

**March 2, 2007**

**CSAP Testing Starts Next Week**

The next round of CSAP testing will begin on Monday, March 5<sup>th</sup> and run through Friday, March 16<sup>th</sup>. This will include the reading for the 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup> graders and the writing and math for 3<sup>rd</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> grades. We ask that parents do not schedule their vacations and doctor, dentist, and orthodontist appointments during the tests. We also ask that children in the third through sixth grades come to school during those weeks having eaten a good high protein breakfast.

**Spring Fundraisers for 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Trip**

In an effort to celebrate Earth Day ( April 22 ) and support the 6th grade Yellowstone scholarship fund, the 6th grade fundraising committee will sponsor one more fundraising event. This fundraiser will be a school wide sale of "Jim Morris's Environmental T-shirts". The sale will start today, March 2 and end March 14<sup>th</sup>. This is a prepay event so please send payment in with order forms. Order forms and small posters of products will be in today's Friday folders, and extra forms are available in the office. Samples of some of the shirts are on display in the glass case in the lobby. Anyone wishing to help with this fundraiser should contact Liz Hughes @ 303-988-0250 or [elizabethhughes46@msn.com](mailto:elizabethhughes46@msn.com)

Fuddrucker's Fundraising Night is Thursday, March 8<sup>th</sup>.

**PTA Corner**

The next PTA meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 7<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 in the Art Room.

We still have many MPA sweatshirts on sale- 2for \$10. The button front denim shirts with the MPA logo are on sale as well for \$15. See Veronica to purchase.

**MPA Artists' Work Shown**

The annual Elementary Art Show for Jefferson County is being held again at Red Rocks Community College. The show runs from March 5-March 30 with an opening reception on Friday, March 9 from 5:00 to 8:00p.m. The show includes over 100 elementary schools and is always impressive to see. Everyone is invited to view the art, so come support the Montessori Peaks art program and celebrate with our artists!

Congratulations to the following 13 students who will be representing Montessori Peaks Academy!

**Matthew Snell**- 6th grade  
**McKinley Lubthisophon**- 6th grade  
**Hannah Topka**- 6th grade  
**Alysa Hawkins**- 5th grade  
**Fossy Evenson**- 4th grade  
**Carlos Zager**- 3rd grade  
**Aaron Mills**- 3rd grade  
**Elisabeth Sanson**- 3rd grade  
**Spencer Mickus**- 3rd grade  
**Dillon Schacht**- 2nd grade  
**Kassie Alexander**- 2nd grade  
**Max Sanson**- 1st grade  
**Taylor Hicken**- 1st grade

**Lost and Found**

The Lost and Found is overflowing! Please check for your child's possessions, since we will be donating the clothing and other items to charity during Spring Break(after March 23<sup>rd</sup>).

**Parent Surveys Sent Home Today**

The 2006-07 Parent Survey is being sent home today in Friday Folders. Please complete and turn in to the box outside of Veronica's area by Friday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>.

**Watch your Friday folders for information about Spring Break Camp—March 26 through 30.**