



# MOUNTAIN VIEW ELEMENTARY PTO



Dear Parents/Guardians,

As we prepare for the new school year, the PTO has been busy planning a full year of events and activities for Mountain View Elementary!

If you're new to MVES or aren't familiar with our Parent Teachers Organization, please check out our website. We also have an active Facebook page and a private group as well that we encourage parents to join and utilize. We also communicate important information through the REMIND app, please sign up using ONE of the classes below (multiple classroom sign-ups will result in multiple duplicate messages).

Mountain View Elementary has many in-person volunteering opportunities for you to take advantage of. Sign ups are on our website and will be sent out through Remind and Facebook as well. We will need volunteers immediately to help our kindergarteners daily at lunchtime. Our first large event will be the **Wellness Walk on September 30th.** As a reminder, **ALL VOLUNTEERS MUST HAVE CURRENT CLEARANCES TO VOLUNTEER!** Clearances will be required to walk with your child and can take up to two weeks to return from the state, so *please begin this process now.*

Check out our website for clearances information, and contact the main office to make sure your paperwork is up to date if you are not sure. Please send up to date clearances via email to [MVESClearances@glsd.us](mailto:MVESClearances@glsd.us) at least one week prior to volunteering. Volunteers with expired clearances will not be able to participate in events (no exceptions).

This year the PTO is bringing back our class directory! This is a useful document for parents to send out birthday invitations, arrange playdates, or coordinate activities with other parents at MVES. Parents who participate in the directory will receive an electronic copy of their child's grade only. This is optional, and is to be used for school or social activities only. Sign up for the directory via the link provided in this letter, which is also linked to our website and Facebook page. PARENT DIRECTORY LINK: <https://forms.gle/FWJQfobAEidHva6N8>

Need some back to school Wildcat Pride gear? Our spirit wear sale link is live (<https://dominics-sports-inc.square.site/mves-22>)! Order now until September 14th from Dominics and your spiritwear will be delivered to the school approximately 3-4 weeks after the end date of the sale. Remember, every Friday is "Wildcat Pride Day" at MVES so wear your orange and black!

Don't forget to visit us at Back to School Night! The PTO will have a table set up in the lobby for both back to school nights as well as the Kindergarten meet and greet to answer any questions you may have. Come say hello! Please plan to join us for our first **PTO meeting on September 7th at 7pm in the MVES Cafeteria.**

We are so excited for the year ahead and look forward to meeting you soon!

Sincerely,

Your MVES PTO Team

**EMAIL:** [MVESWildcatsPTO@gmail.com](mailto:MVESWildcatsPTO@gmail.com)

**WEBSITE:** [www.mvespto.com](http://www.mvespto.com)

**FACEBOOK:** [WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/MVES.PTO](http://WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/MVES.PTO)

**REMIND:** @KinderMVES, @1stMVES, @2ndMVES, @3rdMVES, @4thMVES, @5thMVES, @6thMVES



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## August

- 23rd (Tuesday) - Kindergarten Meet and Greet 4-5:30 PM
- 23rd and 24th (Tuesday 2,4,6 and Wednesday 1,3,5) Back to School Nights 5:30-7:30PM
- 29th (Monday) 1st Day of School (Grades 1-6)
- 31st (Wednesday) First Day of Kindergarten

## September

- 5th (Monday) - Labor Day, NO SCHOOL
- 7th (Wednesday) - PTO Meeting, 7 PM MVES Cafe
- 8th (Thursday) - Chick Fil A Day, Eastgate Plaza All Day
- 13th (Tuesday) - Student Store Grades 1-3-5
- 15th (Thursday) - Student Store Grades 2-4-6
- 19th (Monday) - Kindergarten Open House 5-6:30 PM
- 20th (Tuesday) - 6th Grade Camp Meeting (Sr. High) Time TBA
- 22nd (Thursday) - Dairy Queen Day, Latrobe All Day
- 30th (Friday) - Wellness Walk, All Day
- TBA - Chipotle Day, Westmoreland Mall

## October

- 6th (Thursday) - Chick Fil A Day, Eastgate Plaza All Day
- 12th (Wednesday) - PTO Meeting, 2:30 PM MVES Cafe
- 14th (Friday) - Act 80 Day, NO SCHOOL
- 16th (Sunday) - Trunk or Treat\*\*, MVES Parking Lot
- 18th (Tuesday) - Student Store Grades K-2-4-6
- 20th (Thursday) - Student Store Grades 1-3-5
- 24th - 28th - Red Ribbon Week
- 27th (Thursday) - Dairy Queen Day, Latrobe All Day
- 28th (Friday) - Halloween Party\*\*, Time TBA

## November

- 1st (Tuesday) - 2 Hour Late Start, 10:35 AM
- 1st - 7th - Penny Wars
- 1st - 15th - CAP Food Drive
- 9th (Wednesday) - PTO Meeting, 7 PM MVES Cafe
- 10th (Thursday) - Parent Teacher Conferences (5-8 PM)
- 10th (Thursday) - Chick Fil A Day, Eastgate Plaza All Day
- 11th (Friday) - Veterans Day, NO SCHOOL
- 14th (Monday) - Act 80 Day, NO SCHOOL, Parent Teacher Conferences (Daytime)
- 15th (Tuesday) - Student Store Grades 1-3-5
- 17th (Thursday) - Student Store Grades K- 2-4-6
- 17th (Thursday) - Dairy Queen Day, Latrobe All Day
- 23rd (Wednesday) - Early Dismissal, 11:35 AM
- 24th -28th (Thursday - Monday) - Thanksgiving Break, NO SCHOOL

## December

- 8th (Thursday) - Chick Fil A Day, Eastgate Plaza All Day
- 6th - 9th - Santa Shop\*\*
- 13th (Tuesday) - Student Store Grades K-2-4-6
- 14th (Wednesday) - PTO Meeting, 2:30 PM MVES Cafe
- 15th (Thursday) - Student Store Grades 1-3-5
- 15th (Thursday) - Band and Chorus Concert
- 22nd (Thursday) - Dairy Queen Day, Latrobe All Day
- 22nd (Thursday) - Holiday Party\*\*, Time TBA
- 22nd (Thursday) - Early Dismissal, 11:35 AM
- 23rd - January 2nd - Holiday Break, NO SCHOOL



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## January

- 3rd (Tuesday) - Classes Resume
- 11th (Wednesday) - PTO Meeting, 7 PM MVES Cafe
- 12th (Thursday) - Chick Fil A Day, Eastgate Plaza All Day
- 16th (Monday) - Act 80 Day, NO SCHOOL
- 17th (Tuesday) - 2 Hour Late Start, 10:35 AM
- 24th (Tuesday) - Student Store Grades 1-3-5
- 26th (Thursday) - Student Store Grades K-2-4-6
- 26th (Thursday) - Dairy Queen Day, Latrobe All Day

## February

- 8th (Wednesday) - PTO Meeting, 2:30 PM MVES Cafe
- 9th (Thursday) - Chick Fil A Day, Eastgate Plaza All Day
- 10th (Friday) - Valentines Day Party\*\*, Time TBA
- 14th (Tuesday) - Student Store Grades K-2-4-6
- 16th (Thursday) - Student Store Grades 1-3-5
- 17th (Friday) - In Service Day, NO SCHOOL
- 20th (Monday) - Presidents Day, NO SCHOOL
- 23rd (Thursday) - Dairy Queen Day, Latrobe All Day

## March

- 8th (Wednesday) - PTO Meeting, 7:00 PM MVES Cafe
- 9th (Thursday) - Parent Teacher Conferences (5-8 PM)
- 9th (Thursday) - Chick Fil A Day, Eastgate Plaza All Day
- 14th (Tuesday) - Student Store Grades 1-3-5
- 16th (Thursday) - Student Store Grades K-2-4-6
- 23rd (Thursday) - 2 Hour Late Start, 10:35 AM
- 23rd (Thursday) - Dairy Queen Day, Latrobe All Day
- TBA - Chipotle Day, Westmoreland Mall

## April

- 6th (Thursday) - Early Dismissal, 11:35 AM
- 7th - 11th (Friday - Tuesday) - Spring Break, NO SCHOOL
- 12th (Wednesday) - PTO Meeting 2:30 PM MVES Cafe
- 13th (Thursday) - Chick Fil A Day, Eastgate Plaza All Day
- 18th (Tuesday) - Student Store Grades K-2-4-6
- 20th (Thursday) - Student Store Grades 1-3-5
- 24th-30th PSSA Testing (English Language Arts)
- 27th (Thursday) - Dairy Queen Day, Latrobe All Day

## May

- 1st - 5th - Teacher Appreciation Week
- 4th (Thursday) - Kindergarten Airport Field Trip
- 5th (Friday) - 6th Grade Olympic Day
- 1st - 9th PSSA Testing (Math and Science)
- 10th (Wednesday) - PTO Meeting 7:00 PM MVES Cafe
- 11th (Thursday) - Band and Chorus Concert
- 11th (Thursday) - Chick Fil A Day, Eastgate Plaza All Day
- 12th (Friday) - Act 80 Day, PROM, NO SCHOOL
- 16th (Tuesday) - Student Store Grades 1-3-5
- 18th (Thursday) - Student Store Grades K-2-4-6
- TBA - Field Day\*\*
- TBA - 6th Grade Party
- 25th (Thursday) - Dairy Queen Day, Latrobe All Day
- 29th (Monday) - Memorial Day, NO SCHOOL

## June

- 1st (Thursday) - Last Day of School, Early Dismissal, 11:35 AM