

MRCCA Eagles Accents

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MRCA'S "STATE OF THE SCHOOL" ADDRESS



Tuesday, January 12, 2010
7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

New Curriculum Approach – Understanding by Design
Future Vision of Mitchell Road Christian Academy
Financial Status
Enrollment
Time of Testimonies
Time of Praise and Prayer

NO nursery will be provided. We hope you will make plans to join us.

MRCA OPEN HOUSE



Mitchell Road Christian Academy will hold (3) Open Houses in January for those interested in Christian education. The 1st Open House will be **Thursday, January 14th**, the 2nd Open House will be **Wednesday, January 20th**, and the 3rd Open House will be **Tuesday, January 26th**. Open Houses will be held from **9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** Please encourage family, friends, and neighbors who may be interested in enrolling their children at MRCA to attend one of these Open Houses. This will be a great time for them to learn more about our school and a great way for us to showcase MRCA!

RE REGISTRATION

Re-registration information for the 2010/2011 school year will be mailed to current families the week of January 18th. **Currently enrolled students have first priority but could risk losing their spot if the re-registration form is not turned in by January 29th.** If you have any questions, please contact Gail Simmons, Director of Admissions, 864-268-2210, ext. 305.

MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. HOLIDAY- NO SCHOOL

MRCA will be **closed** on *Monday, January 18th* in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day. **There will be NO CASA and the school office will be closed.** School and CASA will resume on Tuesday, January 19th at 8:15 a.m.

January MRCA

- 8th Report Cards go home
- 14th Open House 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
- 18th Martin Luther King Holiday
NO SCHOOL
- 20th Re Registration begins
- 20th Open House 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
- 21st K3/K4 Report Cards go home
- 26th Open House 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
- 28th Piedmont Women's Center Baby
Shower Chapel - 8:30 a.m.

MRCA ON THE RUN

MRCA will not participate in the January Downtown Race. This race is no longer a "Fit School Challenge" race. However, watch for more information regarding the spring races.

LUNCH ROOM "NEW STUFF"

Firehouse Subs is our new Wednesday vendor and our Schlotzky's menu has changed.

Firehouse Subs will offer the following items: Ham/Cheese, Turkey/Cheese, Roast Beef/Cheese subs - 12" w/lettuce \$5.75, 6" w/lettuce \$3.75, 4" no lettuce \$2.75, and a side salad \$2.00.

Schlotzky's will now offer the following: Cheese Calzone w/sauce \$2.50; Baked Spaghetti w/breadstick \$3.25, Chicken Burrito \$3.25, Chicken Caesar Salad \$4.00, Chef Salad \$4.00, Greek Salad \$3.50, Side Salad \$2.00, Broc/Cheese Soup \$2.25, Ckn/Rice Soup \$2.25, and extra Breadstick \$.25.



WINTER WEATHER POLICY

As we face the cold winter months, we want to remind you of our inclement weather policy. MRCA will follow Greenville County's **initial call** on the first snow day. After this initial call, MRCA will make its own snow day calls independently of Greenville County. The closing/opening of MRCA will be posted specifically on WYFF TV-4 and FOXCarolina. As well, you will receive a message from Alert Now via the mother's cell phone number (unless you have given Gail a different contact number). School opening/closing announcements will be made by 6:30 a.m. **Should there be a delay in the start of school, there will be NO Early Stay.** As well, should the start of school be delayed, the **kindergarten program WILL** be in session, unless otherwise noted.



PIEDMONT WOMEN'S CENTER BABY SHOWER

MRCA's Largest Baby Shower benefiting the Piedmont Women's Center will be held during chapel on Thursday, January 28th beginning 8:30 a.m. This baby shower is held at MRCA each January as part of "Sanctity of Life" month. A representative from the Piedmont Women's Center will speak to our students and faculty about God's wonderful gift of life. Parents and friends are welcome to attend this special chapel program. **Students are encouraged to bring any of the following much needed items: Baby lotion, shampoo, wash, socks, onesies, bibs, sleepers, gowns, clothes, blankets, rattles, combs, brushes, clippers, pacifiers, bottles, and newborn diapers.**

Sports

I can do everything through Him who gives me strength. Philippians 4:13

SPORTS CLUB – Sports Club will begin again in February with Ultimate Frisbee. Forms will be sent home in a week or two. Should you have questions, please contact Coach O'Leath at 268-2210, x310.

SPRING REC SOCCER REGISTRATION – On-line registration continues for spring Rec soccer through Saturday, January 9th. To register, go to www.mitchellroadchristian.org and click on the Athletics link, then the Rec Soccer link and follow the steps for registering. Registration is \$90 with a late fee of \$25 for anyone who signs up after December 25th.

U-8 BOYS COACH NEEDED. If you are interested, please contact Heather Karr as soon as possible at coachkarr@gmail.com.

BASKETBALL –The boys and girls both play again on Monday, January 11th. Come on out and watch the MRCA Eagles in action!

For directions and details regarding any of MRCA's sporting events, please visit our school website – www.mitchellroadchristian.org - Athletics Link



8TH GRADE NEWS

Each year the 8th grade participates in the Veterans of Foreign Wars writing contest, Patriots Pen. This year's representative was Camille Reader. Her essay about when the appropriate time is to honor our nation's veterans was chosen from the entire 8th grade class to represent MRCA. The essay then went to the local VFW Post 1845 where it was further judged. Camille's essay placed 2nd out of 30 entries. Way to go Camille! We are so proud of your efforts.

THANK YOU!

The Administrative staff and Related Arts teachers would like to sincerely thank all of you who brought Christmas goodies and gifts during the Holiday Season. Your generosity is overwhelming and greatly appreciated!

