

April, 2018

Dublin Elementary Parent Faculty Club

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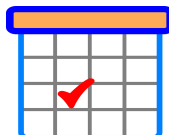
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Upcoming Events



April

18,19,20-Art for Kinder/DK

23,24,25,26-PFC Dos Coyote

Dine-out

30-Start of PFC Teacher

Appreciation Week

May

2-PFC Meeting 6:30pm-7:30pm,

MPR, -Elections

4-End of PFC Teacher

Appreciation Week

4-PFC Teacher Appreciation

Lunch

11-PFC Spring Carnival

3:15pm-7pm

25-PFC Field Day @ 9-2

31-5th Grade Promotion*

31-Minimum Day*

June

1-Last Day of School-Minimum

Day*

State Testing 4/23-5/16*

Ice Cream Cart:

Any day is a good day for ice cream!

As a reminder, students can now pick up

pre-purchased ice

cream cards at the ice cream cart on Fridays. For DK/K, cards can be picked up from the ice cream cart volunteer on Mondays.



Dear Dublin EI Families,

Happy Spring!

We are so proud to announce 5 new nominee's to the PFC Executive Board. Please take a moment to read their self-introductions on page 2. The PFC is winding down the school year by gearing up for some major annual events. We are excited to spend more time with our community at Spring Carnival and Field Day in May. Be sure to take a peek at the volunteer sign up sheets that our Committee Chairs have put together. There is a role for everyone!

PFC Board Elections will be held at the May 2, 2018 PFC Meeting

In Health,

Laura & Christopher Gan

2017-2019 Co-Presidents

Box Tops:

In March 2018, we collected \$126, which is the largest monthly total over the last 5 months! Great job! Please continue to turn in your BoxTops to your child's classroom with their teacher's name, so they can receive credit for the challenge. Here are the Top Collectors for each grade level:

PreK – Chicconi (50 BoxTops)

Kinder – No teacher names

1st – McLeod (7 Boxtops)

2nd – De Oliviera (40 BoxTops)

3rd – Conner/Moylan (45 BoxTops)

4th – Buchanan (216 BoxTops)

5th – LeRoy (57 BoxTops)

Unlabeled – 696 BoxTops

Thank you for your continued support! -Jean Huang, BoxTops Chair



ASB

Parents and families, thank you so much for your fundraising support this year! With your contributions, we have purchased art supplies, science lab materials, Chromebooks, headsets, iPads, PE and playground equipment, musical instruments, character education software, Scholastic News, seeds and tools for the garden, field trips, and more! Our students have certainly experienced a fun and meaningful year! In addition, we thank you so much for your volunteer hours in the classroom and throughout campus. Your presence and participation means so much to our kids. The DES team is truly grateful.

This month, our Student Council is hosting "Pennies for Patients", now through April 27th. The coins collected will support children and families fighting leukemia. If you would like to make a donation, please send it to your child's classroom teacher.

On a final note, please help us welcome, Ms. Ellen Botsford, our new Attendance Clerk. Ms. Botsford brings tremendous enthusiasm and expertise to our team. We are thrilled to have her join our Shark community! - Lauren McGovern

Parent Faculty Club Board Nominee's for 2018-2020

My name is Noel McLaughlin, and I have accepted a nomination for the position of Co-Director of Volunteers. I have been an active parent volunteer and attended Parent Faculty Club meetings for 2 years and Co-Chaired Red Ribbon Week. I also am an elected board member on the School Site Council. I have one child who is in 3rd grade at Dublin Elementary. I feel my experience attending PFC meetings and acting on the board of the SSC will help me be a successful contributor to the PFC.

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Hello. My name is Ricardo Martinez and I have accepted the nomination for the position of Co-Director of Volunteers. I am a Bay Area native and have been a resident of the Tri-Valley for the majority of the last 15 years. I have 2 children, the youngest of whom is currently a first grader here at Dublin Elementary. Having grown up here in the Bay Area, I have attended UC Berkeley and have spent the majority of my career with PG&E and UCSF/UCSF Medical Center. Over the years I have lent assistance and support to help both maintain and establish several non-profits throughout the Bay Area. Additionally, I have actively volunteered time with several local schools here in the East Bay, most recently here at Dublin Elementary and REACH Academy in Oakland.

I am looking forward to contributing more to our local community and lend my talents to help further the work already being done by the current and past board and volunteers.

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Hi, my name is Scott Dussault and I have accepted the nomination for PFC Co-Secretary. My wife, Sarah and I have two children here at Dublin El. Alex who is in the first grade and Rebekah who is in fourth grade. We also have a soon-to-be three year old daughter, Madeline, who I am currently staying at home with. I am a Web and Graphic Designer by trade.

Before moving back to the bay area, we spent 11 years in South Florida, where I worked as a Senior Digital Media Designer in the Office of Public Communications for Broward County, the second largest county in Florida. Broward County consists of more than 60 agencies and includes 31 municipalities. I spent 10 years there designing, building, and maintaining websites for county agencies and consulting them on social media outreach and email marketing. Before that I worked at various small to medium size business as a web and graphic designer as well as a freelancer. I have 20 years of experience in both the print and digital world. I look forward to utilizing my career talents to help the PFC advance it's goals, boost website presence, streamline marketing and communications, and to get more parents involved. Thank you.

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My name is Xela Genovese and I have accepted the nomination for PFC Co-Secretary. I have two daughters, who are currently in first and third grade. Before my girls were born, I worked in administration and marketing, and currently I work part-time as a playground supervisor, so I've had the opportunity to get to know many of our fantastic students!

Our family moved to the Bay Area from Utah about 6 years ago and we really love it here. This is our second year at Dublin El and we feel very fortunate to be part of such a terrific school! I have enjoyed helping with some of the fun PFC events this year, such as the ice cream social and the family dance, and I'm looking forward to becoming more actively involved with the PFC as the Co-Secretary next year.

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Hello. My name is Jean Huang and I'm a nominee for the 2018-2020 Co-Treasurer position. I currently have a third grade daughter at this school. I graduated from UCLA with an economics major and then went from auditing to accounting. When we moved from Los Angeles to the Bay Area, I quit and became a stay at home mom. Now I provide translation services for the Dublin District and work on BoxTops. I'm hoping to further support the school and help continue the great work of the current Treasurers. Thank you!

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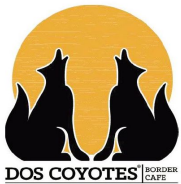
## Field Day



Friday, May 25th is our 5th Annual Field Day sponsored by the PFC. This is a great day when kids get to burn off some of that spring fever energy. Stay tuned for an online volunteer sign-up link since it takes a village to pull off this fun day. The grade level schedule will also be posted in an eblast in the upcoming weeks. We're bringing back fun events like the chicken toss, a soccer relay, sponge relay, an obstacle course, volleyball, frisbee toss and the inner tube relay. We're looking forward to seeing many parent volunteers out to help celebrate the end of another wonderful school year.

We are looking for someone who is interested in taking over as chairperson next year for this event. It is really fun and simple event to coordinate and planning starts about 6 weeks prior to the event. It consists of picking 6-8 field activities, coordinating a grade level schedule, schoolwide written announcements, coordinating volunteers the day of the event and of course, running the event on the day with set-up and clean up. Please email Jen Freitas if you have any interest. We'd love to have someone shadow some of the planning this year to simplify the transition. [jlf7800@gmail.com](mailto:jlf7800@gmail.com)

## Dos Coyote Dine-Out



Come dine for lunch or dinner at Dos Coyotes Border Café at The Crow Canyon Commons 3191 Crow Canyon Pl, San Ramon from 11am - 9pm between April 23rd - April 26th. 20% of your bill will be donated to

Dublin Elementary PFC! Show the cashier the coupon or simply tell the cashier you are there to support Dublin Elementary PFC when ordering. Thank you for your support!!

## PFC SPRING CARNIVAL



Step right up and join us for an afternoon of fun and entertainment on **Friday, May 11, from 3-7pm** at the Dublin Elementary Spring Carnival! Don't miss out on all the excitement! Come see Dante the Stilt Walker, Rudy the amazing balloon twister and be sure to play everyone's favorite game, Shower

the Teacher!

**ORDER YOUR TICKETS EARLY!** Don't delay! Drop off your Carnival Ticket Order Form with payment in the PFC box, located in front of the office, **no later than Tuesday, May 8**, to have your carnival tickets delivered to your child's classroom on May 11. This will save lots of time! Games open at 3:15pm. An order form is attached to this PFC Newsletter. Online ordering will be available shortly after the Newsletter release via [www.dublinpfc.org](http://www.dublinpfc.org).

Since this is a volunteer-run event, the success of our carnival depends on all our wonderful Dublin EI parents and family members! Be sure to sign-up early to run your favorite game. The Spring Carnival Volunteer Signup can be found at Signupgenius.com through this link: [Spring Carnival-Volunteers](#) **Please sign-up to volunteer today!**

**Guess Again Jars:** This fun carnival game is very popular with the kids! If they guess the correct amount of items in a jar, baggy, cup, bucket, etc., they get to keep the prize! We need lots of containers for this game. They can be filled with candy, small toys, or fun little trinkets. Beginning May 2<sup>nd</sup>, there will be a bin placed outside the office to accept these items. Please consider donating a couple of containers today!

**Cake Walk Items:** If you enjoy baking, we need your help! Lots of yummy treats are needed for this game. Baked items should be divided into 6-8 pieces per plate and marked if they contain nuts. Items can be dropped off at the MPR stage the morning of May 11. Sign-up to donate today: [Spring Carnival-Donations](#)

Mark your calendar for this fun family event!

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