Hello MCS Parents,

We wrapped up our 1st Semester today! Report Cards will come home with your child on Tuesday, January 21st. Please review, sign the empty envelope, and have your child return it back to their teacher by next Friday, January 24th. Parent-Teacher conferences will begin soon. Please look for a message from your child's teacher with scheduling information.

Many MCS students will head to Dallas later next week for a Performance Tour. It is so fun to share MCS with those around the USA! Have fun if you are joining for this trip.

Our Home Base classes focusing on social and emotional development have been going well! Teachers have shared wonderful feedback on the implementation of this focused time as well as the Second Step curriculum resources. Please ask your child to share what they have gained from this time too!

Catholic Schools Week is right around the corner. The theme is "Lead-Learn-Serve-Succeed". Our student council has planned fun daily themes to show our MCS pride. Catholic Education is a family commitment on many levels. Thank you for sacrificing so much to have your student engage in such a meaningful experience!

Enjoy the long weekend,
Principal Randazzo

Pre Registrations for the 2020-2021
Opens January 24th

Pre-registration for the 2020-2021 school year will open Monday, January 24th. A link to our registration portal will be emailed to parents on that day.

A non-refundable pre-registration fee of $100 per student will be due no later than Friday, January 31st. You will be able to pay the fee online or by check. Payments (checks payable to Madeleine Choir School) can be mailed to the school or dropped off at the office.
by check should be brought to the school office. The pre-registration fee is credited towards tuition during registration in May. If you do not plan to re-enroll your student(s) next year, please contact Karla Padilla at kpadilla@utmcs.org. If you would like to enroll a new student for the 2020-2021 school year, you will need to complete an application online. You may also contact Karla Padilla for additional information.

**Parent Teacher Conferences**

The February 5th Upper School Parent Teacher Conference Night has been canceled. Individual teachers will be sending appointment times for individual conferences for upper school students. Lower School homeroom teachers will also send their conference schedules to parents.

**Please Spread the Word to Friends, Family and Acquaintances**

- **MCS Pre-K and Kindergarten Information Night for 2020-2021**

**Admissions and Enrollment**
Important Dates and Reminders

- January 21st - Report Cards Sent Home
- January 21st - HSA Meeting at 7:00 PM
- January 22nd - Pre-K and Kindergarten Information Night at 4:00 PM
- January 24th - Spirit Day Dress
- January 27th - 31st - Catholic Schools Week
- January 30th - Talent Show - Pre-K-3 (9:00 AM), 4-8 (2:00 PM)
2020 MCS Mardi Gras Event

Due to an oversight on conflicting events the 2020 MCS Mardi Gras Event, originally planned for February 21st, has been postponed until next year. We apologize and look forward to the event next year. Please contact Matt Kitterer in the Office of Advancement with any questions or concerns.

Now Accepting Applications for 2020-2021

We are now accepting applications for the 2020-2021 academic year. Applications can be found on our website at www.utmcs.org. Limited space is available for certain grades for the current academic year.
MCS Annual T-Shirt Available for Limited Time

Our annual T-Shirt (pictured below) will be available for purchase on a special run and very special pricing at $12/shirt. Please place your orders now. The deadline for purchase is at midnight on January 26th. Delivery is slated for February 10th.

Place T-shirt Order Here

Girls on the Run

This year MCS will have two teams: Girls on the Run (for 3rd-5th grade girls) and Heart and Sole (for 5th-8th grade girls). The season runs from Mar 2- May 27, with the final 5K celebration on Saturday, May 30 at 9:00am.

Girls on the Run (3rd-5th grade girls) practices: Wednesday 3:45-5:45
Heart and Sole (5th-8th grade girls) practices: Monday 3:45-5:45

Registration is now open. Register Here

For more information about the Girls on the Run program, check out their website below:

girlsontherunutah.org

or contact Katie Regier (kregier@utmcs.org) or Liz Connelly (econnelly@utmcs.org).

February Hot Lunch

February's hot lunch can be ordered. Click here to order. All orders need to be placed by January 19th. Please make sure you receive a confirmation that your order has gone through.
MCS Gala News

This year we are implementing a Golden Ticket Opportunity Drawing. This new drawing will take the place of all Annual Gala Class Projects. We are looking forward to have this new opportunity and know you all will join us in our excitement! Please find Opportunity Drawing details in the flyer below. Click here to access Golden Ticket Portal Payment.

#wehopeyouwinthedrawing
GOLDEN TICKET
OPPORTUNITY DRAWING

TAKE THE LOOT OR GET OUT OF DODGE!

WINNER RECEIVES $7,500 CASH OR $10,000 TRAVEL VOUCHER!

WINNER ANNOUNCED AT MCS ANNUAL GALA ON APRIL 25TH, 2020

Buy a ticket with cash, check (payable at the front desk), or on-line via the following link:

**CLASS CONTEST**
- Free Dress for each class that meets their goal (10 tickets per class) -
- A bus ride to Hatch Family Chocolates for each class from Upper and Lower school that sell the most Golden Tickets!