



Math Circle Orientation

Somerset Elementary School
September 27, 2023

The Math Circle Committee

- Co-Chairs
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Outline

- Club information
 - Math Competitions
 - Registration
 - Q/A
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What is Math Circle?

- MC is a Somerset PTSA program. Chairs are parent volunteers.
 - MC is open to 2nd to 5th Graders who love math and wish to participate in Math Competitions
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Program Mission

I  MATH!

- Inspire students' interests in Math and start to appreciate the beauty of it
- Enhance classroom performance by developing advanced problem thinking and solving skills
- Prepare students for math competitions
 - **above common core standards**

How to access to MC website?

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SOMERSET SUPERSTARS
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Somerset PTSA #2.3.80 Calendar of Events

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
7	8	9	10	11	12
			6:30p Math Olympiad Coach Meeting (PTSA Event)	Professional Development Day (No School)	
14	15	16	17	18	19
Early Release @ 1:20pm Wed	Early Release @ 1:20pm Wed Schedule 6:00p PhD (Parenthood Development) (Somerset PTSA Event)	Early Release @ 1:20pm Wed Schedule 9:15a PTSA Board of Directors Meeting		11:15a October Birthdays lunch with the Principals	

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 **PTSA Membership**

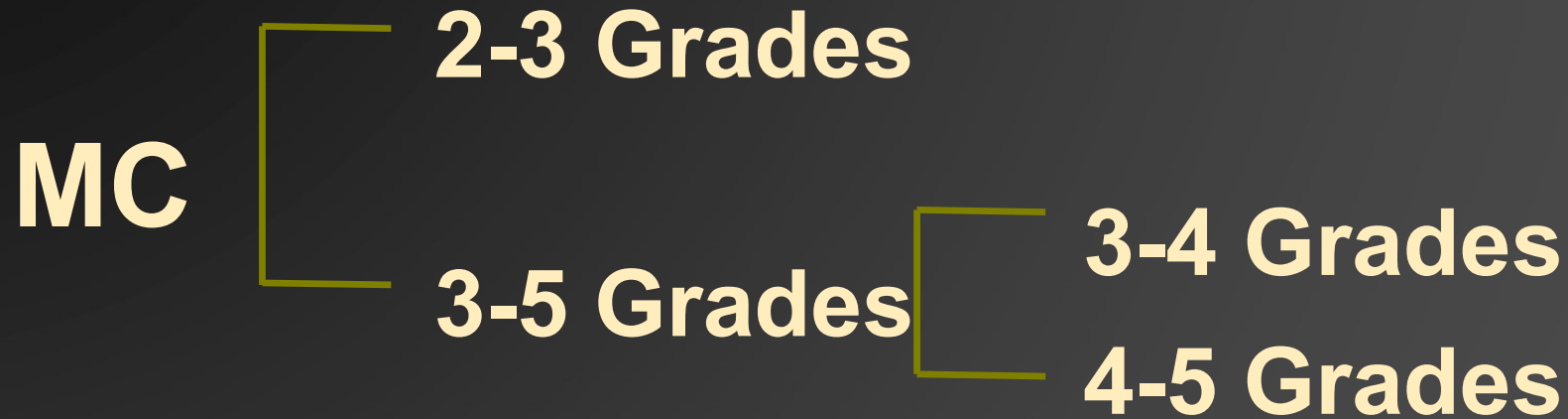
 **Fundraising**

 **Programs**

 **Volunteers**



Teaching Levels



In Person or Online

- **Teaching: online**
 - **2-3 grade: Ms. Anh, 30 students (only open for G2-G3)**
 - **3-5 grade: Mr. Lin, 100 students (only open for G3-G5)**
 - **Competitions: in person preferred, depending on competition providers**
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Planned club activities 23-24

- Professional tutoring for 2nd – 5th graders
 - Help create teams for competitions
 - Host competitions
 - Organize teams to attend on-site competitions
 - End-of-year awards ceremony
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Club Emails

- Club activity: mo.somerset@gmail.com
 - Teaching material: selearning101@gmail.com
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Parent Volunteers

- Co-host online classes for G3-4 and G4-5
 - Onsite competitions
 - Please sign up here [Volunteering \(somersetpta.org\)](http://somersetpta.org)
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Math Competitions

❖ AMC8 (Format: individual; Time: 1/18-1/24; REC: 4-5 grade)

❖ Math is Cool (two round) (REC: 4-5 grade)

❖ Championships (Time: 3/9-3/23)

❖ Masters (after Championships if advanced)

(Format: team/individual; max 4 students/team, 8/10 teams/school, prefer MC/PTSA members)

❖ Math Kangaroo (Format: individual; Time: 3/21)

Competition

MC

2 Grade: Math Kangaroo (MK)

3-5 Grades: MK, MIC, AMC8.

Notification:

Competition registrations will be sent through **club emails**,
and sometimes **PTSA eNews**. Watch out!

Family-MC “enhanced” relationship & realistic expectation

- Expectations for MC
 - Systematic training (NOT private tutoring service), competition registrations, organize competitions
- Expectations for families
 - Actively engaging in monitoring/supporting students to practice consistently every week
 - Help competition preparation: team practices

MC REGISTRATION

When you register, you choose one of the two options:

 **2-3 Grades group (30 slots)**

3-5 Grades group (100 slots)

REGISTRATION REQUIREMENT

- Somerset PTSA memberships required
- Participation in Fall Fundraising Drive **HIGHLY ENCOURAGED**
- Update student's name, grade, teacher info in your PTSA account
- **Gmail account required:** google classrooms
- Online payment only

REGISTRATION

- Time
 - **10am Sep 28th to Oct 4th or all slots are filled**
 - Website (somesetpsa.org)
 - Registration fee
 - \$120 per member (**team info is not required**)
 - Cover club expenses, training materials, professional tutoring
 - **No-refund**
 - Competition fees are **NOT included**
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REGISTRATION

- Registration link will be active at **10am** tomorrow, September 28th.
 - *Any registration before 10am tomorrow is not complete.*
 - We are not responsible for any incomplete registration.
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Achievement

Math Kangaroo:

Level 1-2: 5 National Winners

Level 3-4: 15 National Winners

Level 5-6: 1 National Winner

MIC:

4th Grade: Team: 3rd place in Championships and Masters

5th Grade: Individuals: 5th & 7th place in Championships and Masters

Knights of PI:

5th Grade: Team: 2nd place / Individuals: 3rd place
