

# Michael Frome Academy

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## Weekly Newsletter from the Director Friday, February 26<sup>th</sup>, 2010

### MFA WINTER PROGRAM - "SNOW BIZ"

Tuesday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> - 7pm

Central Park amphitheatre adjacent to the Woodbury Public Library

### FALL 2010 KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

If you are planning on enrolling your child in Kindergarten at MFA next year, please fill out an enrollment application. You can either pick one up at the front desk or go to [www.mnmfa.org](http://www.mnmfa.org) and fill out the online application. Currently, we have more enrollment applications for Kindergarten than available slots which means we will have a lottery. We need to know how many Kindergartners are siblings of current MFA students as they have enrollment preference. The Kindergarten Lottery will take place on Friday, March 5<sup>th</sup>. Intent to Enroll forms for current students will be sent home soon. PLEASE NOTE: You do not need to go online and fill out the online application if your child is currently attending MFA. Thank you for your interest in Michael Frome Academy!

### USBORNE BOOKS

Look in your child's Friday Folder for information on a fun reading incentive program called "Reach for the Stars" with Usborne Books. The promotion will culminate the week of conferences and the Usborne Book Representative will have the books available for purchase at March conferences. Books Kids Love!



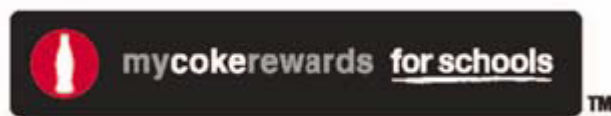
### ABSENT STUDENTS

Please be sure to call into the school if your child will be absent for the day. Leaving a message on the student absence line, the regular voice mail, by email or by note to the teacher is very helpful - especially students who may be going on vacation - Spring break coming up!

### MFA BOARD MEMBERS WANTED!

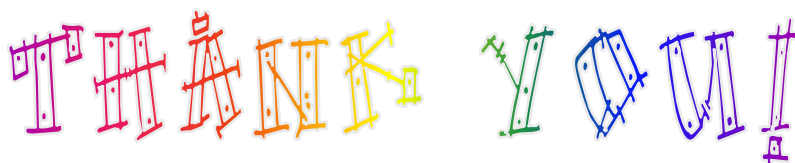
The MFA Board is looking for additional members. We meet on the second Tuesday of the month at 6:15pm. If you are interested, please contact Jane Husnik at [jane.husnik@mnmfa.org](mailto:jane.husnik@mnmfa.org).

**BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION** - Greetings MFA Families....it is that time of year again, Box Top submission time. Please gather all the box tops you have around the house and from friends and families. I need to get them mailed within the next 2 weeks. If you have a lot and could possibly pre-count them into baggies of 50 that would be a great help. Thanks so much for supporting our school. I have a lot to send this time, yeah! Sincerely, Mary Alice McCool



### MFA AND MY COKE REWARDS PROGRAM

Log in at [www.mycokerewards.com/schools](http://www.mycokerewards.com/schools) and enter any Coke Rewards codes that you have. After codes have been entered, search for your school. Check it out and help MFA get points!



for all you do to make MFA a great place for kids!

Upcoming Events		
<b>MARCH 2010</b>		
<b>Tuesday, March 2</b>	<b>7pm</b>	<b>MFA WINTER PROGRAM – "SNOW BIZ"</b>
Tuesday, March 9	6:15pm	MFA Board Meeting
<b>Thursday, March 11</b>	<b>11:35am</b>	<b>MN Orchestra Hall "Carnival of the Animals" Adventure Day</b>
Friday, March 12		End of Trimester 2
<b>Monday, March 15</b>		<b>NO SCHOOL – Teacher Work Day</b>
Tuesday, March 16	3:30-8pm	Parent Teacher Conferences
Thursday, March 18	3:30-8pm	Parent Teacher Conferences
<b>Monday, March 29 – Wednesday, 31</b>		<b>NO SCHOOL – Spring Break/Energy Days</b>
<b>APRIL 2010</b>		
<b>Thursday, April 1 – Friday, April 2</b>		<b>NO SCHOOL – Spring Break/Energy Days</b>
Tuesday, April 6	6:30-8pm	MFA PAC Meeting
Tuesday, April 13	6:15pm	MFA Board Meeting
<b>Friday, April 16</b>	<b>1pm</b>	<b>Early Release 1pm</b>
<b>MAY 2010</b>		
Tuesday, May 4	6:30-8pm	MFA PAC Meeting
Tuesday, May 11	6:15pm	MFA Board Meeting
<b>Friday, May 14</b>	<b>1pm</b>	<b>Early Release 1pm</b>
<b>Monday, May 31</b>		<b>NO SCHOOL – Memorial Day</b>
<b>JUNE 2010</b>		
Tuesday, June 1	6:30-8pm	MFA PAC Meeting
Thursday, June 3		LAST DAY OF SCHOOL!
Thursday, June 3		End of Trimester 3
Tuesday, June 8	6:15pm	MFA Board Meeting

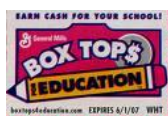
* MICHAEL FROME ACADEMY STAFF *	
Administrative Assistant	Pat Esparza
Director	Kirsten Kinzler
Kindergarten	Julie O'Connell
Grades 1-2	Aaron Benes
Grades 1-2	Laura Ferguson
Grades 3-4	Kendra Hunding
Special Education	Heidi Johnson
Business Manager	Traci LaFerriere
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**MFA VISION: To develop a "green" school for children where the facility, operations, and educational program reflect a commitment to the natural environment.**