

# McNeil Canyon Elementary

# *Magpie*

November 6, 2015

## **Volunteer Opportunities**

- Help in your child's classroom
- Sew costumes or paint sets for the Winter Program

## **Movie Night TONIGHT!**

Join the fun and help out our 6<sup>th</sup> grade class by attending Movie Night tonight at 6:30 pm.

## **Student Council – Pennies for Patients** by Kendall

McNeil Canyon's Student Council is sponsoring a community service project called Pennies for Patients. The money raised during this fundraiser will benefit the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society.

This fundraiser will begin Friday, November 6<sup>th</sup> and end on Wednesday, November 25<sup>th</sup>. There will be a collection box in each classroom where students can deposit their change. Next week there will be individual collection boxes available in the office if your child would like to take one home to collect change in. All boxes and other change will need to be turned in at school no later than Nov. 25<sup>th</sup>.

## **Community Council News** by Amy S.

Thank you, Thank You, to all of the volunteers who helped make the fall carnival great fun and a huge success! This is the biggest fundraiser for our parent group and without the help of volunteers it would not have been possible. The funds we raised are used to help support our annual Artist in the Schools Program, field trips, Robotics, swimming, and other various activities and classroom needs. Thanks Again!

Community Council will meet on Tuesday, November 10<sup>th</sup> at 1 pm in the Staff Lounge. All parents are welcome to attend.

## **Winter Program – Moosical**

Our Winter Program will be held on Thursday, December 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm. We ask that students come dressed in the following:

K, 1, 2 & 3 grades – Dressy clothes

4<sup>th</sup> grade – Pajamas

5<sup>th</sup> grade – Solid color Shirt and Pants in grey, black, brown or beige.

6<sup>th</sup> grade – Dressy clothes

## **Glasses Found**

A pair of children's glasses that are black and hot pink have been turned in to the office.

## **Winter Gear**

It is cold and snowy up here on the hill. Please help your child remember their winter gear: coats, snowpants, hats, gloves and boots. Thank you.

## **Winter Safety**

Several parents have expressed concern over not being able to see students very well as they are waiting in the dark at bus stops in the morning. The bus drivers have handed out reflective bears that can be attached to a child's coat zipper or backpack. The office has a limited supply of reflective tape that can be ironed on to coats and snowpants. Contact Laura and she will send some home with your child.

## **Link-Up Concert on January 15<sup>th</sup>**

All students in Grades K thru 6 will participate in a LinkUp concert on January 15<sup>th</sup> at Homer High School. All students will need to wear white shirts and black bottoms. More information will be sent home as we get closer to this date.