MLC Newsletter
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MLC MONTHLY

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Birthdays
We don’t have any March/ April birthdays, but since the semester is coming to a close, summer birthdays are:
Lazette Carter June 5th, Kelsey Wright June 10th, Brendan Fortener June 25th, Alex Vaughan June 26th, Emily Herting June 27th, Nicole Soares July 12th, Paul Eveslage July 28th. Happy birthday to each of you and we hope you enjoy your summer!

Tutors of the Month
The February & March tutors of the month are: Brendan Fortener, Alex Vaughan, Joseph Sjoberg, Olivia Bradds, Sarah Hart. Thank you guys for your hard work!

Quote of the Month
“The essence of mathematics lies in its freedom.”
- Georg Cantor

Director’s Message
I hope that all of you had a safe and fun spring break, and also had chance to celebrate Pi Day! We are currently wrapping up our Praxis workshops and we are getting closer to the home stretch, in which we will be helping students prepare for final exams. Currently, we have proposed study groups for Calculus 1 and 2, Business Calculus and Statistics, Statistics, and Trigonometry, and developing the name for our finals week event. Thank you all for your hard work.

- Emanuel Clayton
Reminders

Make sure to keep working towards CRLA certification!

There will be a mandatory staff meeting in April, date and time TBD, so we’ll keep you updated on that!

Fun Things to do

If you find any time in your busy weekly lives, here are some fun things to do around town!

• 2nd Street Market — they have lots of yummy food!
• $5 Movie nights on Wednesdays at the Greene — the new movies Sing and Switch are supposed to be really good!
• Scene 75
• Laser Tag at LaserQuest or LaserWeb
• Breakout Dayton

Problem of the Month

We are continuing our problem of the month contest! Below is a difficult math problem for you to work through. The first person to bring the CORRECT answer to either Shannon or Sumayyah will receive a $5 gift card to Starbucks! Good luck!

Here’s the problem:

A box contains marbles, each of which is red, white or blue. The number of blue marbles is a least half the number of white marbles and at most one-third the number of red marbles. The number which are white or blue is at least 55. Find the minimum possible number of red marbles.

Tutor Spotlight — Alex Vaughan

I love tutoring because it is really gratifying to see students understand material that they were struggling with. One of the reasons why I love math is because it is like a puzzle that can be solved in a variety of ways. Tutoring has taught me to be creative with developing a solution to a problem and will help me in my future career as an engineer. I also love running the social media and advertising committee for the Math Learning Center with my best friend Baylee Mayhugh! Everyone should follow the Math Learning Center on Twitter @wsu_mathcenter! Fun fact about me is that I live on a farm, have 3 dogs, and bake the best chocolate chip cookies!