



THE MARSHALL MUSTANG

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Principal's Message

Dear families,

We are excited to have spring knocking on our door. We have had so much happening at Marshall and the MCEP including many fun celebrations. Our Mustangs have been working really hard - we are growing academically and celebrated with a pizza party and a short movie for the entire school. Students had a blast and loved the special treat. We are learning a lot more before our end of year assessments. We are excited to see our yearly growth!

We are gearing up for spring conferences which will occur at the end of the month. If you have questions about your student's progress, please contact your student's teacher. The week of March 27th is early release (12:40) in order for teachers to have time to meet with families. After spring break, we will have more information about our PTSA Fun Run fundraiser and our Snuggle Up and Read event. We look forward to talking more about these events and seeing you all there.

Lastly, I want to thank you for voting and helping us pass our Levy. We appreciate your partnership and support and cannot thank you enough.

Sincerely,
Katy Rudolph
Principal

Go Mustangs!



Every Thursday, we encourage all of our Marshall Mustangs to wear Mustang spirit wear. We currently have stock of Youth-sized (Small, Medium, Large and Extra Large) hoodies and t-shirts. We have a very limited supply of adult hoodies.

If you would like to purchase spirit wear, the prices are as follows:

- T-Shirts—\$15.00
- Hoodies—\$30.00

Purchases may be made by cash, check (made payable to "Marshall PTSA"). Feel free to contact the office to inquire about a purchase.

Please view the two styles of shirts up and to the right.

Happy Horse



Fierce Horse



CONFERENCE WEEK

During the week of Monday, March 27—Friday, March 31, students at Marshall Elementary will have early release. During this week:

- **Dismissal is at 12:40 PM.**
 - Confirm your conference with your student's teacher.
- Please call the office if you have any questions.



MUSIC IN OUR SCHOOLS MONTH

* March is Music in Our Schools Month. For the second year in a row, we will be having Marshall March Music Madness. There will be 16 songs on a bracket in the main hallway. Each will have a QR code so students can scan it with their chrome book and listen to the song. Each week students will be voting for their favorite song which will culminate in finding Marshall's favorite song of 2023. Last year's winner was the theme from the original Ghostbusters movie, so we are quite excited and curious about which song will reign supreme this year. In addition, our Marshall choir will be performing with two other elementary schools AND the Totem Middle School choir at MPHS on Monday, March 20th. This will be a great opportunity for our students to meet other students who will be attending Totem and also get a chance to perform with the middle school they will be attending in 6th grade. We are quite excited for this cross-district music collaboration. Have a musical March friends!!

* Show your support for music by wearing music-themed shirts or other clothing on Wednesdays to celebrate!



527 BOXES

SPRING BREAK

APRIL 3, 2023—APRIL 7, 2023

thank you!

Thank you for your donations of cereal. We exceeded our goal of 500 with a total of 527 boxes of cereal! As you can see, they are stacked floor to ceiling. We will soon set them up in the halls and have a "domino fall down"! They will then be transported to the Marysville Food Bank to help our fellow community members.

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Meet Our New MLL Specialist

I would like to introduce myself. My name is Melanie Dugan and I am the new multilingual (MLL) specialist here at Marshall.

What is a multilingual specialist you might ask? I am the person assigned to help those students who speak a language other than English at home. I am bilingual myself. I speak English and Spanish.

I began my position at Marshall in December and am excited to be here. I have been welcomed warmly by staff, students and parents alike. I have a lot of experience in this area.

I began my teaching career in 1985 as a bilingual teacher. I have taught preschool through 6th grade. I have worked as a multilingual specialist in two other districts for a total of 9 years. I have also taught the Spanish side of dual language.

With conferences coming up, I hope to meet many of our parents. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out to me.

Melanie_Dugan@msd25.org

Girls on the Run provides: Power, Purpose and Potential

This is an opportunity for girls to recognize their strengths while building connections with others.

We still have room for additional sign-ups. Click [here](#) to register or for more information.

- Who: Girls in 3rd—5th Grades
- When: March 13th-June 5th
(Celebration 5k June 4th)
- Time: 4:00-5:30pm
- Days: Mondays & Wednesdays
- Volunteers Needed
- Where: On Marshall's Track
- Sponsor: Tara Hatch

Tara_Hatch@msd25.org

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Register for Kindergarten Now!

If you have a child who will turn five years old by August 31, 2023, now is the time to register for Kindergarten. Bring your child's immunization information and original birth certificate to Marshall and we will help you with the registration process. You may also register online. Click the link below to go to the registration page.

[Register Here](#)

For your convenience, we have an evening event where staff will be present to assist you and answer questions. Please join us in our gym:

Tuesday, March 28, 2023
2:00—6:00 PM

Welcome Class of 2036



Daylight Saving Time
Starts Sunday March 12.

IMPORTANT DATES

- Friday, March 3–2:15 Dismissal
- Friday, March 10–2:15 Dismissal
- Sunday, March 12–Daylight Saving Time Begins
- Sunday, March 12–Silvertips Game (Please see information to the right.)
- Friday, March 17–2:15 Dismissal
- Friday, March 24–2:15 Dismissal
- Monday, March 27 through Friday, March 31–12:40 Dismissal–Conference Week
- Tuesday, March 21–PTSA Meeting @ 4:30
- Tuesday, March 28–Kindergarten Open House (2:00–6:00 PM)
- Spring Break: April 3–7



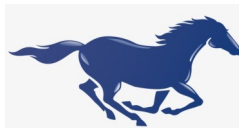
Marshall Mustangs Night at the Silvertips!

Sunday, March 12 @ 4:05

Tickets are only \$10.00 each (Upper Orange Level [SEC 202] seats)

Click [HERE](#) to purchase tickets.

Seats will be filled on a first come, first serve basis.



- Marshall PTSA will be holding a General Membership meeting on Tuesday, March 21, 2023 at 4:30 PM.

Watch for more information pertaining to the following upcoming events:

- * March 28–Staff Conference Night Dinner
- * April 17 –21 Spring Book Fair
- * April 18–Snuggle up & Read
- * Mariner's Night–Sunday, April 16
- * May 3–Fun Run

There are more events in the planning phase. This will be a fun Spring!!



Order your 2022–2023 Marshall Elementary and MCEP yearbook online:

<http://payments.msd25.org>

Log in with your Family Access account. If you need help with your account, please feel free to contact our office at 360-965-1600. Tara and Cherie will be happy to help you.

If you are enrolled in MCEP, follow these steps once you are logged in:

- Select Your Student
- Click on "Items At All Schools"
- Click on "Elementary School"
- Click on "Marshall Elementary"

You should then be able to select "Yearbook" to purchase.

Late Night Conference week Teacher Dinner

Our PTSA helps our teachers on the late night conference date (Tuesday, March 28, 2023) by providing dinner for them. If you are interested in offering soup or salad, please watch for an email from your student's teacher with a sign-up sheet attached. You may also sign up in the main office.

Thank you for your consideration.

While we all love our pets, the Marysville School District's policy prohibits animals on school property. Please do not bring your pets to school when picking up your student.



Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.