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION**

Mark your calendars to come to our last PTO meeting on May 14 at 6:30pm for refreshments and a sweet treat to appreciate all the volunteer support throughout the year. The last PTO meeting of the year is extended to all the new incoming MOSAIC families.

**FAMILY TECH TALK (INTERNET SAFETY)**

This free event is presented by an Internet safety expert from Trend Micro's Internet Safety for Kids and Families program. Be sure to sign in at the start for our school to be entered in for a gift card raffle. <https://trendmicro.zoom.us/j/96638036817?>

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**Family Tech Talk**  
for parents and caregivers

**Learn the risks your kids face online & Internet safety tips**

This free event is presented by an Internet safety expert from Trend Micro's Internet Safety for Kids and Families Program.

**Parents will learn:**

- Online gaming and social media insights
- Managing screentime
- App settings for age-appropriate content
- Best practices to be safe online
- How to prevent online risks
- Parental controls and tips on kid's device setup
- Plus, a live Q&A session!


DATE	PRESENTED BY	TIME
Apr 24, 2024	<b>Trend Micro</b> Internet Safety for Kids & Families	6 PM

**Join this free event at:**

<https://trendmicro.zoom.us/j/96638036817?pwd=L1lwV09tUCs0Vm1vcW9zOTR3RnQ1UT09>

Questions? Contact: [Mosaicpto@gmail.com](mailto:Mosaicpto@gmail.com)

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Apr 24, 2024 (Wed) – 6pm

## FIELD DAY

Field Day is fast approaching, Coach Steinhoff has a fun filled day planned. If you are interested in volunteering, mark your calendars for Friday, May 17th. There will be extra opportunities to volunteer due to the specials teachers' calendars and split time. If you have availability to help with the PTO **INDOOR** stations sign up here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4DAEA628A5FECE9-48743375-field>

## STUDIO WISHLISTS

<https://mosaic-pto.org/teacher-amazon-wish-lists/>

Our amazing teachers have made wishlists for their Studios. If you are looking for a way to help with items in your child's classroom, check out some of the items the teachers would love to have to supplement and enrich their students.

## MOSAIC SPIRIT ROCK

[Spirit Rock – Mosaic PTO \(mosaic-pto.org\)](https://mosaic-pto.org)

The Spirit Rock is available for reservation for the 2023-2034 school year! Make sure to reserve it now for your child's special day or a special shout out for just \$10/day!

FYI - we have a new reservation system. If you encounter an error as you make your reservation, please contact the PTO at [mosaicpto@gmail.com](mailto:mosaicpto@gmail.com) so we can help!

### Upcoming Dates

April 24th - Early Release Day at 1:20pm

May 17th - Field Day

May 29th - Last day of school

May 29th - End of 4th Quarter

Have a great week!

-Scott

### Comments & Replies