PFC MONTHLY NEWS

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October/November 2018

Upcoming Events



October

17-Collaboration Day
19-PFC Trunk or Treat, 6pm-8pm,
Staff parking lot
22-26- PFC/ASB Red Ribbon Week
24-Collaboration Day
31-Halloween Parade, minimum day

November

2-Trimester 1 end, minimum day
7-Collaboration Day
7-PFC General Meeting, 6pm-7pm,
DES Library
12-Veteran's Day, no school
16-Teacher Work Day, no school
19-23, Thanksgiving Break
28-Collaboration Day

ASB Boo Grams are back!

This Halloween give a gift of the creepy crawly kind, a jumping spider! See who's spider can jump the highest or the farthest! Buy Boo Grams for your friends and/or your whole class! They are just \$0.50 each or an entire class for \$10. Sales will begin Friday, October 19 and go through Monday, October 29. Look for them before and after school at the front entrance.

This fun fundraiser will help offset the cost of the 4th grade Sacramento field trip.

Dear Dublin El Families,

As the holiday seasons (and accompanying stress) rolls upon us, we would like to issue this gentle reminder to our supportive community.

ALL active PFC members: Board, Event Managers, Committee Coordinators, are just volunteers. The vast majority of us, including 100% of the current 6 member Board, are gainfully employed outside of our volunteer duties. We are not compensated financially or in any other manner for our time, other than the positive, respectful, and kind support we sometimes receive from the community-at-large. Each of our families make tremendous sacrifices that allow us to enhance the student and community experience at Dublin Elementary.

We ask that you, as the community-at-large, continue to provide and show your support with kind intentions, respectful words, and most importantly, positive attendance at all the great PFC events we have lined up this year. It takes a village and we all have the opportunity to role model positive behavior!

The PFC offers many ways for our Dublin El community to stay up-to-date. We highly encourage you to connect with us on Facebook, subscribe to our weekly e-newsletter from our website (dublinpfc.org), and read our monthly printed newsletter that goes home with your child.

Last but never least, The PFC Dollar-A-Day-Donation Drive is open year round on the www.dublinpfc.org website. Simply click on donate to support.

In Health, Laura & Christopher Gan, 2017-2019 Co-Presidents



PFC Trunk or Treat

THIS Friday, October 19, 6-8pm!

Join the PFC for our first ever Trunk-or-treat event! Decorate your car, yourself, and your family, and we will supply the treats and goodies! Participating vehicles are automatically entered in a raffle to win an ASB sponsored parking space for a month! There will be music, food trucks, and a fun

scavenger hunt for the kids.

We have 2 awesome food trucks lined up, Road Dogs (roaminghunger.com) and 3Geeks (3geekstruck.com), who will be donating 10% of all sales back to the PFC. To register your car or to volunteer for the event go to **dublinpfc.org/tot**

To donate nut-free treats and non-food goodies, please drop into the PFC Trunk or Treat box inside the school office.

Arielle Kurtze, PFC Trunk or Treat Event Manager, trunkortreat@dublinpfc.org



PFC Spirit Wear NEW PURCHASE opportunities coming in November!



PFC Ice Cream Cart

Need a new ice cream card? Cards can be purchased through the Dublin PFC website. Just click on "Ice Cream Cards" at the top of the page.

We are several purchased ice cream cards waiting for pick up at the ice cream cart. Be sure to stop by after school on Friday to pick them up.

We still need volunteers for Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons. If you are able to stay an extra 20 minutes after school, please consider volunteering once a week at the ice cream cart. It's easy and fun!

Elizabeth Hallett, icecreamcart@dublinpfc.org.



PFC Box Tops

For the month of September we collected \$78.70. Here are the Top Collectors for each grade level:

- DK/Kinder Bright (70 BoxTops)
- 1st McLeod (79 BoxTops)
- 2nd Leu (76 BoxTops)
- 4th Stanchina (39 BoxTops)
- 5th LeRoy (138 BoxTops)
- Unlabeled 325 BoxTops

Each top collector classroom has earned a special ASB "Pops for Tops" treat!

Our first Box Tops submission for the school year will be mailed in on November 1st. Be sure to drop into the PFC Blue Box before the end of October!

Please contact Tina Park at boxtops@dublinpfc.org.



PFC CPK Dine-Out

Dine at CPK in Stoneridge Mall from Oct 1st – Dec 31st and let the cashier know you are supporting the Dublin El PFC.

20% of your check will be donated back to Dublin Elementary.

Great to use for a night out with family or company holiday parties this fall! If your family received more than one card, please feel free to give your extras to friends and family. Thank you for supporting Dublin E!!!

Card is valid for all dine-in (including alcoholic beverages), take out and catering purchases, but not valid towards gift card purchases.

dineouts@dublinpfc.org

DUSD Nutrition Update

If you want to bring food into the classroom "store bought" is the way to go. All the items will have nutrition labels with ingredients and allergens listed. Bulk or individually wrapped is your choice. Individually wrapped is a safer choice when it comes to not spreading germs but the cost will probably be more. If you hand out the items using napkins, tongs or wearing a plastic glove that should suffice. AND you'll be giving the kids a good example of food safety awareness! I'm also glad to hear about offering fruit, veggies and lower sodium items. The less processed the better.

Frank Castro, Director, Child Nutrition Services, DUSD

ASB Jaws-a-thon Wrap Up

We hope you had a totally JAWsome day at the 7th Annual Jaws-a-thon! *Join us on Friday, October 26th for our wrap up assembly from 9:15am-10am on the blacktop.* There will be prizes raffled for students who raised \$45 or more as well as a raffle for our volunteers and teachers. We will also announce our top male/female runners per grade level, top male/female teacher runners, the first ever grade level spirit winner, our top fundraising class, our top fundraising students as well as our total miles run and most importantly our fundraising grand total!

Be prepared, if the students raised over \$45,000 our very own Ms. McGovern and Ms. Koeppen will be jumping into a giant bowl of rice krispies, and who wouldn't want to see that?!?!

A huge thank you to our amazing Dublin Elementary community for coming out. We had over 100 volunteers and that's what makes this event so special and successful.

This was our first year taking the event 100% digital with almost 700 students register on our website. We appreciate your support of the website and are enjoyed not spending days locked in the shark tank counting money! We want to thank the following corporate sponsors for their support of our students and this event: Supermercado Mi Tierra, La Quinta Inn and Suites, Cato's Paving, Dante Gonzales DMD MSD & Associates, Dos Coyotes, Paradigm Drywall, State Farm Insurance A.J. Amstrup, The Swenson Group, Living Oak Design, Little Smile Makers Children's Dentistry, Lina Khouri Photography, and The Fit Potato. Additional thanks to the following places for their prize donations: Baskin Robins, Boomers, Buffalo Wild Wings, Clementine's, Dublin Iceland, Earl Anthony Bowl, Loard's Ice Cream, Lucille's Smokehouse Barbecue, Zone Laser Tag, Country Waffles, Pump It Up, and Erik's Deli Café.

Thank You, Kristin Speck, Kim Gehrke, and Jen Freitas, totallyjawsome2015@gmail.com