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The After-Care Corner

The After-Care Program (“ACP”) at Meyerland Performing and Visual Arts Middle School is a PTO-sponsored program – so all money goes right back to the PTO which benefits the school, as well as your children.

Part of the reason our program is successful is the dedication of the fine teachers involved in this program. John Green, who teaches 6th grade science in House M, has this to say about the program:

“From a teacher’s perspective, ACP offers students a chance to get work completed (homework or caught up on missing assignments) AND a chance to get tutored on content from class. I’ve enjoyed helping students with math, science, and even history.

Outside of school work, I also see the value in giving students a chance to relax and wind down after 5 classes of instruction. The students seem to enjoy making new friends or interacting with old friends. Some use the time to play computer games, while others go outside to play soccer, basketball, or just to walk around. Others simply enjoy a moment to rest their brains.

I have enjoyed watching the students develop from deer-in-the-headlights 6th graders to ready-for-high-school 8th graders. ACP can be a great place for 6th graders to interact and learn from 8th graders.”

We have several ACP options available: 5 days per week through 1 day per week. There is also a drop-in option. Rates are available on the PTO website in the After-Care section. Payments may be made by check, money order, cash or **Chase QuickPaySM**. If you haven’t checked out the After-Care section of the PTO website, be sure to do so. You will find articles and pictures from last year, as well as additional information about the program.

If you are interested in participating in this program, please contact me at jmhuff3@yahoo.com.

I look forward to seeing you!

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