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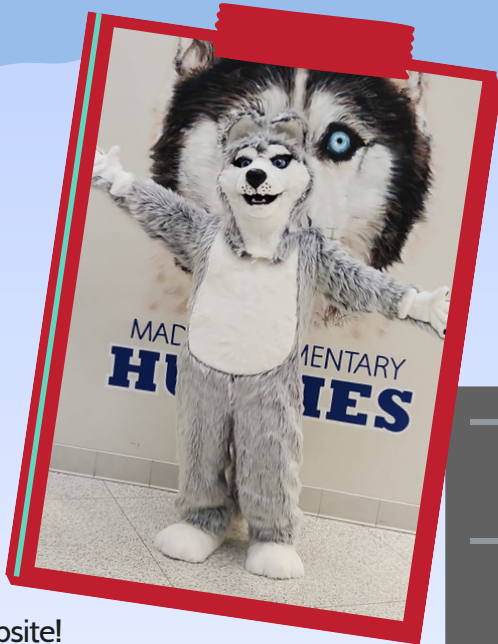
Welcome Back Huskies!

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In keeping with this year's baseball theme, your Madden PTO has an impressive lineup of events that we hope to knock out of the park!

We have many new faces on our Board, so don't hesitate to get to know us and reach out at MaddenElementaryPTO@gmail.com with any questions!

[Click here to see the full list of Madden PTO events and fundraisers!](#)



Upcoming Events:

Parents' Night Out @ Code
Ninjas & Lazy Dog:

Sept 20 at 6-9p.m.

PTO Popsicle Contest:

Ends Sept 26

Fall Fundraiser with Apex:

Sep 29 thru Oct 10

Greet & Treat:

Oct 23 at 5:30 p.m.

Did you know?



Madden PTO funds all Field Trips, Teacher Appreciation Events, and Class Parties.



The Madden academic yearly theme changes annually and is voted on by the faculty and staff.

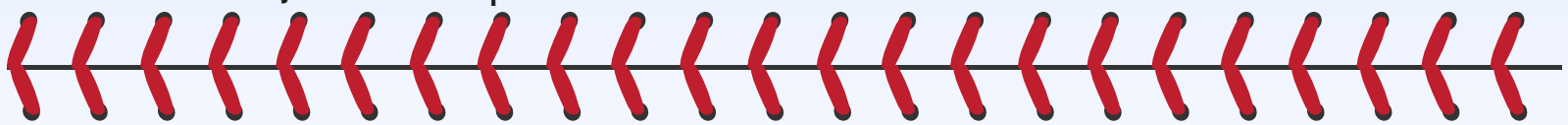


Carolyn and Vernon Madden Elementary School received a State Accountability Rating of "A" from the Texas Education Agency (TEA).

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Meet Your '25-26 PTO Board



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Join us this Fall...

We have kicked off our 2025-26 PTO Membership campaign, with the class with the highest percentage of members earning a popsicle party!



Visit MaddenPTO.org to signup or renew your membership. May the best class win, and Go Huskies!

YEARBOOKS ON SALE NOW!

 Flash Sale: \$35 from Sept 15-30

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Greet & Treat is back!

- Thursday, Oct 23rd, from 5:30-7pm
- FREE & open to all Madden families

Students can enjoy:

- * Trunk-or-Treat * DJ & Dancing *
- * Costume Contest * Photobooth *
- * Complimentary snack for all PTO members (*go to MaddenPTO.org to become a PTO member for only \$10/family, today!)

Come mix and mingle with Madden families, our supportive community sponsors, and beloved Madden teachers!



RSVP with the form on MaddenPTO.org!

NEW Fall Fundraiser w/ APEX!!!

- Sept 29 to Oct 10
- Hassle-free, no catalog sales
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Treating Smiles with a Gentle Touch

by Alisha McMillen

"Orthodontics requires caring personalities and gentle hands, which is why women are such a good fit in the field," says Dr. Srishti Mehta, founder of local Indigo Orthodontics. She has been creating happy, confident smiles in Fort Bend County since 2007.

Seeing patients in her state-of-the-art, modern building on Grand Parkway, Dr. Mehta and her partner, Dr. Angelica Herrera, have become an important part of their local community.

"This community has been a blessing. I love practicing in this area," she says. "Before I built this office on Grand Parkway, I used to come to the Starbucks across the street to study and watch people. I just loved the vibe of this community."

Dr. Mehta and her family have

grown deep roots in the community she fell in love with. She and her husband have two daughters, ages 13 and 17. Dr. Herrera and her husband also have two daughters, ages 10 and 11.

"We have a holistic approach to care – we evaluate the patient as a whole, not just focusing on their teeth and smile," she continues. "My deep passion is for identifying and helping parents navigate jaw growth disorders that can be formed from poor breathing. All of our staff is passionate about this issue."

Orthodontics can influence the development of the face, jaws and airway, treating issues such as snoring, mouth breathing, and restless sleep. For the best results, your child's first evaluation should be done by age seven, if not earlier.

The practice sees patients as young as four years old. On any given day in the office, you'll see all ages – children, teens, and adults. "We're extremely focused on learning new and leading technology to provide the best options for care," Dr. Mehta adds. "Each individual on the team has a passion for both orthodontics and the people we treat. And our team is extremely cohesive. They support each other to deliver the highest quality care and outstanding patient experiences."

Dr. Mehta explains, "I love orthodontics for the change it can make in people's lives, not just aesthetically, but also for your health."

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