

December 7, 2020

Martinez Families,

We really do miss having you and your children in our building! I have really enjoyed my time with the kiddos in the mornings before announcements. I hope that you were able to spend some time (virtual if necessary) with friends and family over the holiday. I hope you were able to take a moment and remember all the things we have to be thankful for. We know times are difficult for everyone right now, but we really appreciate the support you've given us. Thank you for supporting your student(s) with their school work and helping them manage their technology. Thank you for your patience even when things don't go as planned. Thank you for growing with us.

See you all soon,
Mrs. Stewart

Harvest of Love Success!

- THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!
- We were worried for a little bit that we may not get enough to help our families.
- Thank you to all for the generous donations!
- We were able to feed 13 of our families for the holidays!
- We will be working to help raise funds for our families for the Christmas holiday as well.
 - o More information to come.

Holiday House Shoppe/ Butter Braids Pick Up (PTA):

- Even though the year looks different, we are holding on to some of our traditions.
- Here are the links to preview what is available to purchase:
 - o [Table 1](#)
 - o [Table 2](#)
 - o [Table 3](#)
 - o [Table 4](#)
 - o [Table 5](#)
 - o [Table 6](#)
 - o [Table 7](#)
 - o [Table 8](#)
 - o [Table 9](#)
- These videos will give you and your child some time to plan what they may want to purchase.
- We will have a live sale via WebEx Wednesday, December 9th from 6:00-7:00pm.

 - o <https://cssd11.webex.com/cssd11/j.php?MTID=m629f5eb82bc628985110262e516014bc>
 - o Wednesday, Dec 9, 2020 5:55 pm | 1 hour 30 minutes | (UTC-07:00) Mountain Time (US & Canada)
 - o Meeting number: 120 594 3403
 - o Password: bgE6eJgn89S
 - o 42181f1188ed4638be013bdf8a10f188

 - o Join by video system
 - o Dial 1205943403@cssd11.webex.com
 - o You can also dial 173.243.2.68 and enter your meeting number.

 - o Join by phone
 - o +1-415-655-0001 US Toll
 - o Access code: 120 594 3403

- You may need to help your child because we will be using the chat feature in addition to verbal sales.
- All confirmed sales will be invoiced where you can pay online or pay when you pick up your item.
 - o Online payments will need to happen with a credit/debit card.
 - o Payments during pick up can be cash or check.
- Pick up for all purchased items will be on December 14th
 - o You can come by Martinez anytime from 3:00-6:00pm
 - Please remain in your cars.

We Need a Crossing Guard

- We are again in need of one regularly scheduled Crossing Guard. Please help us spread the word if you or someone you know may be interested.
- When in-person learning begins, Crossing Guards will work Mondays through Fridays. You will not work on holidays or non-student contact days.
- You will be paid for 2 hours each day (travel time back and forth to the building is added to the hours below to make a full 2 hours each day). The pay rate is \$12.23 per hour.
- Hours:
 - o 7:20am-8:00am
 - o 2:25pm-3:10pm
- We would like to train an additional 2 crossing guards to be substitutes in case one has to be out.
- In order to be a crossing guard, a 1-hour training is required. The training will be held at Martinez once we have all positions filled.
- Date of training: TBD
- Please email Mrs. Render (megan.render@dl1.org) if you or someone you know is interested in becoming a crossing guard.

We Need a Lunchroom Aide

- We need help monitoring our students as they eat lunch and play on the playground.
- We need 1 more regularly scheduled Lunchroom Aide for Mondays through Fridays (when students return to in-person learning).
- You will be paid for 1.5 hours each day.
- Pay rate is \$12.23/hr.
- Hours:
 - o 11:00 am-12:35pm
- No training is required. Applicants must be approved by Human Resources (including a background check).
- Please email Mrs. Render (megan.render@dl1.org) if you are interested in becoming a crossing guard.

Asynchronous Mondays:

- I want to clarify, asynchronous Mondays will continue for the remainder of the school year whether we are in-person or virtual.
- This time has been agreed upon so that teachers can have the appropriate amount of time to prepare for virtual and in-person learning, receive the additional training they need, and be able to have time to meet with their colleagues to ensure we are planning rigorous instruction for all students.
- There will still be work assigned to students.
- Teachers will still be meeting with students throughout the day.
- Check with your child's teacher for the Monday schedule.

Technology Damage and Replacements:

- Please see the other attachment for the cost of repairs and replacement of devices.
- Please help monitor your child's use of school-issued devices.
- Thank you for taking care of our equipment so that it can continue to be used in future years.

Virtual Holiday Spirit Week

- To get us in the holiday spirit, PBIS is hosting a virtual spirit week.
 - o 12/14: Martinez Monday (Wear your Mustang gear)
 - o 12/15: Tropical Tuesday (Wear your Beach attire....shirts, leis, hats....etc.)
 - o 12/16: Wacky Wednesday (Crazy Hair, unibrow, shirts...etc.)
 - o 12/17: Hallmark Thursday (Flannels, cozy clothes, scarves)
 - o 12/18: Festive Friday (Ugly sweaters, stocking hats)

Holiday Drive Through Parade

- In lieu of holiday parties/activities this year, we will do a drive through holiday celebration for our students and families.
- Families are invited to drive through lot A while staff line the parking lot to cheer and wish our families a happy holiday.
- It is Festive Friday, so wear your best holiday sweaters and attire! (or ugliest...)
- Drive through parade will be from 12-1pm

Papa John's and BINGO Night

- Wednesday, December 16th
- Present your flyer to Papa John's and Martinez will receive a portion of all sales proceeds this night.
 - o More details to come
- PTA will also be hosting free, virtual BINGO
 - o Students can win prizes!
 - o You must pre-register to get your BINGO cards.
 - o You can print your cards or you can use them virtually.

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- o <https://cssd11.webex.com/cssd11/j.php?MTID=ma89f1ef0b62b2bdc0efc89b01c8d6d43>
 - o Wednesday, Dec 16, 2020 5:55 pm | 1 hour 15 minutes | (UTC-07:00) Mountain Time (US & Canada)
 - o Meeting number: 120 780 7933
 - o Password: GbQMePfa223
 - o d441320458f34d9b8f993c07b08c3c2b
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3rd Quarter Learning Decision Due

- Families that wish to switch from in-person to virtual or virtual to in-person learning for 3rd quarter must notify us no later than the end of the day on December 17th.
- Please fill out [this survey](#) if you wish to switch.

Academic and Facilities Master Planning: Community Dialogue

- Multiple meeting times are available for Monday and Tuesday (12/7-12/8)
- I would HIGHLY recommend that you participate in one of these meetings
- There will be discussions around the future of D11 to include:
 - o Programming, magnet schools, innovation schools, etc. that will be offered by D11
 - o The consolidation/closing of facilities
 - o The rebuilding/renovating of facilities
- Even if a school is not on the list of closure, these changes will impact everyone.
- Every voice matters. Please consider participating.
- See the attachment with meeting times and links.

Important Dates:

December 7&8: Academic and Facilities Master Planning Open Dialogue

December 9: Holiday House Shoppe, 6-7:00pm via WebEx

December 14-18: Virtual Spirit Week

December 14: Holiday House and Butter Braids item pickup, 3-6:00pm @ Martinez

December 16: Papa John's and Virtual BINGO night (6:00pm)

December 18: Holiday Drive Through Parade, 12-1:00pm @ Martinez Lot A

December 21-January 5: Winter Break

January 5: SAC/PTA Meeting **Cancelled**

January 6: Students return to full in-person

January 11: Asynchronous Day

January 11-January 29: ATI Testing Window

January 18: Martin Luther King Jr. Day - No School

January 25: Asynchronous Day

February 2: SAC/PTA via WebEx, 5:15pm/6:00pm

February 8: Asynchronous Day

February 15: President's Day, No School

February 22: Asynchronous Day