Camas Ridge PTO

March 18, 2014

Parents : 10   Teachers: Nicole

Recent Events.

Sock Hop A Thon:  Made about $6000 . Got a little crazy in the gym. Maybe smaller groups next year will help.

Wild Duck fundraiser; Not sure yet how much we made. Jennifer will check in with Diane.

Maybe Mazzis for April and Falling Sky for May?

Chiphotle made $642 last time.

Ninkasi June 12th. Probably still a restaurant too.

Laughing Planet for October.

**$10:00 Hair Cuts at 4th Dimension Salon**

During the month of April, Camas Ridge parent Christina Stone (Hazels’ mom) and her talented staff, will be giving $10.00 haircuts for interested Camas Ridge students. 100% of the proceeds will be donated to Camas Ridge. Get a great haircut and help Camas Ridge all at the same time. A huge thanks to Christina and her staff for donating 100% of the proceeds to Camas Ridge  1262 Lawrence #7

Red Wagon Creamery could come to carnival. Maybe wood fired pizza?

All School Playdate and Garden Work Party. Saturday April 5th. Tom will play with kids.

Helping Hearts rummage sale April 13th. Drop off April 11th. Volunteer sign up by the front door.

Art Walk and Spaghetti Feed. April 10th. We need about 40 pounds of pasta. Spaghetti and some Clean up volunteers. Liz Kruse is in charge. We need about $90/kid for the outdoor school. $2000 raised so far.

Celebration of Culture is April 11th. Penny needs some help. Flyer has gone home.

Jog a thon is May 2nd. We should know by then what we need to make for staff for next year.

Carnival, Camille Foskett, June 5th. Photo booth for carnival was donated by someone who won it.

Pedal Powered movie night or at the carnival?

Pints for a Cause, June 12th. Noon to 10pm. $1/PINT. A couple of dads are playing music from 6:30-9:30pm. Don't have to show a flyer. Anyone who walks in the door will be able to support the school.
Site Council. Last meeting. Updating what the teachers have been doing with professional development days. Community Living projects. Project Based Learning this Friday. Teachers will be at Edgewood, collaborating with south Eugene schools. Edison is talking about science, Edgewood writing and Camas Project Based Learning.

Camas is working hard on writing.

School choice happened. Large influx of parents interested this year. Waiting for call backs from lottery acceptance. 25-30 Kinder was the goal. 40 Kinders for next year. We need 1st graders.

Budget. Goal $75K but expecting to raise just $50K. No picture of staffing. We are likely to lose an FTE.


Summer events playdates. Host for each one. Will talk more about that later.

Next year, maybe every other meeting will have a theme or topic. What things do we want to talk about. Start first one with welcoming activities. School needs and requirements.

PTO Elections.

Position descriptions are on website, but will go out in newsletters. People can nominate themselves.

All classrooms will be peanut free and NO candy.

A few teachers are looking for items to use in their project classes. If you have items to donate, please bring them directly to the room:

1. Mary Christensen - Room 13, Small Small World Project:
   - Boxes (size small to medium), cardboard, frames, small pieces of wood
   - Old trays, tins, containers
   - Mismatched or broken jewelry and chains. Extra points for sparkle
   - Nuts, bolts, wire and springs, pipe cleaners, keys, small tiles
   - Natural objects: seed pods, pebbles, cones, dried flowers. Ribbons & lace
   - Magazines w/interior & exterior scenes: Architecture mags, Pottery Barn, National Geographic . . .

2. Mark Thornton – the Gym : sport magazines and sport sections of newspapers

3. Kathy Walker – Room 14: Old magazines, flower seeds for this time of the year, buttons (any kind)