



School Update
June 7, 2011

We are coming to a close...

- Earlier in the year, the school was evaluated by a committee from the Florida Consortium of Public Charter Schools and we were recognized by the consortium as a **GOLD SEAL OF EXCELLENCE** charter school. The program is similar to the Blue Ribbon program used in the school systems across the country to evaluate outstanding schools. MSA is one of five schools in the state of Florida to be recognized with this distinction!! We are very proud of this accomplishment.
- Congratulations to ALL students who have performed over the past month!! From Guitar to Band, Chorus to Dance, Orchestra, Keyboard, Theatre, and TKD... Everyone did a wonderful job performing! It is such a delight to see them grow as performers and to watch their accomplishments throughout the year!! Thank you for all your continued support.
- **This Thursday, June 8th is our last day – Dismissal will be at 3:00 p.m. – If your child is a car rider, please make arrangements to pick up him/her at 3:00 p.m. on Thursday. Please remember – all students will be dismissed by 3:30 and will be home early.**
- Congratulations to Ms. Cina Moore, winner of the Regions Beach Cruiser bike raffle!!
- Congratulations to the student volleyball team for defeating the teachers for the first time ever at the Faculty vs. Student volleyball game at the Year-End Barbeque.



- Special thanks to the PTO and the Kiwanis club for making the barbeque a great success... what a fun day!!
- The 6th grade wrapped up the year in grand fashion, with two shows of Dear Edwina, Jr. and the 13th annual Etiquette Dance, held this past Saturday. It was an amazing three days of 6th grade events. Special thanks to the 6th grade team for making this such a success.
- Information about summer assignments in reading and math will be sent home with report cards. Please be on the lookout for this information. The assignments will be due the first day of class next school year.
- Report cards will be sent home next week, the week of June 13, 2011.
- Attention: Parents of students going from 6th to 7th grade – please check the website for some important information regarding the shot requirements that must be met before the beginning of the 2011-2012 school year. Go to “Services” – click the “Clinic” link to find this important information!!
- A reminder to middle school parents – please remind your students to clean out their lockers before the end of school. Anything left in the lockers after the last day of school will be disposed of. Please make sure your child takes care of this before June 8th. Thank you!!
- A reminder to all parents and students – be sure to return all text books by the end of the year – students will be held responsible for any books not returned to the school.
- FCAT scores have been released - MSA did well!! In reading, we maintained our top, or top 2 in the district standing, and in math we did very well too. End of Course exam results were received today, and will be reported soon. Individual student reports will be sent home ASAP – hopefully with year-end report cards. We are still waiting for them from the state.

The 2010-2011 school year presented us many challenges, as well as many, many great triumphs. We could not have made it through without your support and we thank you for helping us put kids first!! We hope to continue to provide all students with an outstanding education and are looking to improve each and every year. Enjoy your summer, and we look forward to the 2011-2012 school year!! Remember – school starts on August 22, 2011!!

Have a GREAT Summer!!

Upcoming Events

June 8	Last Day for Students
August 22	First Day of School