

FEBRUARY *Upcoming Events and Reminders*

Feb. 15: Second Trimester Ends

The 2nd Trimester runs from Nov. 13 - Feb. 15, 2024

You may access your child's standards based grades for the second trimester anytime on your Powerschool Parent Portal.

2nd Trimester Standard Based Grade Reports will be available to view on Tuesday, March 12



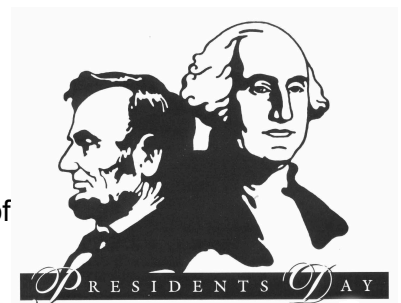
The 3rd Trimester runs from Feb. 20 - May 22, 2024

3rd Trimester Interims - Monday, April 15, 2024

3rd Trimester Report Cards - Thursday, May 23, 2024

Feb. 16 & 19: NO SCHOOL for students

There will be **NO SCHOOL for students on Friday, February 16** due to Parent/Teacher Conferences & Staff Professional Development and **NO SCHOOL for students or staff on Monday, February 19** in observance of President's Day.



SPRING Picture Orders

Spring pictures, for students in attendance, were taken at school yesterday. Didn't order a picture packet but wish you would have?, it's NOT TOO LATE to place an order. Students who did not pre-order photos, will receive a proof image and will have the opportunity to purchase a picture packet online, and you will not have to return any unwanted photos! Proofs will be sent home with students in a few weeks.

Feb 23: **KONA ICE** @ Lunch!

KONA Ice will be at Creekview during student lunches on Friday, February 23, 2024. The cost for an icy treat is \$3.00. Please try to bring exact change.

[Kona Ice Schedule](#) / [Kona Ice Allergen Statement](#) / [Kona Ice Allergen & Compositional Information](#)

Feb. 23: PTO unFundraiser Event Ends

The unFundraiser is quick and simple: you choose any \$\$ contribution on your part. Write a check to Creekview PTO, return it with the attached form, and you're **done**. You can also send money via Venmo, just mark it unFundraiser. All donations are tax deductible. It's really that easy. Your contribution helps provide the following for our teacher and students: Field Day, Movie Night, Stem Bingo, Teacher Reimbursement, Teacher Appreciation, Breakfast Buddies, Whit's Day, 6th Grade Student Night and much More!! If you would like to donate, click [HERE](#) / [Versión en español](#)

Donations are due by Friday, February 23rd

UN FUNDRAISER

Feb. 23: PTO Family Movie Night / Doors Open @ 6:00 p.m.



Admission is free and everyone attending will receive ONE bottle of water and ONE bag of popcorn FREE! We will also have pizza (*pre-order only - Order deadline is Tuesday, February 20, 2024*), candy, and drinks available for purchase. All students MUST be accompanied by an adult for the entire movie. Bring pillows and blankets and get comfy!

Movie Choices INCLUDE:



[PTO Movie Night Flyer](#)
[Folleto de la noche de cine del PTO](#)

Feb. 26: Upcoming After School Choir Practice

Students who have signed up for Choir will have practice on **Monday, February 26**, right after school. Students MUST have a ride arranged for pick up at 4:30 p.m. Mark your calendars!



Feb. 26: Beginning Band - Parent Meeting

Creekview will be hosting an informational meeting for parents and students in fifth grade who are interested in joining band next year as they enter sixth grade. The meeting will be on **Monday, February 26** from **5:00-6:00 p.m.** in the Creekview **Gym**.



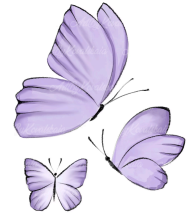
Feb. 27 & 28: Beginning Band Fittings

We will be hosting and instrument fittings **Tuesday, February 27** and **Wednesday, February 28** in the Creekview Band Room (C73) between **4:00-7:30 p.m.** If your 5th grader is interested in joining band next year, you will be able to sign up for a band instrument fitting at the parent meeting on February 26th. Mr. Ash will also be sending an email with a sign-up link to parents of 5th graders for the fittings.

Feb. 27: SOS - 6th Grade Blue & Purple Teams

Attention 6th Grade Parents:

Please see the link below regarding our upcoming student-centered suicide awareness and prevention training for 6th grade students on 2/27 (Blue & Purple Teams).



[Creekview SOS Pre-Implementation Parent Letter](#)

Don't forget, if you DO NOT wish your child to participate in the SOS Program, please complete the "MEVSD Signs of Suicide® & Ask Suicide-Screening Questions Parent Opt-Out Form" in your child's Powerschool Ecollect form portal. If you have trouble finding this please just email to let me know you would like your child to opt out. My email is mlbalch@mevsd.us

If you have general questions regarding the Signs of Suicide program or the Ask Suicide-Screening Questions screening measure, please contact Mark Gallagher, K-12 MTSS Coordinator, at mark.gallagher@mevsd.us or 937-578-6143.

We also want to provide you with the following link to find out more information about the upcoming program: <https://sossignsof suicide.org/parent>

March 4-8: READ Across America Spirit Week

Dr. Seuss's birthday is celebrated on March 2 and what better way to celebrate than with a spirit week! Students can join the fun the **week of March 4-8, 2024**. Each day will have a fun "Seussical" theme.



- ★ **Monday, 3/4: "Green Eggs & Ham"** ♦ wear the color green
 - ★ **Tuesday, 3/5: "Thing 1, Thing 2"** ♦ dress like Thing 1, Thing 2 or twins day
 - ★ **Wednesday 3/6: "Wacky Wednesday"** ♦ get silly! Wear your clothes backwards, inside out or mismatched
 - ★ **Thursday 3/7: "The Cat in the Hat"** ♦ wear your favorite hat
 - ★ **Friday 3/8: "Fox in Socks"** ♦ wear silly or mismatched socks
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2024-25 Kindergarten and Alternative Kindergarten Registration

On Monday, February 5, 2024, at approximately 9:00 AM, parents/guardians may begin the Kindergarten Registration or Alternative Kindergarten Registration process by visiting our website and submitting an online Enrollment Express entry. To be eligible for Kindergarten for the 2024-2025 school year, your child must be five years of age by September 30, 2024. Any student whose birthday falls between May 1 and September 30, 2019 qualifies for the voluntary option of Alternative Kindergarten.

Please visit the district website (click [HERE](#)) for further information.



KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

March 4-29: Read-a-Thon

Let's help our Children Become Lifelong Readers! Student's participating will have the opportunity to win some fun prizes right here at school.

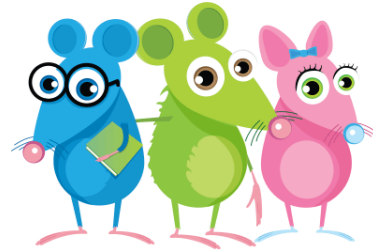
Reading Goals:

5th Grade - 20 minutes a day/100 minutes a week/Total Read-a-Thon Goal: 200 minutes

6th Grade - 25 minutes a day/150 minutes a week/Total Read-a-Thon Goal: 250 minutes

[Read-A-Thon & Bookmark Contest Flyer](#)

[SV Read-A-Thon & Bookmark Contest Flyer](#)



Bookmark Design Contest: March 4-22

All entries due Friday, March 22, 2024

[Bookmark Contest Flyer](#)

[SV Bookmark Contest Flyer](#)

Students will have the opportunity to decorate a bookmark and enter it into a school-wide competition. The top five winners will then be voted on by their peers. Each student will receive a copy of the winning bookmark. So get your creativity on and design a winning bookmark!!

Questions? Contact Mrs. Borjas in the Media Center at melissa.borjas@mevdsd.us

March 4: PTO Meeting



- The next PTO Meeting will take place on **Monday, March 4**
- **at 4:30 p.m. in the Creekview Media Center.**
- Team spotlight: 5th & 6th Grade Green Team

March 6: Student Council Meeting / 3:30-5:00 p.m. / Media Center

Fifth & Sixth Grade Student Council members will meet right after school on **Wednesday, March 6**. Students should report to the Band Room when the dismissal bell rings.



HONDA CHALLENGE DAYS at CREEKVIEW!

Each year Creekview invites a Honda Logistics team from Honda of America, Mfg. to organize a Honda Challenge Day with our 5th and 6th graders. These days, Students work together on science challenges to help them develop team building skills and explore new ideas. Honda Challenge Days are on the following dates:

March 8: Fifth Grade Honda Challenge Day / March 15: Sixth Grade Honda Challenge Day

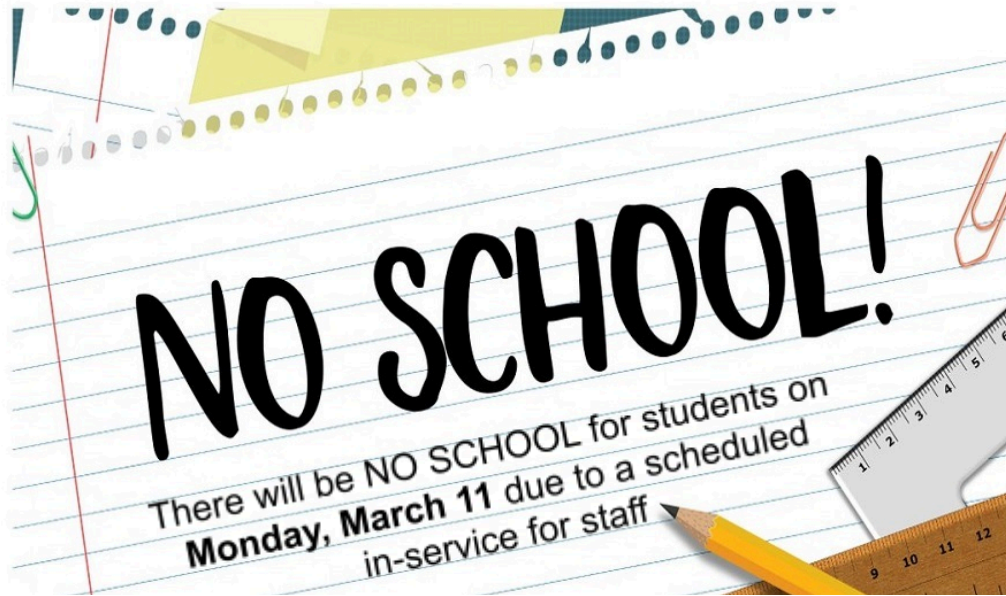
March 10: Daylight Saving Time Begins



Daylight saving time 2024 in Ohio will begin at 2:00 a.m. on Sunday, March 10.

Don't forget to set your clocks ahead 1 hour before bed on Saturday, March 9.

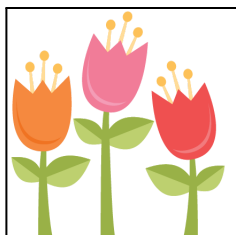
March 11: NO SCHOOL for Students



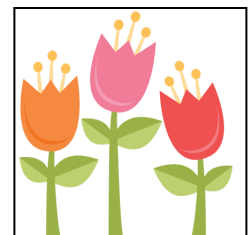
Creekview Military Families:

Please check out this [OSU.EDU](https://osu.edu) web link!

This web link shares valuable news and information for military families along with monthly activities that can be found in and around Central Ohio. [OHIO MILITARY KIDS](https://osu.edu/militarykids)



Happy 1st Day of Spring - March 19



March 22: Mark your calendar!!

CREEKVIEW CARNIVAL

Student Council is excited to announce the return of the Creekview Carnival on Friday, March 22nd. This event occurs during the school day so all of our Creekview Kids can participate. We have a wide variety of activities, games and prize give-aways. KONA ICE will be here with a full menu with prices ranging from \$3-\$7. [Kona Ice Menu](#)

Volunteer Opportunity for the school carnival!

When: Friday, March 22, 2024

Times:

- 8:30-11:30 - 6th grade games
- 9:15-11:50 - 6th grade prize room
- 12:00-3:30 - 5th grade games
- 12:45-3:30 - 5th grade prize room



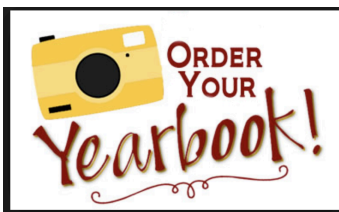
[Creekview Carnival Flyer](#)

Positions:

- Games (gym). This job requires standing and mild physical activity
- Prize room (band room). This job requires monitoring the prize tables and helping students as needed.

Email Stephanie Bett at sabett@mevsd.us if you are interested. Please indicate which shift and position you prefer.

DON'T MISS OUT ON A YEARBOOK - Time is running out! - *March 29 is the LAST DAY to place an order!*



To order your 2023-24 Creekview Yearbook, just go to ybpay.lifetouch.com and input **Yearbook ID Code: 6892824**

The cost is **\$17.00** per book (you may choose to purchase additional items as well). Online orders will be open through mid March 29, 2024. Yearbooks will be delivered to Creekview in the spring. [Yearbook Order Options](#)

From the *Cafeteria*

[Cafeteria Connection](#)

[Harvest of the Month](#)

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