# MONTESSORINEWS

#### SOLDOTNA MONTESSORI CHARTER SCHOOL

Our mission is to create kind, confident, self-reliant learners who are globally aware and impactful in and beyond their community. We enrich students' academic excellence, social and emotional learning based on the philosophy of Dr. Maria Montessori.

**22 SEPTEMBER 2022** 

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PEACE

#### Soldotna Montessori Charter School Peace Night Event

#### September 22, 2022 @ 5:30 p.m.

- Hotdogs Provided
- Sign-up to bring buns, condiments, chips, or a side dish
- School Participation in "One Voice" Song
- APC General Membership Meeting Held in Conjunction with Peace Night
- Sign-up at the school website to bring buns, condiments, chips, or a side dish



Peace Night is our first school-family event of the year, and we would love to have you join us. We'll gather for a hot dog meal, and the staff, students, and families will sing the "One Voice" song together (which is reason to come all by itself!). We have a food sign-up link at the school website for buns, condiments, chips, and sides. Please head to our school site, and sign-up to bring something for the event. We are planning on holding this event indoors. After last year's chilly evening, sharing an evening ins a warm space will be welcome.

## October 4th Election Information

KPBSD has proposed a school bond that will be available for voter consideration during the October 4th, 2022 Regular Election. A portion of the bond includes a plan for relocating SMCS and is an item that may be important for our families to be aware of and consider. Please take note of and read through the bond proposition, and be aware that voting on this proposition will occur on October 4th, 2022 during the regular election.

Link to the proposal.



#### <u>50 Cent Friday Tomorrow</u>

50 Cent Friday will occur tomorrow during lunch time. Students may purchase a sack for 50 Cents from the PTO.

# Events Calendar

9/9-9/12	Color Days by Kindergarten
9/9	Early Release Day (2:00)
9/9	50 Cent Friday
9/13-14	Carter Field Trip (OEC)
9/14-15	Faris Field Trip (OEC)
9/15-16	Moore Field Trip (OEC)
9/20	PTO Meeting (4:00)
9/22	SMCS Farmers' Market
9/22	Peace Night School Event (5:30-6:30)
9/22	APC General Membership Meeting (5:30)
9/30	School Assembly (9:00) Faris Class Hosts
10/7	50 Cent Friday
10/14	NO SCHOOL—End of 1st Quarter
10/18	Picture Retakes
10/20	Earthquake Drill (10:20)
10/27-28	Parent-Teacher Conferences

Early Release Day Tomorrow (9-9-22) Busses dismiss @ 1:55

Student Pick up @ 2:00

## **Critical Student Enrollment Attention**

I'd like to thank all of the families who have completed the district-required online registration for the school year. We still have many families who have not yet completed registration (student enrollment). If you have overlooked this requirement and have not been to KPBSD's online student enrollment area, please find the link to the district page at our school website. We must have 100% completion of this task. We are now at 88% complete, which is getting closer. We have about 21 students left to be registered. Thanks again if you have completed this task already. Register here if viewing online.

#### Lego Robotics



The opportunity for 4th -6th grade students to participate in Lego Robotics is nearing. We will have two clubs this year: a club for grades 5&6 which will be able to compete, and a club for **FIRST** grade 4 which will be an introduction to Lego robotics. Mr. DeVolld will meet with the 5th & **LEGO**<sup>•</sup> 6th grade club. Mrs. Johnson will meet with the 4th grade club.

**LEAGUE** We will be drawing students' names from submitted permission forms on September 15th. The first ten names drawn from grade 4 will be invited to participate, and the first seven names drawn from each grade (5-6) for a total of 14 students, will be invited to participate for grades 5&6. The remaining students will be placed on a waiting list in the order their names are drawn.

If your student is interested in participating/competing in Lego Robotics, please fill out the permission slip, and return it to the school. You can find the Lego Ro-



#### Images Info:

LEFT BOTTOM: Leif A. chooses some grapes for her snack, LEFT TOP: Gabriel R. & Casey D. enjoy a PE game, RIGHT BOTTOM: Ella S. shares thoughts about her reading with her reading group, RIGHT TOP: Uriah H. and Judyth H. having a fun challenge in PE (Look at those smiles).