



## Wednesday Notes – 11/1/23

**Sarris Candies** : Fliers were sent home last week in your child’s Wednesday folder. This fundraiser is used as another way to keep tuition costs lower for parents. All orders and money are due on Wednesday, November 15<sup>th</sup>. Orders will arrive Wednesday, December 13<sup>th</sup>. *Individual orders may also be placed on-line at [www.SarrisCandiesFundraising.com](http://www.SarrisCandiesFundraising.com) using our “Group ID# 10-1808”.*

**End of 1<sup>st</sup> 9 Weeks/Parent Teacher Conferences:** The end of the 1<sup>st</sup> 9 weeks was Monday, October 30<sup>th</sup>. Report Cards will be sent home Wednesday, November 8<sup>th</sup>. Parent Teacher Conferences will be held Thursday, November 9<sup>th</sup>. Forms were sent home to schedule a conference. ***Please return these forms ASAP to make sure that your scheduled time is close to the time you are requesting. If you are unable to attend please call the school.***

**Thanksgiving Feast:** Lunch will be provided on Wednesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>, for our annual Thanksgiving Feast. Forms are in your child’s Wednesday Folder to bring items that we need for the feast. Please note the specific dates to send the items to school. If your child will not eat the standard Thanksgiving food or has a food allergy, please send a lunch to school with your child.

**Christmas Store:** Christmas Store will be held November 28<sup>th</sup> – December 1<sup>st</sup>. Order forms were sent home in last week’s folder. We do not use this event to make money. If you have any extra gift bags, tape, name tags, or wrapping paper, please send these to school with your child. **Money and forms are due on Wednesday, November 8<sup>th</sup>!!**

**Thank you to all of the parents who volunteered to help or donate for our Fall Festivals!**



Students will not have school on November 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>. There will also be a 1 hour early dismissal on Wednesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>. Thanksgiving Break is scheduled for November 23-27.

### School Pictures

A link will be sent out today to purchase school pictures. The order deadline is Tuesday, November 21<sup>st</sup>.



**November is Epilepsy Awareness Month. Show your support by wearing purple on November 17th**



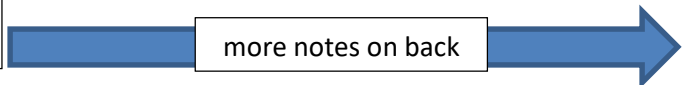
### Christmas Program

The Christmas Program will be held on Friday, December 15<sup>th</sup>. There will be 2 show times (10 AM and 1:15 PM). We have 2 times so that families can choose to attend 1 show. This helps with seating and parking. Students in 1<sup>st</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> grades will be in this program. The Kindergarten Program will be held on Tuesday, December 19<sup>th</sup> at 1pm

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- November 1:** Chapel/Awards
- November 8:** Report Cards/Christmas Store Money due
- November 9:** NO SCHOOL/Parent teacher Conferences
- November 10:** No School/Veteran’s Day
- November 15:** Sarris Candy Money and Orders Due
- November 17:** Wear Purple for Epilepsy Awareness
- November 21:** Last Day to Order School Pictures
- November 22:** Thanksgiving Feast; 1 Hour Early Dismissal
- November 23 – 27:** No School; Thanksgiving Break
- November 28 – December 1:** Christmas Store
- December 6<sup>th</sup>:** Chapel





## Inclement Weather Reminder K - 8



We follow the Albert Gallatin School District for closings and delays regarding inclement weather. Please listen to school closing announcements on television Channels 2 (KDKA), 4 (WTAE), and 11 (WPXI). You can also access the information on the web sites for each station or call 724-583-0322 extension 0012. MMCS has a separate listing on all channels as well as our website, Facebook page, and remind.

If there is a one-hour delay, students will arrive by 9:45 AM; for a two-hour delay, students will arrive by 10:45 AM.

If school is cancelled, VIRTUAL instruction will begin at 10 AM. Your child's teacher will send the ZOOM connection. To be counted present, your child must be connected for 4 hours.

***If a student does not live in the Albert Gallatin School District and the district that the child lives in cancels or delays school:***

1. the child will not be marked absent for coming in late as long as they arrive when the school district in which they live is scheduled to begin school – your bus will still pick you up at your district's delayed time.
2. the child will not be marked absent if their school district does not have school. ***Bussees will only be provided for a delay according to the district's schedule in which you live. If the school district does not have school, bus transportation will not be provided to pick up your child or bring them home.***

If school is dismissed early, we will **try** to notify you by phone and the school remind if there is time. Please be sure that we have current phone numbers. We use the phone numbers that you listed on your child's registration form. However, if you notice inclement weather, you should refer to the news stations. Staff will also post the information to our Facebook page and Remind. We will also post an early dismissal on our school's webpage ([www.mymoriah.org](http://www.mymoriah.org)) and Facebook. To join Remind, text 81010 with the message @MMCSR.

### **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD:**

***The School's Mission Project for October is Operation Christmas Child. Below is a list of the items that we would like for each class to help donate so that a less fortunate child may have a present for Christmas. Please send all donations to school with your child by November 1<sup>st</sup>.***

**Preschool & 5<sup>th</sup> grade:** TOYS: small cars, dolls, balls, kazoos, harmonicas, yo-yos, jump ropes, slinky, small Etch-A Sketch, toys that light up or make noise (with extra batteries), small stuffed animals, etc.

**Kindergarten:** TOYS: small cars, dolls, balls, kazoos, harmonicas, yo-yos, jump ropes, slinky, small Etch-A Sketch, toys that light up or make noise (with extra batteries), T-shirts, socks, ball caps, sunglasses, hair clips, toy jewelry, watches, flashlights (extra batteries)

**1<sup>st</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> grades:** SCHOOL SUPPLIES: pens, pencils and sharpeners, crayons, markers, stamps & ink pad sets, writing pads or paper, solar calculators, coloring books, picture books, etc.

**2<sup>nd</sup> grade:** SMALL STUFFED ANIMALS: beanie baby size

**6<sup>th</sup>/7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> grades:** TOILETRIES: toothbrush, mild bar soap (in a plastic bag), comb, washcloth, etc.



If you would like to make a cash donation, please be sure to label your envelope when you send it to school. Checks may be made payable to MMBC.

The email address for the MMCS School Board is [mmcsboard@mymoriah.org](mailto:mmcsboard@mymoriah.org) If you have any questions, or concerns, please contact Mrs. D. for K-5, Mrs. Kiger for 6-8, or the school board.