



# McDonald International

## PTA News

### What's Happening

**May 1 - May 22** Plastic Film Recycling Drive

**May 3, 10, 17, 24** Bike, walk, or roll to school event

**May 14** PTA Board Meeting

**May 16** DEI Team Meeting

**May 19** School Fundraiser with Seattle Reign

**May 27** No school: Memorial Day

[Full online calendar](#)

### Join the PTA

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### Donate Now

[Donate](#) to the McDonald PTA fundraising campaign which funds our language immersion curriculum and other enrichment programs.

### Visit the PTA Website

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### International Night Recap and Thank You

It was wonderful to see the Scottie community come together for International Night last weekend!

**Thank you** to our community and student performers, as well as all of the families who joined us. A grateful shout-out to our amazing teachers and guest teachers who prepared and led the students who performed! Finally, a big thank you to Colleen Korby and the many volunteers who came together to organize, decorate, MC, lead activities, bake, clean up, and otherwise stage this event. In addition to all of the fun, the bake sale raised \$2,000 for the PTA, covering the costs of the event and beyond.



If you have ideas for or would like to be involved in organizing the next International Night, reach out to [Colleen Korby](#) and the current [PTA Events team](#). Thank you, Scotties!

### Bike, Walk and Roll to School Continues this Friday

Make sure to bike, walk or roll to school again this **Friday, May 10**. If you picked up a passport book last Friday, bring it with you this Friday to receive your second stamp. There will be more passport books available. Come to the front lawn for books and stamps. The more stamps collected, the better the prize. After Friday there are two more opportunities to participate in the event: **Friday, May 17 and 24**.



If you usually drive to school, park a few blocks away from school and walk in. If your child typically takes the bus to school, that counts as participation too.

### Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion (DEI) Team Meeting

Please join us at the next McDonald Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion (DEI) Team Meeting:

**When: Thursday, May 16 at 6:30 p.m.**

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**Where:** Virtual [via Zoom](#)

Our awesome DEI team gathers together monthly to discuss a wide variety of concerns, needs, issues, and advocacy. We focus on bringing an equity perspective to McDonald events and activities, and providing opportunities for community engagement.



Participation is open to all and you are welcome to join any meeting! We hope you can join us!

Please reach out to [DEI@mcdonaldpta.org](mailto:DEI@mcdonaldpta.org) with any questions, and to be added to our [Google group](#). Or visit our info page at <https://mcdonaldpta.org/dei>.

## Plastic Film Recycling Drive

McDonald International is keeping Plastic Film from landfills with Ridwell this spring! As part of this limited-time drive, you can bring these types of [Plastic Film](#) to a **collection bin in our school hallway from May 1st-21st**.



Ridwell will make sure they stay out of landfills and are turned into new decking materials instead—start collecting these items at home now.

You can also help McDonald recycle our school's plastic film for the entire '24/'25 school year! Be sure to use [this link](#) to join Ridwell with an at-home membership by May 31st, 2024. **If we sign up 10 or more new members by this date, we will be awarded monthly Plastic Film pickups for our school next year!**

## Seattle Reign Fundraiser: Get Your Tickets!

Calling all McDonald International families, friends, & teachers!

Let's celebrate the end of the year together with an unforgettable night at the Seattle Reign vs Orlando Pride soccer game: **May 19th, 2024!**

🎉⚽ We've got a special section just for us!! Every ticket sold benefits our fundraising efforts. A BIG thanks to the Seattle Reign for their support!



[Grab your tickets now](#) and send [the link](#) to all your family & friends, and/or post it on your social media platform. For every ticket, \$10 is donated to McDonald International!

Go Reign! Go Scottie Dogs!

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