



HDMS WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRINCIPAL, MR. ERIC

We made it. June is here and the children are very excited for their field days and graduation. Last week, I had the pleasure of attending several 6th grade project presentations which show that our students, through hard work and perseverance, can accomplish great things. I also had the pleasure of watching our choir, led by our very own maestro, Ms. Keishla, give an amazing performance. We have such talented children in our school. This has really been a wonderful year, and I can't wait to see what our future holds. Thank you for supporting our students and our school. Here's to a great end to our first 20 years, and here's to a wonderful start of our next 20 years around the sun.

Sincerely,
Mr. Eric
Reach for the Stars!



YEARBOOK



Dear HDMS family. We just found out Friday that the publisher did an over print and we had the chance to purchase 21 more Yearbooks.

We hope they will be here before Friday. If not we will make your order available ASAP. Cost remains \$30

contact Sherrie or Mr. Mike
mike@hdmsreno.com or
sherrie@hdmsreno.com



UPCOMING EVENTS

- 5/6/22: TIE DYE DAY
- 6/3/22: LAST DAY OF SCHOOL / EARLY RELEASE FOR ALL PROGRAMS
- 6/3/22: 9:15 AM KINDER GRADUATION
- 6/3/22: 10:30 AM ELEMENTARY & ADOLESCENT END OF YEAR CELEBRATION
- 6/8/22: 5:00 PM HDMS BOARD MEETING

A MESSAGE FROM OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, MISS TAMMIE

It's bittersweet to be wrapping up the school year at the Orovada building. High Desert Montessori opened in 2002, and moved into the 2590 Orovada building in 2005. Over the years we have experienced enormous growth and housed all grade levels within these walls. The PTO worked tirelessly to change the back parking lot into the playgrounds we now have, as well as planted our now mature trees and built the original hoop house on the east side of the building. In 2015 we added 80KW of solar to help us be more energy efficient.



We are beyond thrilled to be passing ownership of the building on to Note Ables Music Therapy, who will be partnering with HDMS on future music programming. The graduations and end of year celebrations will be our send off to Orovada this Friday, June 3rd. Our Orovada building has served us well, and we are beyond excited to begin our new chapter as a school community in our new unified campus at 101 Fantastic Drive.

Enjoy your summer and we will see you during the festivities of Nevada Montessori Week, August 9-12.

Warmly,
Miss Tammie

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL INFORMATION

Friday June 3rd will be the last day of school and a 1:00 early release day for ALL PROGRAMS. Morning arrival will take place as normal.



Kindergarten Graduation will take place on the Orovada Campus field at 9:15 AM (UPDATED TIME). Upon completion of the ceremony, students may either go home with parents, or they will go back into their classrooms until 1:00.

End of Year Celebration for 1st-8th Grades will take place on the Orovada Campus Field at 10:30. Upon completion of the celebration, students may either go home with parents, or they will go back to their classrooms until 1:00.

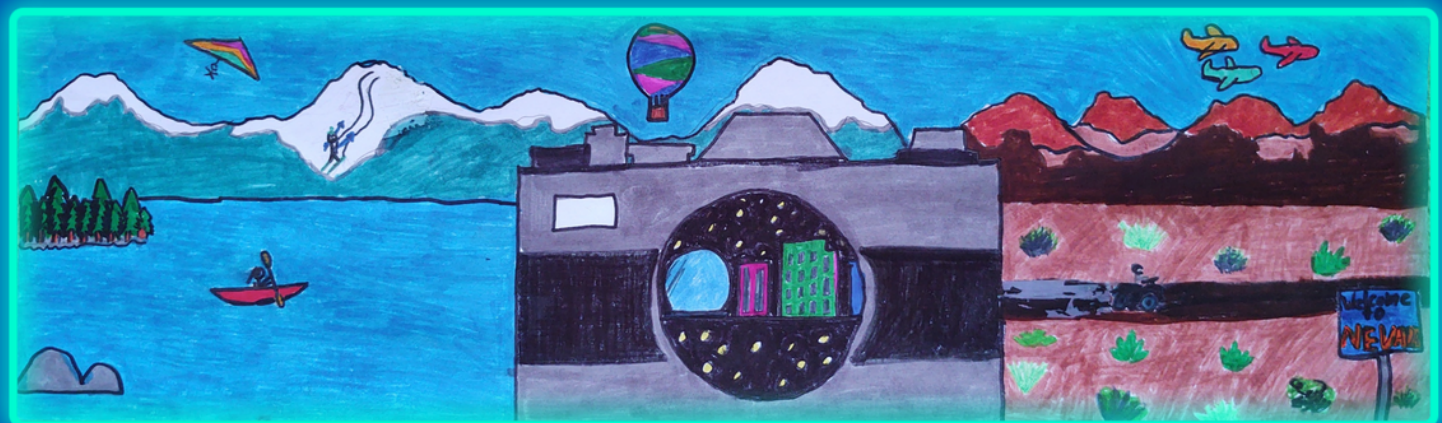
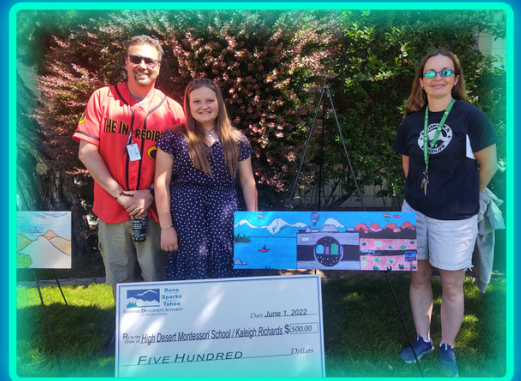
CRAZY HAT & HAIR DAY



CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Sierra 6th grade student Kalli Woolstenhulme whose art won 2nd place in the Regional Taxi Art Contest. She received a giant check for \$500 to be used for art supplies at HDMS!

The EDawn Foundation and Washoe County School District ran the contest and the taxi art design entries were evaluated by a panel of judges from the community for their originality, creativity, and message highlighting why our region is a great place to live, work, and play.



NOTES FROM THE PTO

If you'd like to stay in touch over the summer or plan some outings with (or without) the kids please join our PTO GroupMe chat. Email pto@hdmspto.com with requests to be added to the group and stay in the loop.

We will be having a PTO Retreat Sunday June 12 from 12PM-2PM where will plan and discuss upcoming events for next year including, NV Montessori Week, Brews and Bites, and more! If you would like to attend please email pto@hdmspto.com to RSVP. Address will be given when folks RSVP.

Want a calendar already pre-filled with important HDMS dates and events (like early dismissals days, days off, and school events) and has beautiful artwork from our very own students here at HDMS? If so, pre-order our calendar here and it will be shipped directly to your house. Calendars are \$25 during pre-sale over the summer and will be \$30 once the school year starts, so get them early!

Also, there's still room for some amazing artwork. If you'd like to submit a piece of artwork please email it to pto@hdmspto.com

Print on demand swag is also available all year round if you'd like water bottles, shirts, sweatshirts and more with the HDMS logo! Head over to our swag store.

Have a great summer and see you all at NV Montessori week!

RUBY CLASSROOM

It has been an interesting, fun and creative year. I look forward to seeing most of you back next year and hope you visit me if you are moving onto other schools and classes. I am proud of the work we have done!

6/2/22: Tie Dye Day and Game Day

6/3/22: Last Day of School / Early Release for all programs

6/3/22: 9:15 AM Kinder Graduation

6/3/22: 10:30 AM Elementary & Adolescent End of Year Celebration

Volunteers, Needs, Wants, and Gratitude

- Thank you to Keishla , Diego, Ugo and the Choir for putting on a great performance.
- If you have some skills in carpentry/woodworking, let me know. Our Montessori materials are in need of some repairs and TLC.
- Thank you to anyone that has reached out to someone in their community and asked for a donation for our silent auction next year during Nevada Montessori Week. The school will be accepting donations until the end of the year. Thank you for your support!

SIERRA CLASSROOM

The Sierra Sixth graders presented their sixth grade projects last week, and celebrated their hard work with a trip to Six Flags.



TOIYABE CLASSROOM

It has been my absolute pleasure guiding your children through this past year. These have been challenging times to say the least and your children continue to impress me and warm my heart every day. They have a great deal of affection for one another.

We are moving into our new classroom. If any of you would like to help organize our classroom library next Monday or Tuesday, we would greatly appreciate the help! You can email me at elyse@hdmsreno.com

Summer Activities

The absolute best way to stay academically engaged this summer is with reading. Please encourage your child to read as much as possible whatever else you are doing this summer. The Washoe County Library has a [summer reading challenge](#) where your child can win free books.

If you are looking for fun things to do as a family this summer, here are some great free/cheap [activities in our area](#)

**MARGE'S CAMP OPPORTUNITY
FOR STUDENTS AGES 9-12**



Boys & Girls Club of Truckee Meadows Presents a shared, fun, rewarding, and safe summer camping experience at Grizzly Ranch Camp in Partnership with Sierra Nevada Journeys.

→ **Camp is for 9-12 Year Old's** ←

Your camper will experience activities such as archery, kayaking, swimming, the challenge course, outdoor education, arts & crafts, night activities and campfires. In addition to the traditional summer camp activities, programming is also a special blend of social-emotional learning. The camp has heated cabins with their own restrooms, and shower facilities. 1-8 Ratio:

GIRLS WEEK-

Sunday June 12th - Friday June 17th

BOYS WEEK

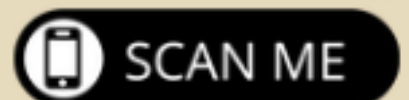
Sunday June 19th - Friday June 24th

← **Mandatory Parent/ Guardian Orientation**

Tuesday June 7th at 6:00pm.

Pennington Location - 1300 Foster Dr, Reno NV

Email: campddirectors@bgctm.org Amanda & Jake Herringshaw



FAMILY CAMPS AT THE BOYS & GIRLS CLUB



GARDEN *Summer* CAMP

Farm-to-Table

GROW, CELEBRATE, AND EAT
FRESH FOOD



AVAILABLE AT
PENNINGTON JUNE 20-24
CARANO JULY 18-22
DWR AUGUST 1-5

FREE to BGC Members!



SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL
LEARNING ACTIVITIES,
GARDENING, NUTRITION,
COOKING, EATING, ART,
AND MORE!



field trips to:

- LIBERTY FOOD AND WINE EXCHANGE
- FLINT STREET FARM
- GREAT BASIN FOOD COOP
- IDLEWILD PARK

CHALLENGE ISLAND SUMMER CAMPS

STEAM + Reading + STREAM!
This summer, our CHALLENGE ISLAND BOOK SERIES COMES TO LIFE!

SHARK CAMP
June 13-17 @ High Desert
Montessori

Road Trip USA CAMP
June 13-17 @ Mater Academy

Girls AND Dolls CAMP
June 20-25 @ High Desert

MINE ISLAND
June 20-25 @ Mater Academy

SLIMETOPIA CAMP
June 28 - July 1 @ High Desert
August 1-5 @ Mater Academy

STEAM TANK Entrepreneur CAMP
June 28-July 1 @ Mater Academy
July 18-22 @ High Desert

World Cruise
June 13-17 @ High Desert

STEAM ACROSS UNIVERSE CAMP
June 13-17 @ Mather Academy

ARCADE MANIA CAMP
July 11-15 @ Mater Academy
July 22-25 @ High Desert

PETS PALOOZA CAMP
June 18-22 @ Mater Academy

Steam-Warts
July 11-15 @ High Desert
July 25-29 @ Mater Academy

Challenge Island Reno-Sparks Camps 2022
9-4pm Extra ½ before and after for \$35 a week
\$245 a week
Call 775-846-6733 or
Email dtorvinen@challenge-island.com

Sign up at www.challenge-island.com/reno-sparks-nv

THE GENERATOR SUMMER CAMPS

Get ready for a creative summer at The Generator!

SPOTS ARE LIMITED Register today!

MAKER WORKSHOP
Get hands-on with real tools!
June 20-24 & July 18-22

SCULPTURE STUDIO
Create art in three dimensions!
June 27-July 1 & July 25-29

INSTALLATION ART
Build a large collaborative project!
July 11-15 & August 1-5

Questions? Email us at: education@therenogenerator.com

SUMMER SPORTS CAMPS

[Information on Sports Camps](#)

