

# MRCCA Eagles Accents

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## 5<sup>TH</sup> & 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE RETREAT

A few reminders to parents regarding the MRCA 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> grade retreat on Thursday/Friday, October 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup>

1. All medical forms and the \$90 retreat fee were due in the Middle School Office by **today, September 25<sup>th</sup>**.
2. **REMEMBER, NO sandals, please.**
3. Don't forget your **designated snacks**.
4. Please pray for the 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> grade students and faculty - for safety, fellowship, and changed hearts.
5. Students will return around 2:30 p.m. on Friday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>.

### AT THE POLE!



Students and parents gathered at the MRCA flagpole on Wednesday morning to pray for our school, faculty and students, our alumni, and our country. What a great time it was to share together in the Lord. Thanks to all who participated!

### MRCA SKATE NIGHT



**Monday, September 28<sup>th</sup>** from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m., will be our **first Skate Night** at the RollerSports in Taylors. The class with the most students in attendance will win a treat from PTF. This is a wonderful opportunity to have fun and fellowship with our students. Mark your calendar and make your plans now to come out and have fun with the MRCA student family.

## PROGRESS REPORTS



Parents are able to keep up with the progress of their child through the School Dynamics Info Direct; therefore, it will NOT be necessary to send home paper progress reports. Report cards will be sent home with students on Friday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>.

## BOXTOPS FOR EDUCATION

Our first Boxtops for Education collection date will be October 15th. Please place your boxtops in a sandwich bag labeled with your child's homebase teacher's name. You may turn the boxtops in at either the main reception desk or the middle school office. The top class winners in early ed, elementary, and middle school will each win a prize. Don't forget to clip those boxtops!

## "WALK THROUGH THE BIBLE"

Mitchell Road Presbyterian Church will host a "Walk-Thru-The-Bible" Seminar on Sunday October 4<sup>th</sup> from 2:30 until 7:00 p.m. Cost for the seminar is \$10 and includes the workbook. You may pick up a registration form at the MRPC reception desk or at the main school reception desk. **The completed registration form should be turned in to the MRPC reception desk.** The seminar is appropriate for anyone from Grade 3 to adults. For more information you may visit [www.mrpca.org](http://www.mrpca.org) – then under quick links "Walk Thru the Bible". Should you have questions, please phone Shannon Fahnle at 268-2218.

## LUNCH ROOM NEWS

Doughnuts are a popular treat for birthdays in our lunchroom. Shawn would like to let you know that she has coupons for Krispy Kreme should you need one. If you have any coupons that you are not going to use, please send them in for her to have for others. Thanks! Also, a reminder, that if you are bringing in birthday treats, please also bring the paper goods (i.e., napkins or plates) that will be needed.

### Why do doughnuts have holes?

(The answer to this sticky question lies in the fact that the interior of these fried cakes would not cook fully without a hole in the center.)



# Sports

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

**CROSS-COUNTRY MEET** -The team will run in the "Race for the Cure" tomorrow, September 26<sup>th</sup>.

**SPORTS CLUB** - There is still room for any 3<sup>rd</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> grader who would like to sign up for flag football. Coach O'Leath will take sign-ups until **Monday morning September 28<sup>th</sup>**. The cost is \$25. Forms are available at the main reception desk and on our website.

**SOCCER** - The boys will play Shannon Forest – Away at 4:00 p.m. on Monday, September 28<sup>th</sup>. They will play St. Joe's on Tuesday, September 29<sup>th</sup> - Away at 4:00 p.m.

**VOLLEYBALL** - The girls will play Shannon Forest on Monday, September 28<sup>th</sup> – Away at 4:00 p.m.

**GOLF** - Golf Try-Outs will be held October 19<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, and 23<sup>rd</sup> and are open to all 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> graders. In order to try out, you must turn in the completed 2009-2010 Physical Form, the Liability form, and the Athletic Handbook form by **October 19<sup>th</sup>**. Forms can be found on our website under Parent Info - Downloads and Forms. If you have already turned in a physical form for 2009 Fall Soccer, 2009 Girls Volleyball, or 2009 Cross Country, you do not need to complete an additional physical form. Should you have any questions about golf try-outs, please contact Coach Schmidt – 268-2210.

**MIDDLE SCHOOL GIRLS/BOYS BASKETBALL** – Middle school basketball try-outs for boys and girls will be held the week of October 26<sup>th</sup>. In order to try out, you must turn in the completed 2009-2010 Physical Form, the Liability form, and the Athletic Handbook form by October 26<sup>th</sup>. Forms can be found on our website under Parent Info - Downloads and Forms. If you have already turned in a physical form for 2009 Fall Soccer, 2009 Girls Volleyball, or 2009 Cross Country, you do not need to complete an additional physical form. Should you have any questions, please contact the Athletic Department – 268-2210, x310.

For directions and details regarding any of MRCA's sporting events, please visit our school website – [www.mitchellroadchristian.org](http://www.mitchellroadchristian.org) - Athletics Link

## "FALL" INTO OCTOBER AT MRCA!



- 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Retreat
- 15<sup>th</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Ends
- EARLY DISMISSAL DAY
- 16<sup>th</sup> NO SCHOOL for students
- 15<sup>th</sup>/16<sup>th</sup> CMSC Tournament
- 19<sup>th</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup> Middle School Golf Tryouts
- 23<sup>rd</sup> Report Cards Sent Home
- 27<sup>th</sup> Picture Retakes 8:30 a.m.
- 26<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup> SERVE-A-Thon Week
- 26<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup> Middle School Basketball Tryouts
- 29<sup>th</sup> Early Education Fall Festival

## A NOTE OF THANKS



Many thanks to those of you who donated the special soaps and lotions for the middle school girls' and boys' restrooms. Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

## SERVE A THON

MRCA is excited about our upcoming fundraiser, the sixth annual **SERVE-A-Thon**. This year our SERVE-A-Thon will be the week of **October 26<sup>th</sup>**. Be sure to watch upcoming *Accents* for specific details regarding this special event in the life of Mitchell Road Christian Academy. We look forward to your partnership with us in this school-wide endeavor!!!!

## SCHOOL WIDE ART COMPETITION



It is time for our school-wide Art Competition. Each student may enter one piece of art work. Art work may not be traced or from a coloring book. An imitation of a master work is allowed; however, no copied cartoon characters please. Be sure to use nice white paper and be colorful! Mrs. Thomas will select several pieces from those submitted and display them in the MRCA lunchroom for the rest of the school year.

