

## McNeil Canyon Elementary

# Magpie

April 21, 2017

### **Volunteer Opportunities**

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

### **Science Fair**

Science Fair is Wednesday, April 26, 2017! We are expecting a great turnout. Students need to bring their project to school with them that morning and will set up their displays first thing. After that, they will be called out a few at a time to be judged by our Science Fair Judges.

The actual "Science Fair" part will take place in the afternoon between 12:30 and 2:00 pm. Parents and community members are invited to come and see all of the great entries during this time. Students will be standing by their displays to answer questions as the other students, parents, and community members browse through all the displays.

**All projects will be cleaned up in time for dismissal at the end of the day. Students will be expected to take home everything at this time. If you need to arrange for transportation please do so.**

### **Spotlight Lunch**

April Spotlight Students and their parents are invited to join Mr. Swanson for lunch on Thursday, April 27, 2017. Parents can meet their students by the dragon at 11:15 am. We hope to see you here!

If parents plan on eating a hot lunch, please notify the school office ahead of time so our cook can prepare enough food. Also, please come prepared to pay for your hot lunch. (An adult lunch is \$4.25 plus 60 cents for milk.) Our cook is not allowed to take money from a child's account for an adult lunch. Thanks for your help!

### **Summer Review Books**

Forms for ordering Summer Review Books were sent home last week and are available in the office. 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 28, 2017. Laura has samples in the office if you wish to look at them.

### **Book Donations needed**

The Homer Bookmobile will be visiting our school on Monday, May 1, 2017. They are asking for donations of gently used books. Donations can be dropped off in the big white bus in the hallway. Thank you.

### **Summer Activities Fair at Paul Banks Elementary**

There will be a Summer Activities Fair on Friday, April 28<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 – 7:00 pm. Get your kids signed up for fun summer activities such as music lessons, soccer, little league, football, swim lessons and more.

### **Safe Kids Fair and Bike Rodeo**

This great annual event will take place on Saturday, April 29<sup>th</sup> from 10 am to 2 pm at Homer High School. The Bike Rodeo is from 10 am to Noon. Check it out!