



# Crossroads PTA Newsletter

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## What are the **MCA Tests** All About?

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State testing is just around the corner at Crossroads. Find out what that means for your child at the **PTA Membership Meeting** on **Thursday March 26, starting at 6 PM.**



Guest speaker **Stacey Gray-Akyea**, from the St. Paul School District, will discuss:

- What our kids should expect
- The significance of the MCA test
- What we can do to help prepare our young students

Ms. Gray-Akyea will also be answering other questions asked that night, so be sure to bring your notebooks and your questions to ask the expert.

## Dates to Remember

**3/26/15**

6:00 PM to 7:30 PM

PTA Membership Meeting with  
MCA testing guest speaker

**Stacey Gray-Akyea**

**4/1/15**

Lotion Fundraiser Kick Off!  
Packets Go Home!

**4/16/15**

Lotion Fundraiser Orders  
are due.

**5/7/15**

Staff Appreciation Dinner.  
Volunteers Needed!

**5/7/15 & 5/8/15**

Lotion Fundraiser Pick Up.

**6/18/15**

6:00 PM to 7:30 PM

PTA Membership Meeting

**6/26/15**

8:30 AM to 1:30 PM

Grandparents Day



## Spring Fundraiser is Flinging in to Crossroads

Spring is here and with it arrives our Lotion Fundraiser! Kick-off is **April 1**, so watch for packets to come home with your student. We are very excited to be working with a local artisan who creates these amazing earth -friendly lotions. Best of all, they will arrive just in time for **Mother's Day!**

## Volunteer Opportunities

We have many exciting volunteer opportunities that are ongoing and coming up soon:

- We always need help to **organize the used uniforms** we keep on hand and update the PTA board in the hall.
- The **Staff Appreciation Dinner** is coming! Volunteers are needed to help set up, provide food, and clean up for the staff appreciation dinner on **Thursday, May 7, 2015**.
- Volunteers also needed to help with the **Lotion Fundraiser Pick -Up** on **Thursday, May 7 from 4 pm – 8 pm** and **Friday, May 8 from 8:00 am – 1:00 pm and 1:00 pm– 6:00 pm**.

If you are available to help with these opportunities, please email us at [xroadspta@gmail.com](mailto:xroadspta@gmail.com) or call PTA Hotline at 651-744-4637 and leave a message.