

Montessori News and Updates

January 30, 2023

NEW CLUBS

Round three clubs, and our last round of the year, are available at this [link](#). Please make sure to read the ages and specifications as they have changed.

CONFERENCES

We will have conferences on Tuesday, February 14 and Thursday, February 16, 2023. Tuesday night is Valentines Day and we are allowing staff the flexibility of not scheduling this night if desired. Teachers will provide parents with further information. Keep an eye out for teacher contact.

NO SCHOOL - FEBRUARY 17TH AND 20TH- CAMP IS AVAILABLE

We will not have school on Friday, February 17th or Monday, February 20th. Camp is available. Please sign your child up by February 14th at noon to ensure we have the appropriate staffing and placement planned. Click [here](#) to sign your child up.

WATER DAMAGE

The Middle School, aftercare, clubs, office areas, and Mrs. Seling's classes continue to be impacted by the water damage. We are expecting repairs to be completed during the week of February 6th. A moving plan will be shared as soon as we have a date from the restoration company.

DINNER AUCTION

Our event will be on Sunday, March 26th at Greystone Event Center from 4:30 - 7:30 pm. Registration for the dinner/auction and concert will begin next week. The registration form will allow you to purchase meal tickets, raffle tickets, become a sponsor, and donation auction items. This is our only true fundraiser for the year. It is our desire to not do brochure sales like most schools. We prefer to do one festive event and to celebrate our school. Please give thoughtful consideration as to how you can help this year and watch for the upcoming link.

SCHOOL SAFETY DRILLS

On Thursday, January 26th, the Wooster Police Department completed a school safety drill for all students (toddlers-8th grade). It went extremely well. We are so thankful to our teachers and students for the seamless transition. We will have another school safety drill on 3/9 and a full lockdown drill with all students on 2/23. Precautions will be taken to make each scenario age appropriate.

RE-ENROLLMENT FOR 2023-24

The **2023-24 Enrollment Link** is available now to reserve your spot. Once that is received a paper version of an enrollment agreement will be sent with a link for your deposit invoice. Your re-enrollment will be considered completed when you complete the enrollment agreement and pay the deposit (or submit Ed Choice).

If you are NOT returning, we would ask for you to use the form to let us know. We delay accepting students from the wait-list until we know of a vacancy. If you are undecided, it is best to wait until you are decided to avoid paying the non-refundable deposit.

This year we will be using FinalForms to collect all of your 23/24 forms. We think you will like having access to your online forms and think it will save you a tremendous amount of time in the long run. Current families will have the first opportunity to re-enroll prior to March 1st.

MONTESSORI PARENT ORGANIZATION

Our third MPO meeting will be February 8, 2023. Childcare and food will be provided. We will meet at 5:15 for dinner and then have the meeting from 5:30-6:30. [Click here](#) to sign up for the next meeting.