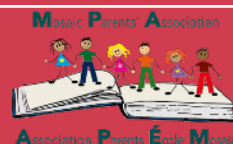


Newsletter



Mosaic Parents Association

SAVE THE DATES FOR THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR!

We will hold our **General Assembly in mid-September**. All Mosaic parents are invited to participate.

We would like your opinion on suitable times. Kindly participate in the doodle survey below to help us find a time slot that best suits the majority:

<https://doodle.com/poll/gkbqur9d57hy7pvc>

The **first snack sale** of the 2019-2020 school year **will be in October**. We will announce the sales calendar once we coordinate with the school regarding the calendar of class events, outings and camps.



If you are staying around town this summer, join our **Facebook group** <https://www.facebook.com/groups/mosaicschoolparents/> to find out about activities for children in and around Geneva.

We would like to thank Caroline (mom of André 4P) and Ekaterina “Katya” (mom of Vera 5P) for setting up this forum and moderating it.

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What are your suggestions?

The Mosaic Parents Association (MPA) is a group of volunteer parents working together to support the development of the school. We raise funds to sponsor projects for the school.

Email: parents@ecolemosaic.ch

Facebook group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/mosaicschoolparents/>

Website <https://parents.ecolemosaic.ch/en/>

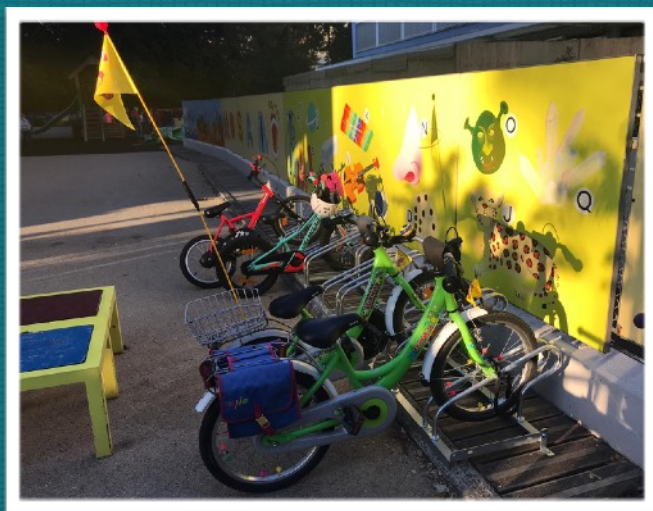
OUR YEAR IN REVIEW

What we did this year and the funds we collected

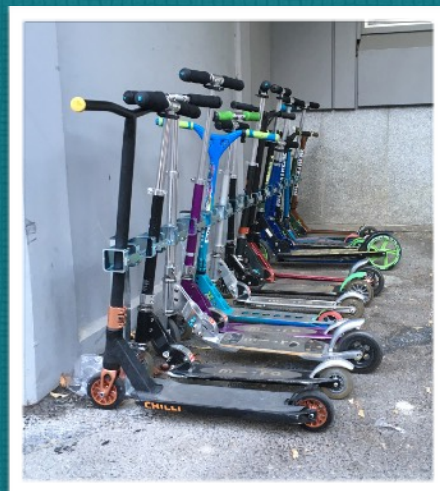
September saw the installment of the bike and scooter parking systems at school. This was the result of a long collaboration with the school to allocate proper place for daily mobility storage so that the kids would enjoy coming to school with their alternative means of transport.

In 2017 the MPA pledged to cover the cost of the parking system installed in the playground. The total cost of the project was 5,677 CHF.

The school kindly advanced the funds for the project, and by end of June 2019, we will have completed our deferred payments. Thanks to all parents for their support.



We hope that the kids enjoy bringing their scooters/bikes to school!



Thank you Mosaic school for financing the parking system in Dumas 21

ACTIVITIES IN 2019

- 🕒 Sponsored the morning snack for all participants at Sports day.

- 🕒 Organized a toy charity drive for the Geneva Red Cross. Just as the previous year it was held before the Christmas holidays. This time we filled two big chariots! A big thanks to Cécilia (mom of Mikolaj 2P) who coordinated this event with the Red cross.



- 🕒 Designed a 2019 calendar with photos and descriptions of the various activities our kids do at Mosaic.

The MPA offered every teacher & assistant a copy of this calendar as an appreciation for their great work with our children.

- 🕒 Organized 8 snack sales to raise funds. Changing the formula from just cakes to include savory snacks like popcorn was a great success.

We raised 3'352 CHF this year!

We would like to express our gratitude to the core volunteer team who have helped us since September. Without them we could not have managed to hold the snack sales every month.

Damiana (mom of Emanuele 6P & Lorenzo 2P)

Julie (mom of Milo & Lou 4P)

Maria (mom of Daniel 2P)

Rachana (mom of Kyna 2P)

**Thank
you!**

This year's yummy snacks



We have a **new fundraising idea** and we need your input!

As most parents, we struggle to come up with new ideas for meals. Therefore we thought of compiling our very own

Mosaic Cookbook

During the summer, we would like you to send us recipes of dishes from your culture that your kids love. You are not limited to one dish nor to one culture. Please send a photo of the dishes as well.

To get involved with this project, send us a message at parents@ecolemosaic.ch. Our plan is to have the cookbook ready for mid-Autumn!



If your child is inspired to draw a cover for our cookbook, send us their ideas. The chosen drawing will have an “Artist credit” on the cover & will receive a free copy

HAVE YOU PURCHASED YOUR MOSAIC WATER BOTTLE?

Whether for sports, for picnics,
or for hikes, this bottle is
light, resistant & easy to carry

Email us on parents@ecolemosaic.ch to order your bottle.

The Neva bottle is an alternative in the battle against disposable plastic water bottles. With the use of durable Tritan for the 450ml bottle, Neva can be used over and over again. The fabric strap has a double function. It allows you to easily carry the leakproof bottle and it serves as a quick release of the drinking sprout. Registered design®



20 CHF

We are ready to support a new project for the 2019-2020 school year.

Please send us your ideas to further enrich school life for our kids.

Check out our website (<https://parents.ecolemosaic.ch/en/>) for more information about our past projects (scooter parking, piano, theater costumes...).

We need volunteers to help us

You can choose to either be very active & physically present at our events or by helping-out here and there from home.

Example of tasks you can contribute to:

- ☐ **Snack sale volunteers (helping out one Thursday afternoon a month)**
- ☐ **French or English translators or proofreaders for our communication**
- ☐ **Photographers for our events**
- ☐ **Project coordinators (ex. the cookbook initiative)**
- ☐ **Charity coordinators (ex. Christmas toy drive)**
- ☐ **Newsletter designers**
- ☐ **Website update**

**If you have a few hours to spare, please let us know at:
parents@ecolemosaic.ch**