OMC First Handout

Thursday, September 15, 2016 9:26 AM

Welcome...

...to the Other Math Club. This piece of paper is full of notes and notice they are rather flat.

Schedule

- The first meeting is or was on September 19 after Tutorial: Room 2208.
- The Parent Information Meeting is Wednesday evening September 21 at 7pm at Tyee, Room 2202
- Club meets on Mondays. Bring your friends to the meetings. All welcome, 6th graders encouraged to attend!

What We Will Do...

This year we shall be doing mathematics of the type you might not see in class or in a competition. Mathematics is after all very broad. We shall concentrate on mysterious mathematics, mathematics that requires bad acting and mathematics that goes on to infinity before it reaches the edge of the page. The club will be slightly strange at times. You may like it. You may not. But whatever else happens the Other Math Club will challenge you.

Club sponsorship

The club is sponsored by the Tyee PTSA and supported by Bellevue Schools Foundation. It is built out by Rob Fatland. Who is he? Rob is a Tyee parent and PTSA member. (He is also the Bellevue Schools Foundation Ambassador to Tyee this year.) He works in research computing at the University of Washington and he has been doing freelance math and science education outreach with kids for 22 years.

Website

There are two websites supporting the Other Math Club. One is informational, the other is for computation and is not yet available. The informational one is at http://cloudraven.org. Please click on the buttons under the heading **Other Math Club**.

First Problem

How is a raven like a writing desk?