



Pacific Primary

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OCTOBER 8, 2009

CALENDAR

Monday, October 26 5-6:15pm

Town Hall Meeting "Preparing for the Flu Season",
presented by the Health and Safety Committee OSS
Music Room

Tuesday, October 27 5-6:15pm

"Parents for Public School" presentation
OSS Music Room

Friday, October 30

Black and Orange Day & Halloween Sing-Along NO
COSTUMES, PLEASE! Wear orange & black clothing

Friday, November 6 6pm-9pm

Book Fair at Books Inc. on Van Ness - SAVE THE DATE

BOOK FAIR REQUEST

The Book Fair Committee is planning an exciting event this year! They are requesting a few more donated items to be prizes for the raffle. Some ideas: IPod, Flip camcorder, iTouch, restaurant/store gift certificates, family child photography session with prints, airline miles, etc. Please contact either Joan at the OSS or Angela Young at ayoung96@gmail.com
Thank you!

CHOOSING AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

We had a huge turnout for our first parent workshop held in late September. We discussed how school choice is a very personal decision and that each family must decide on their own what school matches and corresponds with their values. Please know that we will

be happy to meet with individual families to answer questions and offer support through this process. Parents for Public School will be presenting a workshop at school on Tuesday, October 27 from 5pm-6:15pm to answer all of your questions about public school enrollment. Here's the answer to the question about where last years 50 PP graduates attend school this year: 21 attend public schools and 29 attend independent schools. The 2009/2010 Fact Sheet will soon be in your mail folder and it will list the names of the schools our graduates attend.

PREPARING FOR THE FLU

Our first Town Hall meeting will feature our Health and Safety Committee presenting information about the flu. Please attend this timely meeting on Monday, October 26 from 5-6:15pm to learn more about how you can help your family during the flu season. On our panel will be Health and Safety members: Mitch Katz, M.D. Director of SF Department of Public Health, Brinda Emu Parikh, M.D and Sunil Parikh, M.D. Infectious Disease Specialists.

We Need:

Interesting shaped small wood scraps for wood gluing (and medium flat wood pieces for bases)
Nature materials - tiny pinecones, eucalyptus pods, etc. for nature collage (and pieces of cardboard for bases)
Utensils for outdoor dramatic play (spoons, muffin tins, pie plates, spatulas, colanders, etc)

"When all of the leaves fall off my tree, it is my birthday." - Liam, Rainbow Dolphin.

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