

## McNeil Canyon Elementary

# Magpie

April 13<sup>th</sup>, 2018

### **Volunteer Opportunities**

- Help in your child's classroom
- Help in the Art Room

### **6<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Meeting**

Parents of our current 6<sup>th</sup> graders, next year's 7<sup>th</sup> graders at Homer Middle School, are invited to a meeting on Monday, April 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm here at the McNeil canton library. Representatives from HMS will be here to answer any questions. Please RSVP with Joy at the front desk. We hope you can join us.

### **Kindergarten/New Student Registration**

It's time to register for the 2018-2019 school year. New kindergartners must be five years old on or before September 1, 2018. **Immunization records and birth certificate are required at registration.** Registration will be held on April 19th from 8:40 am to 2:50 pm. Kindergarten students are invited to visit the classroom from 10:50am – 11:50am and stay for recess (accompanied by an adult) and lunch from 11:50am – 12:50pm. You can either bring your own lunch or purchase a school lunch for \$2.85 (children) and \$4.25 (adults.) It is important for us to know how many Kindergarten and New Students we are going to have next year for staffing purposes. **If you are unable to register your child on the dates indicated, please call the school office and let us know if your child plans on attending McNeil Canyon this Fall.**

### **Science Fair**

We will be having a Science Fair on Wednesday, April 25th. There are a lot of science fair project websites to help you with ideas. Here are some: [www.sciencebuddies.org](http://www.sciencebuddies.org) or [www.sciencebob.com](http://www.sciencebob.com) or <http://school.discoveryeducation.com/sciencefaircentral/> Do some research! Make a Collection! Do a Demonstration! Perform an Experiment! Display boards are available for purchase in the office for \$3.75. If you have any questions, please contact Brandon Young, [byoung@kpbsd.k12.ak.us](mailto:byoung@kpbsd.k12.ak.us)

### **Summer Review Books**

Forms for ordering Summer Review Books are attached to this newsletter. There are Math Skills Sharpeners, Language Arts Review, a Keyboarding course and other review books available. They cost \$20.00 each. Several of our teachers have mentioned the difference they notice in those kids who have worked in these books over summer break. Please see the order form for additional information. Orders can be turned in to the school office and must be placed by Friday, April 27, 2018.

**Art Note Cards for Sale**

**We are still accepting order for notecards as a fundraiser for our art program.**

Please consider supporting our art program by purchasing art notecards. These notecards will have artwork created by your child specially selected and printed as a set of 12 cards. Sets with envelopes can be preordered for \$10 each. Contact Laura or Corise if you have questions or fill out and return the order form below.

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I would like to purchase \_\_\_\_\_ (student's name) art on note cards.

Parent's name \_\_\_\_\_ Number of sets (12 cards per set) \_\_\_\_\_