



# Diablo Valley Montessori School

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September 13, 2023

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## **Message from Jayne**

The Ice Cream social last Friday evening was a success! Thank you to Erin Ebe and Jesse Abhyankar, DVMS Parents' Club for organizing such a fun community event.

### **Parent Teacher Conference Week - October 9 -13**

Be sure to make plans for the week of October 9th. On Monday the 9th, the staff has an in-service day. All classes are closed to children that day.

From Tuesday the 10th through Friday the 13th, classes, except for Sunflower, will be half-day to accommodate Parent-Teacher conferences in the afternoons.

\*Buttercup and Half-day preschool children will be picked up at their regular time.

\*Preschool Lunch Bunch is not available this week.

\*All children in Poppy, Wildflower, Petunia, Jasmin, Honeysuckle (school day), and Daisy (extended day) will need to sign up for extended care if you wish for them to stay for the afternoon.

The sign up for this extended care will be available at 10:30am on Friday, September 15. Spots are limited and available on a first-come, first served basis.

As always, let us know if you have any questions or concerns.

In partnership,  
Jayne

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## Montessori 101: Parent Education Evening Next Week!

Please join us for Montessori 101  
-Parent Education Evening

Wednesday, September 27: 7:00-8:30pm  
(in the Jasmin classroom)



Save the date! On Wednesday, September 27th at 7:00 pm Ms. Kylee, Jasmin Head Teacher, will guide us through a journey of all things Montessori. Who was Dr. Montessori? What is the purpose of these materials? What makes this philosophy so special? This is a wonderful opportunity to take a peek at what your child gets to experience each day.

We know you will enjoy this evening on campus with other parents and DVMS staff.

RSVP by [clicking here](#)

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## Getting Involved at DVMS

Partnering with our families is a vital part of DVMS's success. The idea of each family contributing work hours goes back to the inception of our school. It encourages parent participation, allows the children to witness their parent's involvement and contribution to their school, provides opportunities for parents to meet one another, and to feel a part of the larger school community. Additionally work hours help defray school expenses.

We ask that you share your skills, expertise and volunteer interests so we may offer you opportunities to contribute to our school and gain credit for your work hour commitment.

[Click here](#) to complete this required survey today.

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## DVMS Fun Run October 14



We're excited to share the registration link for our 6th Annual Butterfly Fun Run, and can't wait to enjoy a casual, community picnic together afterwards.

The registration cost is per person. \$35 early-bird special through September 22nd for general participants and \$20 for DVMS teachers and staff. Be sure to register early as prices will go up. Registration by September 22nd also ensures delivery of your race day t-shirt in advance of the event!

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Register by [clicking here](#), help us meet our fundraising goals, and have a great time with your family and friends doing it! Anyone can join.

### Logistics

What: 6th Annual DVMS Butterfly Fun Run!

Where: Lafayette Reservoir, start at the Large Picnic Site

When: Saturday, October 14, 2023 at 10am

Who: ANYONE!

Why: Support our school, get outside and MOVE, and have fun with your family and friends doing it!

Thanks for your support, we look forward to seeing you at the Reservoir!

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## **Important Dates!**



September 18: Kindergarten Enrichment Back to School Night 6:00pm

September 27: Montessori 101 Parent Education Evening 7:00pm - 8:30pm

October 4 - 6: School Pictures. More information coming soon from Sandbox Photographers

October 9: DVMS Staff In-Service Day No classes for children

October 10 - 13: Parent-Teacher Conference Week. Half days for all children except Sunflower. Extended Care available on a limited basis. [Sign Ups begin on Friday, September 15 at 10:30am](#)

October 14: DVMS Fun Run Lafayette Reservoir

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