



#### **Food Service Orders**

November Lunch and Breakfast orders are **due 10/24/22** 

November Lunch Menu will go home next week in your child's backpacks.

Please complete a new order form anytime in the month if you need to make changes to your orders.

Please see the Food Service page for links to the order forms.

<a href="https://threeriversmontessori.org/food-services">https://threeriversmontessori.org/food-services</a>

# Building Security Enhancements

Security is a top priority for parents and staff at Three Rivers Montessori. We have made significant enhancements this year. First, we revised our Lock Down procedures, adopted A.L.I.C.E., and had the Elk River Police force provide our training. Then over the MEA break, we installed brand new doors on the lower level and added key card access. We also added key card access to the side entry point and had each of the existing doors inspected and maintenance performed.

### **Volunteers Needed**

TRM has lots of volunteer opportunities.

- Pizza Ranch Fundraiser greet bust tables and light cleanup.
- Recess supervise the playground.
- Library Committee organize, catalog, and more.
- Maintenance hang shelves, assemble furniture, storage shed, etc...

Email

<u>volunteers@threeriversmontessori.org</u> to notify us you are ready to help.

# **THANK YOU!**

The Scholastic Book Fair was a huge success. We are still tallying all of the sales and will announce the totals next week.

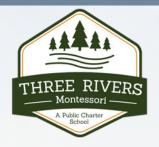
We hope you are enjoying all the treasures you found at the fair!











### **Kuklok's Corner**

Greetings TRM families, and happy Fall Break!

This week has been so quiet, other than conference days, and I miss the buzz of the students in the halls. I hope you are finding time to connect and lean into your own family dynamics during this week off. I know my family, and I will spend the next two days at apple orchards, pumpkin patches, and the MN Zoo Jack O' Lantern event.

As we move into the late part of October and early November, we have many dates here and there that will provide even more time for family connection and celebration. Please be sure to watch for communication on when there will be no school and when the school office may be closed over the next couple of months. We are still working hard to pivot and adjust as needs are seen, so you will start seeing more school communications coming home as hard copies. Thank you to the families who have provided constructive feedback on our processes; without your voices, we can't adjust, such as with more paper copies coming home. You should have received a hard copy of the school calendar at conferences, but if you couldn't attend conferences or didn't receive one when here, please let us know, and we will be sure one gets tucked away in your child's backpack right away! We will also send a hard copy of the Spirit week events and activities so look for that to come home next week.

Finally, I want to leave you with my gratitude. I connected with many new families during our conferences, and the kind words and encouraging messages helped me know we were on the right path. As I tell our staff, you will not always like all of the decisions that are made here, but they are all made for very specific reasons, and each time I make a decision, it is with feedback from as many stakeholders as I can connect with and always with your children's best interest as the driving factor. If you ever have questions about processes, procedures, or operations here at TRM, please do not hesitate to ask, I am always happy to provide clarity and context around why we do what we do each day. Please also continue to connect with me as you need, I am always available in any format you need, phone, email, or in person. I wish you well as you continue your MEA break, and I cannot wait to see each student's bright, energetic face when we welcome them back to the building on Monday, October 24th.

My best,

Antonio Kuklok - Executive Director and Principal