



TIMBERWOLF TIMES

YOUR M C A UPDATE

SEPTEMBER 2011

Letter from the President

Nelda Mundy Families:

On behalf of MCA, a big welcome to all of the students and parents of Nelda Mundy!

I would first like to congratulate our students and staff on a fabulous job well done on the CSTs! Your dedication and hard work paid off as we have the top school in the district and county! Way to go Timberwolves!

For those of you new to the school, the MCA is a parent/teacher organization for our school. There are no dues and the entire group of parents and staff of Nelda Mundy are members.

The MCA has many important fundraisers and activities planned for the school year. We will have our kick-off fundraiser on October 21st...our "Family Mystery Bingo Night". You don't want to miss this fun event. More information will come home as the event gets closer. We will also be holding a Family Movie Night, Book Fair and Jog-A-Thon. Also, during the year there are ways to help our school with the Cash 4 Class, Box Tops and escrip.



Our school is so fortunate to have such active and dedicated parents who are involved at the school. We would love for you to come join us at our monthly "Mundy Parent Group" meetings to share your thoughts and ideas. We meet the second Thursday of the month at 3:15pm in room 401.

Come join us and have a chance to win \$10 in "Mundy Bucks"...good towards any MCA purchase. We can not hold the fundraisers or events without our fabulous parent volunteers! If you haven't received the "Volunteer Form" yet, please pick one up in the office and turn it in to your child's teacher or the office...we appreciate your help!

If you ever have any questions or suggestions, please email us at neldamundymca@gmail.com. We look forward to another fabulous year!!!



SEPTEMBER Calendar of Events

- Sept. 2 Spirit Wear Order Forms Due
- Sept 5 Labor Day - No School
- Sept. 6 Early Engineers "Session A" Begins
- Sept. 8 MCA Parent Meeting, 3:15pm Room 401. All are welcome to discuss MCA upcoming events, fundraisers and budget allocations.
- Sept. 9 Kidz Art Classes Begin
- Sept. 21 Dine and Donate – Rubio's 4-9pm
- Sept. 28 CST Celebration – 8:30am

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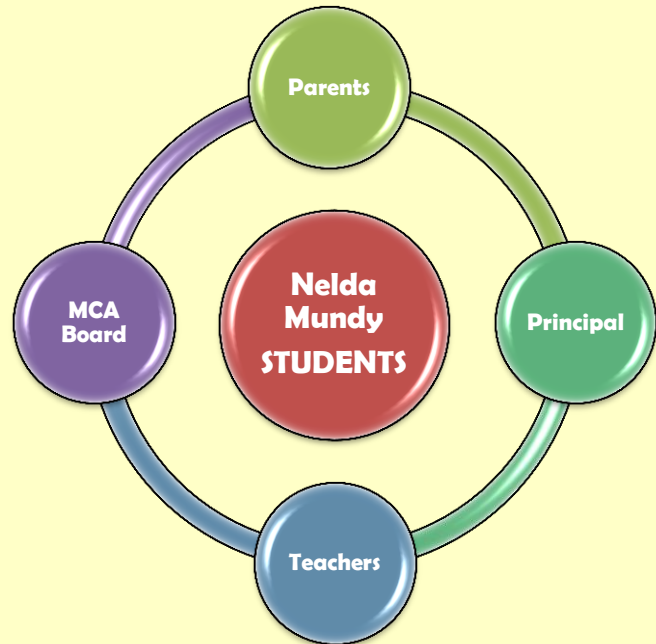
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MCA

“Mundy Community Association”

What is MCA?

- MCA (Mundy Community Association) is a non-profit organization that functions similar to a PTP or PTA. All Nelda Mundy Parents/Guardians are automatically MCA Members.
- MCA is comprised of nine Board Members, all of which are volunteer positions held by parents with children attending Nelda Mundy.
- MCA helps pay for Field Trip fees, School Assemblies, Teacher Supplies, Study Island, School improvements and much, much more.
- MCA works very closely with our Principal, Mrs. Cherry and the Teachers to come up with fundraising ideas, fun and educational assemblies and the best possible allocation of funds for the current school year. Our goal is to ensure we raise enough money to help supplement what is needed to give our students an outstanding educational experience while here at Nelda Mundy.



Meet Your MCA Board Members:

Michele Burns - President



"I am currently serving my 2nd year as your MCA President. I have a 6th grader and a 1st grader and enjoy helping out at the school. Prior to my children attending Nelda Mundy, I also served on the PTA at Zamora Elementary in Woodland. Our MCA program here is excellent and I welcome any new ideas you may have.

Cari Metcho - Vice President



This is my 3rd year serving on the MCA. I have a 4th and 2nd grader and have enjoyed being involved with their school. It has been a pleasure working with other great parents on various projects and I look forward to another great year at Nelda Mundy!

Laura Totah - Treasurer



It's a pleasure to be part of the MCA Board here at Nelda Mundy where we can enrich the lives of our children. Currently, I am serving my third year as treasurer. I am responsible for keeping accurate accounts of all monies received and dispersed. I have a daughter in the 6th grade and a son in the 3rd grade.

Heidi Hefner - Communications



I am currently serving my 4th term on the MCA Board. I have been a Member at Large, on Academics for two years and now I am the Communications person between the Nelda Mundy teachers and MCA. I am also a substitute teacher here. I have three children: an 8th grader at Green Valley Middle School, a 6th grader and a 3rd grader here at Mundy. I look forward to a great year working with the parents, MCA and teachers.

Robin Jaurique - Outreach



This is my second year on the Board working in Outreach. I help with coordinating the parent volunteers for the various school activities MCA sponsors. I also schedule and book all of the Dine and Donates with local restaurants. My children are ages 11 and 7 and I enjoy traveling with them, being active in the community and riding my horse.

Nikki Peterson - Secretary



This is my second year serving as MCA secretary. I am a parent of a fourth grader and I enjoy being involved with all of his school activities. I look forward to another great year at Nelda Mundy!

MCA Board Members:

Sharmistha Patel - Fundraising



It gives me great pleasure to help with our Fundraisers here at Nelda Mundy. Coordinating and executing our various fundraising events takes a lot of effort and parent participation so I would like to thank everyone in advance for your support. I have a 4th and 2nd grader and I'm glad that what we do in MCA is helping their overall experience here.

Hala Elia - Member at Large



This is my first year serving on the MCA board. I have a 1st grader here at Nelda Mundy. I really enjoyed volunteering for various events at the school last year like the Book Fair, Jog-A-Thon and Business Expo and look forward to some more fun this year!

Beth Davisson - Academics

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Beth is a member of Academics for MCA. She helps coordinate the Music program and researches a variety of assemblies MCA can bring to our school. Beth has two children attending Nelda Mundy.

Karen Boll - Academics



This is my first year as a MCA board member. I have a 6th and 4th grader attending Nelda Mundy. This year I decided to commit to becoming a more active member in the MCA and I am looking forward to a pleasant experience as a contributing member in Academics.

COMING SOON!!! Nelda Mundy's CST Celebration

Wednesday, September 28th

REASONS TO CELEBRATE:

- ☺ Our Mundy Students had an **AMAZING** API Score of **943!**
- ☺ Mundy is still the highest scoring school in FSUSD and Solano County **AND** is one of the highest scoring schools in California!
- ☺ Mundy had over 50 students get a **PERFECT 600** on the CSTs!! The most in the entire District!



Nelda Mundy Jog-A-Thon Event Re-Cap

Last June, Nelda Mundy hosted our First Annual Jog-A-Thon. We are very happy to report that we raised:

\$10,745.83

THANK YOU! This event was so successful because we had the entire student body, teachers and parent participation.



GO TEAM MUNDY!



Dine and Donate

Coordinator: Robin Jaurique

Dine and Donate occurs monthly and is a collaborative effort between local restaurants and Nelda Mundy families. Each month a different Restaurant will host a Nelda Mundy "Dine and Donate" to help us raise money for our school programs.

This year's kick off Dine and Donate will be hosted by Rubio's.

We need your support! Please join us for dinner at Rubio's.

Dine and Donate Night

Rubio's
1450 Travis Blvd
Wednesday, September 21

4:00pm – 9:00pm



eScrip



Sign Up Now!

eScrip has proven to be a fantastic fundraiser at Nelda Mundy. Please consider signing up today to start earning money for our school. **IT'S VERY QUICK AND EASY.** By registering your Safeway card, you will automatically be providing funds to our school programs every time you shop. In addition, you may also register Debit cards and various types of Credit cards. It's strictly up to you.

Here's How it Works:

- Log on to www.escrip.com.
- Enter our group name (Mundy Community Assoc)
- Register your Safeway Card
- Register any other debit/credit card for additional ways to earn funds for our school.
- Your purchases will be tracked on-line so you can see how much you are earning on your child's behalf.
- That's it. It's that easy.

How Does Nelda Mundy Get Paid:

Our school receives an electronic deposit into our bank account every month.



Box Tops

Earn cash for our school EVERY TIME you shop for groceries. It really is that easy. Just clip Box Tops on hundreds of very popular items and submit them to your child's teacher. Throughout the school year, your child's teacher will send a "Box Top" sheet home for you to fill in with your cut-out Box Tops. If you would like additional information, please contact your child's teacher.

Each Box Top is worth 10 cents. With all of us participating, that dollar amount will add up fast! **Last year we earned \$1,200.50!**

To make it more fun, sign up at www.boxtops4education.com and you can track the amount we earn this year.



Student Lunch Program

The monthly Student Lunch Program is part of the Student of the Month program and is designed to recognize one student from every classroom for honoring the school's rules: "Be Safe, Be Responsible and Be Respectful". The program is funded by contributions from wonderful Nelda Mundy families and surrounding businesses.

THANKS TO:

*The Murphy Family, through
Hope Christian Church*

MCA

2011-2012 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

September:

9/8 Mundy Parent Group Meeting
 9/21 Dine and Donate – Rubio’s
 9/28 CST Celebration

October:

10/13 Mundy Parent Group Meeting
 10/21 Mystery Bingo
 TBD Dine and Donate – Mary’s Pizza Shack

November:

11/10 Mundy Parent Group Meeting
 TBD Dine and Donate

December:

12/1-12/9 Book Fair
 12/3 Holiday Fair

January:

1/19 Mundy Parent Group Meeting
 1/20 Family Movie Night

February:

2/9 Mundy Parent Group Meeting
 TBD Dine and Donate

March:

3/8 Mundy Parent Group Meeting
 TBD Dine and Donate

April:

4/19 Mundy Parent Group Meeting
 TBD Dine and Donate

May:

5/7 - 5/11 Teacher Appreciation Week
 5/30 Talent Show
 TBD Dine and Donate

June:

6/1 Volunteer Breakfast
 6/1 Jog-A-Thon
 6/1 Field Day
 TBD Business Expo



Please consider becoming a volunteer.
 Just email MCA at:
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Pick an event and let us know what works
 for you. We can always use the help.

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