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Cold Spring Elementary School



Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month

[Click here](#) to view current and archived articles and information about Hispanic Heritage Month.

[Click here](#) to learn more about National Hispanic Heritage Month!

[Click here](#) to learn more about the annual celebration of the history and culture of the U.S. Latinx and Hispanic communities from history.com.

Cold Spring Shoe Drive

The Cold Spring Elementary Green Team will be hosting a shoe drive from September 14th through September 23rd. Americans throw away 300 million shoes a year! 95% of these shoes end up in landfills! We want to encourage reusing and recycling shoes! Please bring in any worn shoes so they can be recycled or donated to charity! You may leave shoes in the marked boxes by the front office. Contact Mrs. Hueting if you have any questions. Her email is Kelly_J_Hueting@mcpsmd.org Click [HERE](#) to view the flyer!

Upcoming Principal Coffee + Conversation

We welcome the opportunity to dialogue with you! Please join Principal Hambrecht and Reading Specialist, Ms. Vaughan, on September 23rd at 9:15am for the first Principal Coffee and Conversation. We will be sharing information on Structured Literacy and the Enriched Literacy Curriculum. We welcome this time to connect and hope to see you there.



SchoolCash Online - IMPORTANT

Montgomery County Public Schools has transitioned to a new online payment system called SchoolCash Online as its preferred method of payment for school-related fees such as fundraisers, field trips, obligations, etc. **(Please note that the new payment system is NOT related to school cafeteria accounts)**

SchoolCash Online helps parents/guardians and community members pay school-related fees safely, quickly, and easily. SchoolCash Online will help increase efficiency and security at schools by making payments directly into schools' bank accounts and eliminating the need for teachers to handle money. In addition, once registered, you will be immediately informed about school activities!

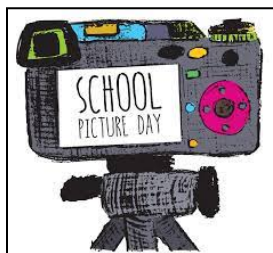
Powered by KEV Group, SchoolCash Online is the industry leader in the management of school fees. The new system puts all of the school-related fees online for purchase so users can make purchases online using a credit card or e-check. A processing fee will

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be included on all items available for purchase regardless of the type of payment- SchoolCash Online or cash/check at the school. Click [HERE](#) for registration instructions!

Parents/guardians can register now at - <https://mcpsmd.schoolcashonline.com/>



September 20th Student Portraits

Classic Photography will be here September 20th to take student portraits. Click [HERE](#) to pre-order your pictures!

Fall Scholastic Book Fair Coming Soon!

The air is getting crisper, fires are crackling, pumpkin spice is all around ... it's the perfect time of year to find a cozy spot and FALL into a good book! The Scholastic Book Fair will be in the media center from October 3rd - 10th including during Bingo Night on October 6th. The fair will close after the Open House on October 10th.

Volunteers are needed to help with book fair set up and take down and when kindergarten and first grade visit. Please [sign up here](#) if you can help. Thanks so much!

News from the PTA

Join the PTA!

Please click the following link if you are interested in joining the PTA.

[How to Join the PTA](#) CONTEST ALERT: The PTA will be running a PTA Membership Contest and the class with the highest percentage of PTA members will get a class pizza party! See all details [HERE](#). Print and post this years' [PTA Events Calendar](#)!

Thank You!

The PTA appreciates Lindsay Koosed for organizing a fun back to school social to kick-off the PTA events for this school year!

Bingo Night - Volunteers Needed!!

Bingo Night is coming up on Thursday, October 6th, from 5:30 - 7:30 pm. This event is so much fun, but is only possible with the help of volunteers. Please sign up to help:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E094BAAA92DA4F94-fall>

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PTA Restaurant Night

Tuesday, September, 20th

Tally Ho Restaurant, [9923 Falls Road](#), mention Cold Spring when ordering, 301-299-6825

Girl Scouts Information Session

Girl Scout troops are now forming at Cold Spring Elementary School. For more information come to the troop formation meeting on Friday, September 23rd, at 6:30 pm. More details on the [attached flyer](#).

Fall Enrichment Sign up is Open!

Click the link below to view/sign up for our Cold Spring Fall enrichment opportunities.
<https://schools.kiddo.us/s/coldspring-md>

Let's Show Some Spirit! TODAY IS THE DEADLINE!!

Spirit wear sales are open for a limited time:

<https://csefall2022.itemorder.com/shop/home/>

Calendar Updates:

- September 20th - Student Picture Day & PTA Restaurant Night
- September 23rd - Principal Coffee & Conversation Topic: Structured Literacy & Enriched Literacy Curriculums