

SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL

Task Force Meeting

September 15th, 2022



SRTS TASK FORCE'S OBJECTIVES



SRTS Task Force is a space to share information/ideas on SRTS, engage the community around SRTS, partner on events and activities and support schools and school districts in the implementation of the strategy.

Roles

- Define and collaborate on objectives, goals, and milestones for the Menlo Park SRTS program;
- Help organize or support different tasks and activities; and
- Be a liaison to share information and market the program to your school community.



AGENDA



- 1. Introductions
- 2. School-led Activities and Priorities
- 3. SRTS Program 2022-23
- 4. SRTS Champion Recruitment and Orientation
- 5. Traffic and Safety Updates
- 6. Collaborative Data and Contact Management
- 7. City Project Updates
- 8. Announcements
- 9. Next Meetings

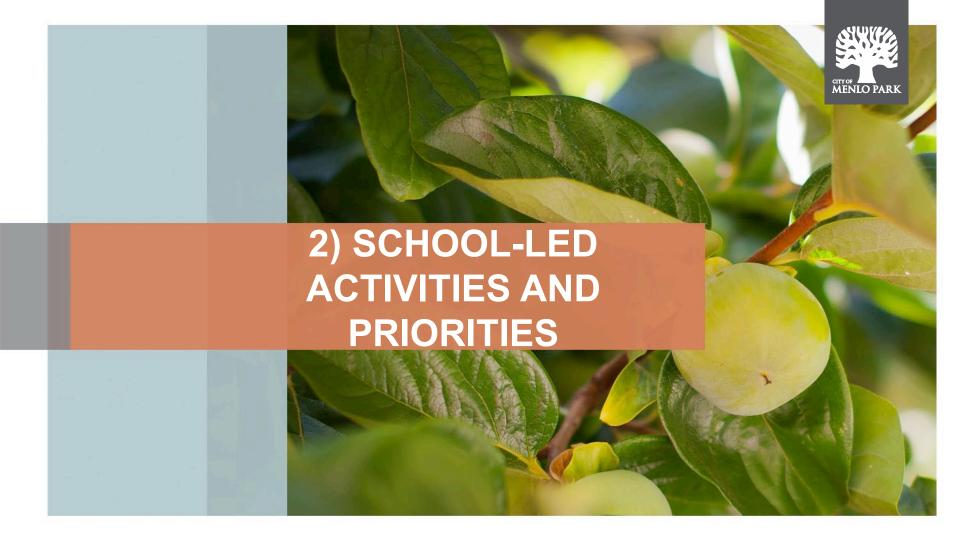






INTRODUCTIONS

- Name
- Agency / Organization
- Something you are looking forward to this fall





SCHOOL-LED ACTIVITIES AND PRIORITIES



- Walk and Roll activities planned for the fall?
- Priorities for the school year?
- How the Menlo Park SRTS Program can better support school-based events?







Fall 2022

- 1 school walk audit TBD
- Pedestrian Curriculum Training and Implementation Support
- Ruby Bridges Walk to School Day

Spring 2023

- 1 school walk audit TBD
- Crossing Guard Appreciation Week
- Bike Month Celebrations and Spring Party





Walk Audit

Prioritization based on data such as HIN, FFRMP, Enviro Screen, City limits, etc.









Pedestrian Curriculum Teacher Training

Week 2, Day 3.

Day 3: Crossing Safety

Note: This lesson requires preparation!

- <u>Objectives</u>: Applying lessons from Week 1 into a crosswalk context
- <u>Materials</u>: Jump rope/bean bags/basketballs for exercise stations, model roadways/crosswalk/intersection mats, laminated pedestrian signs
- Introductory activities: Review vocab and concepts from Week 1 and introduce new words, explain non-verbal communication
- Main activity (we will practice!): Crosswalk demonstration
- · Closing activity: Ball activity for review











- Ruby Bridges Walk to School Day 4th year!
- Crossing Guard Appreciation Week



Crossing Guard Appreciation Week celebrated at Encinal Elementary



Ruby Bridges Walk to School Day at TIDE Academy and Laurel School, November 2020







May Bike Month

- Spring Party (last one was in 2019)
- Video Challenge
- Motherload Documentary Movie Screening





MOTHERLOAD

Kid tested. Planet approved.

SUN, MARCH 22, 2020 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm ARRILLAGA FAMILY RECREATION CENTER
700 Alma Street, Menlo Park

Ticket: motherloadmovie-menlopark eventhrite.com



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SRTS CHAMPION AND VOLUNTEER RECRUITMENT



- Volunteer Interest Form: Build a volunteer network for each school
- SRTS Champion Orientation
 - How to plan a Walk and Roll event
 - Support available from the Menlo Park SRTS Program
 - Other? What would be helpful?







COLLABORATIVE DATA/CONTACT MANAGEMENT



- Online tool for SRTS partners
- View information such as school champion contacts, student tally data
- Upload survey data, reports, other documents
- Collaborative calendar, e.g. Task Force meeting, school bike rodeos, walk to school days, etc.
- We are exploring a platform like AirTable. Other suggestions?





CITY PROJECT UPDATES



- Coleman/Ringwood Avenues Study
 Walk tours this week with the projects partners
- Sharon Road Sidewalk Project is Complete







CITY PROJECT UPDATES



Middle Avenue Complete Streets project





 New School loading zone on Terminal Ave for Beechwood School







SAVE THE DATES!



- December 15, 2022, 9 am
- March 16, 2023, 9 am
- June 15, 2023, 9 am



THANK YOU!

