

# MLC MONTHLY

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## Birthdays

This month we have two birthdays! Nicholas Irick on December 7th, and Sumayyah Shermadou on December 25th! Happy birthday to both of you!!

## Tutors of the Month

December's tutors of the month are Baylee Mayhugh and Alex Vaughan! Thank you both for your hard work! Congratulations!

## Quote of the Month

"I heard that parallel lines actually do meet, but they are very discrete."

- Anonymous



## Director's Message

As the holiday season approaches, it is with heartfelt warmth that we take an opportunity to acknowledge the commitment of the students and staff of the Math Learning Center and Math Studio. We are culminating a great year that included the creation of MLC committees, CRLA certification, expansion of services, increased usage, the union of the MLC and Math Studio, and much more.

As you prepare for what is a busy time of year, be sure to take some time for yourself and reflect on all the wonderful things you have accomplished this past year. Enjoy the





### Top 10 Things to Do During Winter Break:

Are you looking for something fun to do over winter break?

Here's a few things to do in our area to make your break more exciting!

1. Clifton Mill Christmas Lights
2. Cincinnati Zoo's PNC Festival of Lights
3. Harlem Globetrotters at the Nutter Center (Dec. 31st)
4. Ice skating at Riverscape Metropark
5. \$5 Movie Nights at the Greene Town Center
6. COSI After Dark (Adult Nights)
7. Gingerbread Festival in Yellow Springs
8. Dayton Ballet - The Nutcracker, Friday, December 16th
9. Great Escape Game in Beavercreek
10. Holiday Luminary Hike, Bellbrook, December 28th

warmth of every moment with your family and friends, and carry that warmth with you into the New Year. I look forward to seeing you all refreshed from the break and ready to continue our journey together.

Happy Holidays! - Emanuel Clayton, MLC Director

### *Thank You to Our Graduates*

We want to congratulate and thank the following of you who are leaving us due to graduation and/or embarking on new journeys:

Sainath Daakuri, Kundhan Choodi, Zahra Meghjani, Syed Zaidi, Ravali Alampally from the MLC; Kearsten Cantrell, Hannah Duckro, and James Smith from the Math Studio.

The Graduation Ceremony is on Saturday, December 16th from 10am-12pm if anyone wishes to attend.

### *Just Some Reminders:*

- There is a Holiday Dessert Party for UC Student Workers on Thursday December 15th from 12:30-1:30pm in SC 205! Be sure to stop by for some free desserts!
- Please submit your availability forms by December 16th.
- Remember, Finals Week is next week! Study up!

### *Tutor Spotlight — Kelsey Wright*

I love mathematics because it's actually a very creative subject. Although a problem may have one right answer, everyone might have a different approach to solving it. Tutoring gives me the opportunity to work with students that all learn differently and I get to see everyone's thought process while working through math problems. I love to challenge myself by thinking about math the way someone else does. I love math and I have a tendency to get a little too excited when I talk about it. I really enjoy my job as a tutor, and I am looking forward to my future career as a high school math teacher. A fun fact about me is I have a collection of over one hundred crystals and minerals.