

McNeil Canyon Elementary

Magpie

September 7, 2018

Volunteer Opportunities

- Help in your child's classroom
- Serve as a Room Representative
- Picture Day Helper (Sep. 19th)

School Board Meets in Homer

The Kenai Peninsula School Board will meet this month in Homer at 6pm on Monday, Sept. 10, 2018 at Homer High School. Everyone is welcome to attend.

2nd Year Band Starts Tuesday

2nd year band will be starting on September 18th. Please remember to bring your instrument and music books on Tuesdays.

Early Release

The KPBSD School Board has approved 6 early release days (1.5 hours) for all schools this year. The first one will occur on Wednesday, September 12, 2018. McNeil Students will be released at 1:20 pm and buses will leave at 1:30 pm. Your child will arrive home 1.5 hrs. earlier than usual.

Learning Lab Begins

After School Learning Lab will begin Thursday, Sept. 13th. There is **ASLL** every Tuesday and Thursday that school is in session. There is an activity bus that will bring your child home afterwards. It leaves the school at 4:30 p.m. and **transports the students who live farther out East End Road**. Students will be referred to stay for **ASLL** by their teacher. A permission slip is required to stay after school and they are available in the classrooms and in the office.

Newsletter by e-mail?

Some families have opted to receive our weekly school newsletters by e-mail. If you would prefer to get newsletters by e-mail instead of a paper copy, contact Joy in the office.

Scholastic News

Scholastic News is a publication that many teachers find very informative for students. Due to budget cuts, we are asking parents to please pay \$5.00 (for students in Grades K, 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5 only), so we can continue to receive this publication. This fee was included on the supply list and many students have paid. We would like to remind those who have not had a chance to pay yet to please do so. Thank you.

Garage Sale in 4 weeks

It's time again to clean out your garages and closets!!! Susan's class will be holding a Garage Sale at McNeil on Sat., October 6th. You will get a clean, dry room to sell your items and WE do all of the advertising!!! \$15 rent for 1/2 of a table and \$25 for a full table. We will also have a 6th grade table for those of you with clean items in good shape that you would like to donate to our fundraiser. A bake sale will be held in conjunction and we welcome donations for that as well. Please contact Joy at 235-8181 to reserve your table now!

