



Dear Melton Families,

Principal's Note

With the second term well under way, I want to thank everyone for your continued support of our scholars, teachers, and school as we collectively strive to provide optimal opportunities for learning each day.

At Melton, we value the important contributions families make towards a scholar's success in school. There is no question about—success at school starts at home. Families are the most significant influence in a scholar's schooling. Families model both spoken and silent language in front of their scholars. One of the great hallmarks of a great school is the partnership between the school and families who work together for the best interest of all Melton scholars. Try to participate in the Parent Faculty Association.

Scholars need to be provided time to explore their world and experience the joy of discovery. As we celebrate this month, it is helpful to keep in mind the contributions made by all ethnic groups but more importantly African Americans. School and home must work together to build skills and knowledge, develop a strong sense of self-worth and reinforce values.



- Let your scholar know that you think school is important.
- · Set a regular bedtime and enforce it.
- · Provide your scholar with plenty of time to get ready for school.
- Provide an alternate transportation plan for getting your scholar to school on time.
- Make sure your scholar arrives at school on time daily. Classes begin promptly at 9:30 a.m. Scholars should arrive at least ten minutes early.
- Plan medical, dental, and other appointments before and after school if possible. If appointments
 must be during the school day, plan them so that your scholar does not miss the same class every time.
- Request a meeting with the teacher or myself to discuss your scholar's attendance concerns.

If your scholar should arrive late to school, please come into the main office and sign them in. If this is not possible, you may send your scholar with a note from your, doctor/dental/court excuse slip to let us know your scholar will be arriving after 9:30 a.m. Our scholars would not be as successful as they are without your support.

Thank you for your continued encouragement. Much Appreciated, Jeff Batavia

February 2020

Wed Sun Mon Tue Thu Fri Sat 6 Talent Show 4th & 5th PFA meeting @ Auditions! grade soccer 5:30 Early release 9 15 10 11 12 13 Valentine's Day Early release 16 18 19 20 21 22 President's Day NO School Early release 23 24 25 27 28 26 Roar Store Early release



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MELTON has been CHALLENGED TO CARRY-OUT 5,000



ACT OF KINDNESS IN JUST 15 DAYS!



Registration begins March 2nd, 2020

<u>First Step</u>: Complete the online registration process at <u>www.washoeschools.net</u>
<u>Second step</u>: Come to the office with Original birth certificate, up-to-date immunization records and proof of residents. (NV Energy bill, mortgage/lease/rental agreement)

Please call the office at 775-746-7440 if you have any questions.

Rollan Melton Parent Faculty Association offers a \$1,000 scholar-ship to any graduating senior who attended Rollan Melton Elementary School. Scholarship applications must be received by <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>February 18, 2020</u>. Applications are in the office, website and High School counseling office.

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MELTON SCCER TEAM! 1st game is Mar. 6th!





SAVE the Date

MELTON MINGLE: A party for the arts

When: Saturday, April 18th, 2020

5:00 - 7:30 pm

Where: The Ranch House at Rancho San Rafael

Sponsored by: Mary's Gone Crackers,

Southern Glazer's Wine & Spirits,

The McCauley Family and Alpine Concrete & Plumbing

Gardella AllState

Tickets are \$40 per person.



Join us for adult beverages, hors d'oeuvres, and a chance to mingle in the name of art!

There will also be an online silent auction and 50/50 raffle (\$5 per ticket or 5 tickets for \$20). Tickets will go on sale at the Sock Hop on March 13th or can be purchased in the office.

*This is a PFA adult only fundraising event. More information coming soon.



PFA Meeting Feb., 4th at 5:30 in library.

2019-2020 PFA Board Members

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No School Mon., Feb. 17th

Thank You, Rollan Melton!

Hellol We are the Girl Scout Troop 256, and you may remember us from the Fall Festival painting rocks! We are completing our Girl Scout Silver Award and we chose to help the community by redesigning the backyard/rock area of the Ronald McDonald house. The Ronald McDonald House is a place for families whose children are in the hospital, to stay while treatment is going on, and we are so happy to be able to help them. We'd all just like to say thank you so much for your help with painting rocks. We have already installed our rock river of hope in the backyard of the house and it turned out wonderfully. Also, due to all of your generous donations, we were able to reach our goal amount of money to install a picnic table as well. We couldn't have done this without you and your help. This will really help our community and we are all so thankful.

Sincerely,

Lily, Avery, Patience, and Elizabeth Troop 256





Happy February Melton Families!

I hope everyone is settling back into the groove of school! As mentioned in the January Newsletter, my focus for February will be "Better Safe than Sorry" lessons for Kindergarten, 1st, 3rd and 5th Grades. And our 2nd and 4th Graders just received the "Child Assault Prevention" lessons. Both sets of lessons promote safety awareness and help students understand "stranger danger" and their right to feel safe. These very important lessons, which are mandated in our school district, are taught using developmentally appropriate language. We will be sending home more information about the lessons for K,1st,3rd, and 5th soon. If you do not want your child to participate, you will be able to opt-out on the permission slip. However, for those that would like their child to participate in this very valuable training, you do not need to return the permission slip. If you have further questions about the lessons, please feel free to contact me.

As always, feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns!

Thank you,

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