

# McNeil Canyon Elementary

## *Magpie*

April 22, 2016

### **Volunteer Opportunities**

- Help in your child's classroom
- Chaperone Field Trips

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

Homer Middle School staff and student ambassadors will present information about HMS to the 6<sup>th</sup> Grade students during the day on Monday, April 25, 2016. On that same day at 6:30 pm, parents are invited to meet with HMS staff who will provide an overview about HMS and answer questions. This meeting will be held in the McNeil Canyon library.

### **Science Fair**

Science Fair is Wednesday, April 27, 2016! 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 28, 2016. 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!

### **Site Council Meeting**

The McNeil Site Council will meet on Thursday, April 28<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 pm. All parents are welcome to attend.

### **Student Council Elections**

Elections for Student Council Officers and Representatives will be held on Friday, April 29, 2016. Students running for an office will give a short speech to all students before the election. Good luck everyone!

### **Volunteer Lunch**

After much discussion among staff and due to very low attendance at our annual volunteer lunch, we have decided not to host one this year. Instead, volunteers will be recognized at our Spring Program.

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

There will be a Summer Activities Fair on Friday, April 29<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 30<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!