

M.I.T.C.H. Charter School **Week of December 5, 2011**

Mark your calendars for the next Auction Committee meeting - December 8th at 7:00 p.m.

Everyone is invited to attend and be a part of the largest fundraiser of our year.

Wreath Fundraiser

We will be selling 24" wreaths at the school. They will be available tomorrow afternoon and sell for \$20.00. Please see the attached flyer for a picture of the type of wreaths available.

We are looking for some help repairing the basketball hoops and poles, please contact the office if you can help.

We will be finishing an attic space for drama & dance storage. We are looking for an electrician, a framer & someone who is able to move a fire sprinkler. Please contact the office if you can help. Thanks for helping out our aftercare program.

Report cards will be available for pickup in the office on Wednesday afternoon. Please stop by and pick them up for your students so that we do not need to mail them. Thanks

Heritage Fair - If you would like to help with this great all school event contact Joanna Shetler at joanna@shetlermail.com.

News from Mrs. Coffee:

Hello M.I.T.C.H. Families,
On December 16th our annual "Sing with Seniors" tour will be here, and that's right around the corner. We have room for 30 students to attend, so we need to have an R.S.V.P. to make sure we know how many to plan for. **I'm a little more than half full already, so please respond if you're interested in participating!**

Details: We will be meeting here at the school at 9:45 am and leaving here at 10:15 am for our first performance. We will then return to the school by 2 pm sharp. If you are interested in attending as a parent, we would love to have you, just R.S.V.P. along with your student(s). Students will need a packed lunch for the day. We will provide small water bottles. Questions and to R.S.V.P, please e-mail me (Mrs.Coffee) at music@mitchcharterschool.org. Thanks and looking forward to hearing you all "Deck the Halls" with your wonderful joy!

Green Patrol Team

The green patrol team has been selected and we will begin meetings, learning our roles. Here is our school green patrol team, it makes up a representative from each class (with the exception of 8th grade, we have a student council representative for this class).

Kindergarten: TBD

1st grade: Anne Marie Pfeuffer

2nd grade (Willner): Halen Cain

2nd grade (Selnau): Colin Parker

3rd grade: Mitchell Atwood

4th grade: Steele Burry

5th grade: TBD

6th grade: Brooke MacDonald

7th grade: Tanya Mikheyeva

We will begin meeting this Wednesday (December 7th) from 3:15-3:30 pm.

If you have any questions please contact Mrs. Coffee

music@mitchcharterschool.org

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Dec	8	Thursday	Auction meeting at 7:00 p.m.
Dec	13	Tuesday	M.I.T.C.H. Board Meeting 7:00 p.m.
Dec	15	Thursday	Last day of school for winter break
Dec	16	Friday	Singing with Seniors
Jan	3	Tuesday	First day back from winter break
Jan	20	Friday	All school winter concert
Jan	26	Thursday	Heritage Fair

Bad Weather / School Closure Information:

Our school community comes from 5 different school districts. We will use KEX, KGW, FOX, KOIN, KATU and KINK radio to announce school closures, please watch the rolling list of closures and late starts. We are under the name M.I.T.C.H. Tigard School. We will change the phone message with school updates. You can also find the closures at www.pdxinfo.net under the heading of Private & Charter Schools Portland.

January & February lunch menu is attached. Orders for the week of January 3rd, need to be turned in before end of day on December 15th.

Goodsearch - Consider changing the internet search engine that you use to Goodsearch and get money donated to M.I.T.C.H. for every search that you perform. See the attached flyer for more information.

Scrip is an easy way to support the school: Here is a great opportunity from Columbia Sportswear!! Their gift cards are now available to order on scrip. **COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR \$50** With each card sold between Nov. 8th and December 13th, the buyer will receive one pass to the Columbia Sportswear Employee Store. The new order form is attached.

Student Store News: Looking for gifts for the holiday, come check out the student store. We have re-opened after the week of science fair. Please see the attachments. Thank you for supporting our students.

Non profit Dinner and a Movie Update and how you can help

make a difference: 50 families are provided for in every way possible like meals, play groups etc.;
Goal of 20 diapers per week per family;
Last count 63 kids under 12 years;
Most children are infant to toddler (2 babies born last month and 3 pregnant); Can you sponsor a family for Christmas contact Jennifer Lawrence 503-734-9299 <http://www.dinnerandamoviepdx.com/>;
A MITCH parent will be picking up each Thursday afternoon to get the items donated to the families.

Support some of our students who are going to Washington DC

December 7 Claim Jumpers Support Night 18000 SW Lower Boones Ferry Road, Tualatin, OR 97062 15% of proceeds go to WorldStrides travelers ☺

We appreciate all and any support you can give us!!

Thank you,

Ms. Wright

WorldStrides Leader

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