

October 4th, 2024



# TIGER TALES

MARK WEST FAMILY NEWSLETTER

**MW Charter Middle School:** The enrollment window has opened! It closes on October 31st, 3:30pm. Here is the link for enrollment: <https://markwestusd.aeries.net/air/>

**Ms. O:** I have seen a big improvement with students helping to keep our school clean. Keep up the good work Tigers! Also, this past week, we had “indoor” lunch recess due to the extreme heat. While we value getting our physical movement in during our breaks, we want to consider safety. This means that kids ate outside in the shaded lunch area. For playtime, we moved indoors. Teachers provide indoor fun and or calm options for students while our yard duties circulate to ensure supervision.

**From the District Office:** Prop 28 Parent Survey (Arts and Music in School)- Please take just a few short minutes to give your input on funding usage regarding Arts and Music in School. Thank you for you time. MWE Family Survey link: <https://forms.gle/22i6HGhdApfMj9557>

**International Walk and Roll to School Day:** We are less than a week away to International Walk and Roll Day on Oct 9th. This year marks the 22nd Anniversary of Sonoma County schools’ participation in International Walk and Roll to School Day—join us and the whole world in celebrating this day! Be sure to walk on sidewalks (or facing traffic if there are no sidewalks), look left, right, left and all around when crossing streets, and always be aware of, and make eye contact with, drivers at crossings and intersections. Join other students, families and school staff and walk to school together! If you are in Tk/K and want to try walking and rolling, I suggest the garden location as it's the shortest distance walk.

- Three locations to choose from:
  - The Larkfield Community Garden at 478 Noonan Ranch Ln #450 7:45am
  - Molsberry Market 522 Larkfield Center, Santa Rosa, CA 95403 7:45am.
  - Sam’s Market 5290 Aero Dr. at 7:45am.

**PTA:** Come out and join us!

On October 7 and October 8, Epicenter is hosting a Mark West Elementary and Charter School Bowl and Donate, benefiting PTA.

Click on the link below to sign up and choose your day and time. This is by [reservation only!](https://letmarinplay.wufoo.com/forms/w16710uc040n70y/) <https://letmarinplay.wufoo.com/forms/w16710uc040n70y/>

Reservation is for one lane for the hour, either- 5:45-6:45pm or 7:00-8:00pm. You can have up to 8 people on the lane. Options include Bowling only or Bowling, Pizza and a pitcher of soda! 50% of all reservation purchases will be donated back to Mark West PTA. Additional Food can be ordered that evening. (20% of additional Food and Beverage purchases during reservation time will be donated back to Mark West PTA.) Please sign up to join the fun! \*Please note: this is by reservation only. Your reservation must be paid within 24 hours or it will be canceled.

**INTERNATIONAL  
WALK & ROLL  
TO SCHOOL DAY**

HAVE FUN, REDUCE TRAFFIC, GET HEALTHY & BE GOOD TO THE EARTH!

**WEDNESDAY, OCT 9**

**WALK & ROLL  
ANYWHERE  
CHALLENGE**

sonomasaferroutes.org

Prizes!

The poster features a cartoon illustration of a bear, a rabbit, and a lion riding bicycles. The bear is on a red bike, the rabbit is on a blue bike, and the lion is on a green bike. They are all wearing colorful clothing and accessories like hats and balloons.

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**MW Charter Middle School:** ¡Se abrió la ventana de inscripción! Cierra el 31 de octubre a las 3:30 p. m. Aquí está el enlace para la inscripción: <https://markwestusd.aeries.net/air/>

**Sra. O:** He visto una gran mejora con los estudiantes que ayudan a mantener limpia nuestra escuela. ¡Sigamos con el buen trabajo, Tigres! Además, la semana pasada, tuvimos un recreo para el almuerzo "interior" debido al calor extremo. Si bien valoramos hacer nuestro movimiento físico durante nuestros descansos, queremos considerar la seguridad. Esto significa que los niños comieron afuera en el área de almuerzo con sombra. Para el tiempo de juego, nos mudamos al interior. Los maestros brindan diversión en el interior o opciones tranquilas para los estudiantes mientras nuestros deberes en el patio circulan para garantizar la supervisión.

**De la Oficina del Distrito:** Encuesta para padres de la Propuesta 28 (Artes y música en la escuela): tómese unos minutos para dar su opinión sobre el uso de fondos con respecto a las artes y la música en la escuela. Gracias por su tiempo.

Enlace de la encuesta familiar de MWE: <https://forms.gle/22i6HGhdApfMj9557>

**Día internacional de caminar y andar en bicicleta a la escuela:** estamos a menos de una semana del Día internacional de caminar y andar en bicicleta, el 9 de octubre. Este año marca el 22.º aniversario de la participación de las escuelas del condado de Sonoma en el Día internacional de caminar y andar en bicicleta a la escuela. ¡Únase a nosotros y al mundo entero para celebrar este día! Asegúrese de caminar por las aceras (o de frente al tráfico si no hay aceras), mire a la izquierda, a la derecha, a la izquierda y a todos lados al cruzar las calles, y siempre esté atento a los conductores y haga contacto visual con ellos en los cruces e intersecciones. ¡Únase a otros estudiantes, familias y personal escolar y caminen juntos a la escuela! Si estás en Tk/K y quieres intentar caminar y patinar, te sugiero la ubicación del jardín, ya que es la distancia más corta a pie.

Tres lugares para elegir:

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Molsberry Market 522 Larkfield Center, Santa Rosa, CA 95403 7:45 a. m.

Sam's Market 5290 Aero Dr. a las 7:45 am.

**PTA:** ¡Ven y únete a nosotros!

El 7 y 8 de octubre, Epicenter organizará un torneo de bolos y donaciones en la escuela primaria y autónoma Mark West, en beneficio de la PTA.

Haz clic en el enlace a continuación para registrarte y elegir el día y la hora.

¡Solo con reserva! <https://letmarinplay.wufoo.com/forms/w16710uc040n70y/>

La reserva es para una pista por hora, ya sea de 5:45 a 6:45 p. m. o de 7:00 a 8:00 p. m. Puedes tener hasta 8 personas en la pista. Las opciones incluyen solo bolos o bolos, pizza y una jarra de gaseosa. El 50 % de todas las compras de reserva se donarán a la PTA de Mark West. Se pueden pedir alimentos adicionales esa noche. (El 20 % de las compras adicionales de alimentos y bebidas durante el tiempo de reserva se donarán a la PTA de Mark West). ¡Regístrate para unirte a la diversión! \*Nota: solo con reserva. Su reserva debe pagarse dentro de las 24 horas o será cancelada.





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[PTA CALENDAR LINK](#)

[SPIRIT WEAR LINK](#)

## Important Dates/Fechas Importantes:

September 30-October 4th- Fall Book Fair in the Library

October 4- No School for Students- Parent Conference Day

October 7 and 8- Epicenter Bowling-PTA

October 9- International Walk and Roll to School with 3 Walking School Bus Locations

October 17-PTA General Meeting 5:30 in Room C5/6 Food and Childcare Provided

October 17- PTA Dine and Donate Round Table Pizza

October 24 PTA Family Skate Night

October 31- Halloween parade 8:45am- parents welcome

November 1- NO SCHOOL- Professional Development for Teachers

Mark West Area Chamber of Commerce AND VISITORS CENTER PRESENTS

## HALLOWEEN DECORATING CONTEST

**DO YOU HAVE THE MOST BOO-TACULAR HOME IN THE MARK WEST AREA?**  
ENTER OUR FREE CONTEST AND SHOW OFF YOUR HALLOWEEN SPIRIT!

**JUDGING WILL COMMENCE AT 7PM ON OCTOBER 26**

**HOW TO ENTER:**  
SIGN UP ONLINE AT MARKWEST.ORG TO BE ADDED TO OUR MAP OF "MUST SCREAM" SITES FOR OUR COMMUNITY TO ENJOY AND JUDGES TO VISIT FOR VOTING. IF YOUR LOCATION DOES NOT ALLOW FOR PUBLIC ACCESS, YOU MAY ALSO EMAIL US PICTURES OF YOUR OUTDOOR DECORATIONS AS YOUR ENTRY. ENTRIES WITHIN THE MARK WEST AREA WILL BE JUDGED, ANY OUTSIDE OF THE MARK WEST AREA MAY STILL ENTER TO BE ADDED TO THE MAP.

**ENTRIES DUE BY OCTOBER 25**

**FIRST PLACE:**  
\$100 GIFT CARD TO MOLSBERRY'S MARKET  
DONATED BY MOLSBERRY'S MARKET

**SECOND PLACE:**  
\$50 GIFT CARD TO MACHADO BUNGER  
DONATED BY SAMANTHA PAULI, FLANNING & CONSULTING

**THIRD PLACE:**  
\$25 GIFT CARD TO COOKIE TAKE A BITE  
DONATED BY LEGGEND ENTERTAINERS

QUESTIONS? CONTACT MWACC:  
707-578-7975 | OFFICE@MARKWEST.ORG

## EAT for FUNDS

Show Support for

**MARK WEST ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

20% OF EVENT SALES GET DONATED TO THE CAUSE

**THURSDAY, 10/17/24 11am-9pm**  
1002 GUERNEVILLE RD. SANTA ROSA, CA.  
707-527-9999

DINE-IN - TAKEOUT - DELIVERY



Show this paper/digital flyer to cashier for your order to be included in fundraiser. Not valid on alcohol, lunch combo/buffets, gift card purchases or any coupons, discounts or promotion. Excludes online orders and 3rd party delivery sites.