

SEPTEMBER Upcoming Events and Reminders



Sept. 4



There will be **NO SCHOOL Monday, September 4** in observance of Labor Day. Students will return to school on Tuesday, September 5, 2023. Enjoy your long weekend!

2023-24 MEVSD District Calendar Calendario Distrital MEVSD 2023-24

Sept. 11 PTO Meeting / 4:30 p.m. / Creekview Media Center

Main Agenda: PTO Officer Elections for 2022-23 Vice President This meeting will take place in the Creekview Media Center

You may contact the Creekview PTO at: creekviewpto@yahoo.com



6th Grade BAND - It's not too late to Join!



Prospective Band Parents!

It's not too late for your 6th grader to sign up for band class! We already have quite a few 6th graders signed up, but we'd love to see more kids give it a shot! If your 6th grader is interested, please contact me by email at bjash@mevsd.us I'll be happy to get you all the info you need to start your student(s) on their musical journey!

We look forward to seeing your students in band class!

Musically yours,

Brian Ash / bjash@mevsd.us / Music Teacher/Band Director/Tennis Coach

Sept. 13 FALL SCHOOL PICTURES - SMILE :)

Student Fall Pictures will be taken on Wednesday, September 13th. Picture packet/order forms with complete details will be sent home with students soon. Complete the form and return with payment. The order form envelope should be returned to school on Wednesday, September 13th. *Please do not send picture money prior to picture day*.



Parents also have the option of ordering school pictures online by going to www.mylifetouch.com. Just input Picture Day ID: **EVT2MVFZR**Online orders may be made anytime - no need to wait until picture day. Picture Day Flier

<u>PARENT VOLUNTEERS:</u> We are looking for 4 parent volunteers to help out with fall picture day! If you are interested, please contact Mrs. Coder in the Creekview office at (937) 578-6601. Each volunteer will receive a voucher toward their student's fall pictures. *Volunteers must have a Screenpointe on file with our Board of Education.*

Online Yearbook Orders OPEN:

PTO NEWS:

PTO Fall Fundraiser Charleston Wrap Kick Off!
Simply the highest quality aiffyrap in fundraising.

Wednesday, September 13 ~ September 30, 2023

Be on the lookout for Fall Fundraiser Details!!

Our PTO will be launching our Charleston Wrap Sales on September 13. Sales can be made through catalog and online. Prizes will be given to top sellers. Look out for full details and the link to place online orders! - Coming Soon!

Kroger Community Rewards / Boxtops for Education



Kroger Rewards: If you have a Kroger Plus Card, you can enroll in the Kroger Community Rewards Program and help raise money for the *Creekview Intermediate PTO* (ref. # 25108). If you were previously enrolled, you must re-enroll each year.

Boxtops for Education: Box Tops for Education is another great way to help raise funds for the Creekview Intermediate PTO. Box Tops are found on many General Mills products and worth \$.10 each, and it is so easy to earn points. Just download the box top app (Google Play or App Store) onto your phone, select Creekview Intermediate PTO, then scan your receipt everytime you shop.



Sept. 22: FFA DAY - 5th Grade

On Friday, September 22, a group of selected Marysville High School FFA members will set up eight learning stations for the 5th graders at Creekview Intermediate to discover an array of agricultural based topics. The FFA members will share their knowledge through developing creative, fun and hands-on methods to educate our 5th grade students about various real world agricultural topics. We will be outside for these activities.

Please remember to send your child wearing sunscreen in case we have a sunny day. Also, students are encouraged to bring a water Bottle.



★ ECollect Electronic Back to School Forms 2023-2024



If you have not submitted your required "Back to School" information via your PowerSchool Parent Portal, please log in to your parent account and complete them now. It is important that we have updated information for each of our students in the event of an emergency.

If you are unable to access your PowerSchool Parent Portal, you can utilize the "Forgot Username or Password" option. If needed, you can contact your student's school office (Creekview: 937-578-6600), for help accessing your account. If you have the PowerSchool App on your phone/tablet, you will need to utilize a computer or web browser on your phone/tablet as the App will not allow you to gain access to the required forms. Please click here to access a helpful guide for completing the "Back to School" online forms.

CLICK HERE: How to Access your Parent Account

★ Emergency Dismissal Information - REQUIRED Form

Please make sure you return the Emergency Dismissal Information Form. This form is "required" for all students attending classes at Creekview Intermediate.

Emergency Dismissal Information Form

★ Fees for the 2023-24 School Year:

Fees for 5th grade - \$30.00 (Total with ADP Insurance = \$60.00) Fees for 6th grade - \$30.00 (Total with ADP Insurance = \$60.00)

Chromebook Insurance (ADP) - \$30.00 / Chromebook Insurance MUST be purchased by Sept. 10, 2023.

What is an Accidental Damage Protection Plan (Chromebooks)? - Click HERE for details

Fees can be paid by check made out to Creekview Intermediate School (CIS) or by going to <u>EZpay</u>. EZpay can be found by going to the Marysville School Website at https://www.marysville.k12.oh.us/Default.aspx and clicking on the round "Parents" tab at the top right. If writing a check, please include your student's name in the memo section of your check. If paying with CASH, please provide the exact amount. We are unable to make change.



★ Student Absences

If your student is going to be absent from school, please contact the attendance call line at (937) 578-6615 or email creekviewattendance@mevsd.us before 9:00 a.m. When notifying the school of your student's absence please include the following information:

- Student First & Last Name
- Grade / Team / Homeroom
- Reason for Absence / Expected Return Date
- Your Name and Relationship to Student

Once your student returns to school, please provide the office with a parent note or doctor excuse.

★ Normal School Day Hours

Arrival: Creekview interior doors will open at 8:25 a.m. Students dropped off prior to 8:25 a.m. will not have access to the building. The tardy bell rings at 8:40 a.m. Students not in their homeroom at 8:40 a.m., will be marked tardy.

Dismissal: All Creekview students will be dismissed at 3:25 p.m.

★ Student Drop-Off and Pick-Up Area

The student drop-off/pick-up area is in the main parking lot in front of the school. Parent vehicles **MUST** remain in line and students are to be dropped off and picked up <u>along the main front sidewalk</u>. In order to keep the traffic flowing, please have your student exit/enter the vehicle quickly and depart in a timely manner.. Students will not be permitted to be dropped off or picked up in the parking area and walk through traffic. Also, Parents should NOT park in the parking lot and walk over to the pick up line to retrieve their child.

Parking and Traffic Flow Reminders: As you may know, traffic congestion during the start of school and dismissal causes gridlock on Creekview Drive. We ask again, that parents and students obey traffic laws, demonstrate common courtesy, comply with our crossing guards and campus supervisors, and think safety first!

★ Late Arrivals & Early Dismissals

Late Arrivals: Parents do not need to come into the building when dropping off late students. If your student is going to be late to school, please drop them off at the main school entrance (A). They need to ring the doorbell and will be buzzed into the building. Please have them bring their note into the office where we will get them signed in and off to class.

Early Dismissals: If you need to pick your child up early, please send a note or email (with student's first and last name) to school with your child on the day of early pick up. If somebody other than a parent/guardian will be picking your child up, please include their first & last name in the note (email) signed by the parent/guardian. We will NOT release your child to ANYONE other than a parent/guardian without proper notification from the parent/guardian. Upon arrival to pick up, we ask that you ring the bell at the school main entrance (A) where you will be let into the main office. The office staff will ask to see your (or designated person picking up) valid ID. Once your (or designated person's) ID has been verified the person picking up will be asked to sign the student out in the front office. We will get your student to the office as quickly as possible.

★ Students going home different than their "Normal Procedure"

Anytime your child will be going home after school different from their "Normal Procedure", please send in a note (or email) to your child's teacher &/or the front office at Creekviewattendance@mevsd.us. *Please include your child's first and last name*. If somebody other than a parent/guardian will be picking up your child, please include their name in the note signed by a parent/guardian.

★ Change in Address:

If your permanent residency address has changed, please notify the school office immediately. You will be required to provide a new proof of residency - The following are accepted: *current gas, electric or water bill that has your or your spouse's name and address on it. It can also be a screen printing of an online gas, electric or water bill as long as the company name, your or your spouse's name and address are showing. *Lease or rental agreement SIGNED by both the Landlord and yourself *Mortgage Statement *signed purchase agreement or settlement statement for a new home. (must be followed up with a gas, water or electric bill) *If you are living with another family and do not have any of the above in your name, a Residency Affidavit must be completed, notarized and returned with one of the bills above in the home owner's name.

★ Text Messaging Service Opt In

Marysville Schools utilizes the SchoolMessenger system to deliver text messages, straight to your mobile phone with important information about events, school closings, safety alerts and more.

You can participate in this free service *just by sending a text message of "Y" or "Yes" to our school's short coder number, 67587.

You can also opt out of these messages at any time by simply replying to one of our messages with "**Stop**". SchoolMessenger is compliant with the Student Privacy Pledge $^{\mathsf{TM}}$, so you can rest assured that your information is safe and will never be given or sold to anyone.

Text Messaging Service Flier / Folleto sobre el servicio de mensajería de texto

BLESSINGS IN A BACKPACK 2023-24

Your child may be eligible to be a recipient of the Blessings in a Backpack program and once the program is implemented, will receive a bag of non-perishable food every Friday during the school year. If your child is currently enrolled in, or if they will be enrolled in the free or reduced lunch program for the 2023-2024 school year, your child is eligible for Blessings in a Backpack. Backpacks will be dispensed in a discreet and caring manner. This program runs the full school year. There is no cost associated with this program. If you wish for your child to participate in the program you need to fill out an information sheet (link below). We have also attached a copy of the 2023-24 Free/Reduced Lunch Application for your convenience.



<u>Blessings in a Backpack Enrollment Letter</u> / <u>Bendiciones en una carta de inscripción de mochila</u> <u>2023-24 Free/Reduced Lunch Application</u>

Creekview Intermediate Military Families



Our district would like to better serve our students with immediate family members that have served or are currently serving in the military. With the help of Ohio Military Kids & The Ohio National Guard we can better connect these families with resources that will benefit the entire family. Please fill out the short questionnaire (below)so that we can be sure to keep you up to date on the latest resources available to military families.

A Message from the Cafeteria / Food Service Department

The federal government is no longer providing free meals to all schools for all children. This school year in order to receive free school meals families must contact the school or visit MEVSD Food Service online to apply for free meals.

5th-12th grade Lunch \$3.50/day
Reduced Lunch \$.40/ day
K-12th Grade Breakfast \$2.00/ day
K-12th Grade Reduced Breakfast \$.30/ day

THE IMPORTANCE OF FREE AND REDUCED MEAL APPLICATIONS

You are highly encouraged to fill out the free and reduced meal application for your family. Applications are now available along with pricing and payment options. The USDA will continue to update us throughout the school year, and we will notify you of new policies as they become available. Families who fill out these forms are eligible for school fee waivers as well as helping to provide essential funding for our schools.

2023-24 Free/Reduced Lunch Application

THANK YOU FOR ALLOWING US TO FEED YOUR CHILDREN

We will continue to serve high-quality, nutrient-dense meals that students enjoy. Our school food service program is a solely funded entity that only receives revenue from meals served. When parents and students choose to purchase a breakfast or lunch from school, it is the equivalent of supporting a small business. We greatly appreciate your support.

