



Croptopia Details

When? March 23rd, 24th & 25th

- o Friday 6pm-1am
- o Saturday 8am-1am
- o Sunday 9am-4pm

Where? MTCES Student Center, 7197 Mother Teresa Lane, Liberty Township, Ohio 45044

Why? To support the children of MTCES

Who? *Whether you have children at MTCES or not, this event is for you!* EVERYONE who loves crafts, whether it's scrapbooking, card making, jewelry making, knitting, etc. is welcome.

What is included with my registration? Hours of scrapbooking fun (come and go as you please), 6' of rectangular table space, dinner (for Saturday attendees), snacks and drinks for everyone, a welcome bag with some great goodies, free entry for some amazing raffle prizes, and a guaranteed great time socializing with your friends!

Is this just for hard core scrapbookers? No, this event is for ALL CRAFTERS including people who like scrapbooking, jewelry making, knitting, stamping, card making, etc. If you're a scrapbooker who feels like you're so disorganized that you wouldn't even know where to start, just come and sort your pictures. It's your time, use it however you want.

You offer raffle prizes? Cool! How do I get entered? We have lined up some really great raffle prizes....and the best part?.....you automatically get one raffle ticket free with your registration! Additional raffle tickets will be available for purchase the day of the event if you'd like to increase your chances of winning that great prize you have your eye on! 😊 There is no limit to the number of raffle prizes you can win and you do not need to be present to win.

Will you have scrapbooking items for sale? We will have a good selection of scrapbooking supplies for sale, but in general you should come prepared with your own supplies or contact our consultants ahead of time if you need to place an order, that way they can have your order ready for you that day. If you're new to the world of scrapbooking our Creative Memories consultant has a great deal on a beginner's kit of scrapbooking supplies! See contact information below. There will also be a variety of supplies you can borrow from our consultants including a Sizzix Machine, punches, circle and oval cutting system, and a Cricut. (If you plan to use the Cricut please bring your own sticky mat).

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Some Scrappin' Extras (tips and info)

I'm a foodie. Will there be food? Yes, there will be LOTS of food! In addition to free snacks, treats, and drinks, we will also serve dinner (on Saturday only); all included with your registration. Cups will be available, but you may want to bring your favorite closed container to drink out of if you are afraid of spilling on your scrapbooks or pictures. Coffee will also be available at all times. This event will be alcohol free.

What should I wear? Because everyone is comfortable at different temperatures, come dressed in layers. This is a casual event so dress comfortably. Heck if you want to wear your slippers and PJ's we don't care. 😊

Can I bring music? Yes, we welcome you to get your groove on and do a little chair dancing while you scrap if you're so inclined. Since different people have different tastes in music, just be sure to bring a set of headphones. We kindly ask that you DO NOT play CD's, radios or iPods at your table that can be heard by all. This can be very distracting to people who are hearing music from multiple directions. As we move into the later hours we may turn on a radio for the group to keep people energized. We'll play it by ear (get it?) 😊 and see what the majority wants.

Will you have a "Swap Table?" Yes, this has been a huge hit at other scrapbooking events so we'd like to make it available at Croptopia. Swap tables will provide everyone with a place to share unused scrapbook supplies. Just place your unused and unwanted paper, stickers, etc. on this table for others who may need those items. In return, feel free to take items that you have been looking for to complete your page. Likewise, if you have new or used scrapbooking items you want to sell feel free to bring those too and we'll have a separate table for those items.

I totally can't scrapbook without my Cricut, will electricity be available?

Electricity is available, but is limited. Because of this, we cannot guarantee electrical access, but we will make every reasonable attempt to meet your request. Please team up with your friends by bringing a single electronic device to share (Cricut, etc.) If you are scrapbooking digitally and electricity is a must for your laptop, please let us know that during registration.

Will I have access to the internet?

Access to the internet is available. An MTCES IT staff member will be on hand to set up access on your computer, but because he isn't a scrapbooker 😊 he will not be around for the entire event. If you need access to the internet please note it on your registration form and give us an idea of what times you'll be at the event and we will make every reasonable attempt to coordinate his schedule with yours.

Can I leave my stuff overnight?

You are welcome to leave your supplies overnight. While MTCES can't be held responsible for items damaged or stolen, the school building will be locked every night for security.



What if I need a place to stay locally?

Wingate by Wyndham 513-777-1101

Howard Johnson 513-539-9221

Economy Inn West Chester 1-877-747-8713

Comfort Inn 513-539-2660

Hampton Inn 513-539-4400

Registration Q&A

How do I register?

Complete the attached registration form and email it to Noel Balster at nbalster@mtces.org, or return the registration form with payment to the school office, or mail your registration form and payment to 7197 Mother Teresa Lane, Liberty Township, Ohio 45044.

How can I pay for my registration fee?

For your convenience we offer many ways to pay.

1. **Cash/Check** - Make check payable to MTCES
2. **Visa/Master Card** – please supply your card number along with expiration date and 3-digit code on back
3. **Charge to your school billing statement** – This is only for families of MTCES

What if I sign up, but then I can't make it?

Your registration is non-refundable, but is transferable.

Can I bring my kids?

Unfortunately, childcare is not available at this event and for their safety we ask that you please do not bring children. Give your kids the chance to spend some quality time with a friend or family member while you enjoy a day just for you.

I love this idea! How much does it cost?

Sign up for more days and save!!!

- Friday, 6pm-1am, \$30
- Saturday, 8am-1am, \$45
- Sunday 9am-4pm, \$30
- Any two days for \$65
- All three days \$95

Our Goal is to provide a relaxing, rejuvenating, and enjoyable time with your friends and/or family members. Come join us and have a great time!