



# Friday Flier

September 5, 2008

## Upcoming Events:

- **Minimum Day:** September 10<sup>th</sup>
- **Back to School Night:** September 10<sup>th</sup> at **TIME**

## Contact Information:

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## Waiver for Students Leaving Campus

Overall, our new pick up procedures have been running smoothly. Thank you for your patience as we “work out the kinks.” One of the kinks to be worked out is how we are allowing kids to leave campus without a parent or other adult picking them up. If you would like your student to walk off campus (including to the park), please come in the office and fill out our waiver form.

## Give Away Sale-**from last week**

We have several items accumulating in our ‘best offer sale’ of leftovers from the move, including kidney tables, regular tables, shelving, file cabinets (big and small), rolling drawer storage, a fax machine and more! We have the items available on the fire lane outside of our playground (convenient access for loading into your vehicle).

## Fieldtrip Drivers

Part of what makes MMCA different from other schools is the number opportunities our students have for hand on learning on fieldtrips. In order to make it work, we need parent drivers. Please consider driving on one (or more!) of your student’s fieldtrips during the year.

Information that we need from you in order to allow you to drive are:

- Copy of Drivers License
- Copy of Auto Insurance
- Signed “Agreement to Transport Students” Form
- DMV driving record print out

In order to have current information on all of our drivers, this information needs to be submitted for the current

school year, even if you turned in the paperwork for the last school year.

## Hot Lunch Notes

Please note that hot lunch prices are \$2.75 this year. You may send in money to put on your child’s lunch account at any time. Checks should be made payable to “RUSD.”

Make sure your students know if they are having hot lunch each day. We need to take an accurate count in the classrooms in the morning. If a student does not order in the morning, we may need to call a parent to bring a lunch at lunch time.

Free and Reduced Applications are in the office. If you were on Free or Reduced Lunch last year, you may continue for up to 30 days into this school year. RUSD does need a new application to continue past the 30 day grace period. For new applicants, you will be charged full price for hot lunches until you are notified by RUSD that your application was accepted.

## Drop Off and Pick Up-**from last week**

Please remember that drop off time does not begin until 8:10 in the morning and students need to be picked up by 3:20 (12:20 on minimum days) in the afternoon. Students dropped off too early or picked up late will be placed in our Before/After School Care and charged.

## Tardies and Early Pick Up-**from last week**

If your student is arriving to school late or if you need to pick them up early, you must come to the office first. Teachers have been asked to not allow late students into class without a pass from the office.

## Volunteers-**from last week**

We would like to have a few volunteers to help with playground and lunch supervision in the mornings (8:10-8:30) and at lunch time (11:15-1:15). Please sign up in the office.

## Harvest Festival

The 1st Annual Harvest Festival will be held at our new campus on Saturday, October 11th from 11 am to 5 pm. We are looking for a few good men and women to help us man the games & food booths. We need just a few hours of your time. The more people to help work booths the less time each person has to volunteer. These volunteer hours will be counted against the 40 volunteer hours needed from each family. Sign-up sheets will be available in each classroom at Back to School Night on September 10th. Or if you want to burn through your forty volunteer hours in a hurry, there are still positions open on our Classroom Games Committee.

We need donations of gently used stuffed animals to use as deluxe prizes for our games booths. If you can convince your kids to give up a few of their stuffed animals, please put them through the washer and dryer before bringing them to the school. Most stuffed animals survive the washer and dryer when they are placed into a zippered pillow case.

We also need donations for our raffle baskets. There will be five themed baskets: Sports, Kid's Activities, Spa, Wine, and Family Night. If you have a restaurant/spa/hair salon/store that you always frequent that may be willing to donate an item or a gift certificate it would be a great way to get their name out into our community. Or if you have any unused gift cards, sporting event tickets or unused items that fit our themes, and/or credit card points you can donate, we will be happy accept them. We have a grey plastic bin available in the office to place all of your donations (stuffed animals or raffle items).

Please email us at [harvest@mmcharter.org](mailto:harvest@mmcharter.org) if you want to volunteer, have donation ideas, or any questions.

Thanks

Stephanie Rogers

## MMCA Classifieds:

First meeting of Brownie Troop #3880 at MMCA this Friday 9/5 in the library from 3:30-5pm. Come find out about our plans for the year - girls 6-8 years old. If you are interested but can't make it Fri, call me for more information: Sarah Lynch 759-2879.

Needed - someone who can build a custom cabinet for storing the Art Docent materials, and a shelf area for construction paper in the workroom. It doesn't have to be fancy - just sturdy and serviceable. Please call Sarah Lynch 759-2879.