Ocean Grove P.A.C. News

April 10, 2013



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Mark your Calendars!

-April 15thdeadline for
donated items
to be handed in
for Basket
Raffle

-**April 25**thPotluck Lunch

-May 10th-Basket Raffle

Potluck Lunch

Our next Potluck lunch is fast-approaching! The date for this event is **April 25/13**. We ask that you please send your child to school that day with a (preferably healthy) dish to contribute to the lunch. The food can be dropped off at the school kitchen in the morning. Some ideas are: little sandwiches or wraps, veggie and fruit platters, crackers and cheese, pasta salad, etc... Please be advised that most of the left- over food will be donated to the Salvation Army Lighthouse Shelter.

Also, if you could please send your child that day with a plastic plate and utensils in a grocery bag, that would be appreciated. **We still need several volunteers to help prep, serve and/or clean up after this event.** Any amount of time that you could give between 11:00 and 1:00-2:00 that day would be appreciated. Please see the sign-up at the following link if you can help out at this event. These lunches are always a hit with the kids!

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheet/ccc?key=0Agt aE8aKWkIdEIEYXVObnZ

SZDIhamQzRHAyUG50Q0E&usp=sharing



Hot Lunch Program-2013/14 School Year

We regret to inform you that it was decided at the last P.A.C. meeting that since we have not had any volunteers to coordinate the Hot Lunch program for the next school year, we will have to cancel it.

The PAC would like to remind parents and caregivers that the Hot Lunch program can be changed to a different day of the week if this makes it more possible for someone to take on the coordinator role. As well, the PAC will purchase an online hot lunch computer program that will help streamline the process and make it easier for the coordinator. If you are interested in this position, please let Tara Idiens know ASAP at tidiens@gmail.com or 250-923-2193.

Spring Fling Basket Raffle

A reminder that we will be holding a basket raffle on May 10/13 as a fundraiser for the P.A.C. We are looking for donations of an approximately \$5.00 item following the theme of your

child/ren's class (see reverse page). The deadline for your child to hand in the donated item is April 15/13. Items can be handed in to your child's teacher.

Mrs. Sewid's class: Arts and Crafts *Mrs. Couture's class*: Summer Fun

Mrs. Hatfield's class: Camping/Outdoor fun Mrs. Ferguson's class: Coffee/Tea lovers

Mr. Riemer's class: Sports

Mrs. Kolmaticki's class: Movie night

There will also be baskets provided by the office staff, the PAC, and the library so you will have plenty to choose from!

Also, a reminder that we will need a few baskets or bins to display these items in, so if you have any you would like to donate please drop those off at the school also.

Tickets will be on sale every school day between April 29th and May 10th. We hope to be able to sell the tickets both in the morning before school and after school as well, however we still need volunteers to help with the ticket sales in order to make this happen. Please see the following link to sign-up to help out!

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheet/ccc?key=0Agt_aE8aKWkldGRHYjdSM2RTN2dxdTFhSDRPbEJ1cmc&usp=sharing#gid=0

Raffle basket draws will be made after sales close on the morning of Friday, May 10th so prizes can be picked up before the Mother's Day weekend. The ticket costs will be 10/\$5.



Next P.A.C. Meeting

Our next P.A.C. meeting will take place on **April 29th at 6:30 PM** in the library. Free babysitting will be provided. Everyone is welcome!

"Like" us on Facebook

Just another reminder that the P.A.C. also communicates information through our "Ocean Grove Elementary School PAC Information Only" page. Once we make it to 85 likes, we will do another draw for a chocolate surprise basket!



We are open to comments and questions! Please contact Tara Idiens at tidiens@gmail.com or 250-923-2193.