

**Is your child innovative, creative, and has a passion for science?**

Join us for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual  
Science & Invention Convention  
for 3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Students  
Saturday, February 11, 2012,  
Montgomery High School

*Sponsored by the MMS PTO and MES PTA*



**Morning Session:** 9:30am-11:30am or

**Afternoon Session:** 12:15pm-2:15pm

In-between the sessions all children and their families are invited to a science demonstration!

**During this non-competitive event each participant or team of participants will prepare a project in advance to discuss with an evaluator in their Science & Invention Convention “uniform” (special t-shirt) and will receive a medal and certificate of accomplishment!**

**Entry Fee per Inventor:** \$17 includes a t-shirt, medal and certificate of completion and demonstration for the participant and their family. *Please note: this event is not a fundraiser.*

**How Do We Choose a Project?** Get creative, think of an idea, brainstorm, execute! Ideas can include improving a process, understanding how something works, or anything that your child shows interest in and gets excited about!

**How Does the Science & Invention Convention Day Work?** Students set up their project on a table and wait for the “evaluators” (i.e. our parent-volunteer judges) to present their projects. They will be asked a few simple questions (questions are designed to make the children feel empowered-no trick questions). The judge presents them with their medal and certificate.

**How Do We Register?** Registration can be completed and paid for on-line (through Pay-Pal) at the MES PTA website [www.vespta.org](http://www.vespta.org).

**Questions?** Always feel free to contact your co-chairs Khurt Williams [khurtwilliams@gmail.com](mailto:khurtwilliams@gmail.com) for MMS and Amy Haberman Gomez [amyhab5@gmail.com](mailto:amyhab5@gmail.com) for VES if you have any questions or if you would like to volunteer to be an evaluator, help with concession sales or set up and/or take down.

**Click here for some project examples and resources!**