

## LAKESHORE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

SAN FRANCISCO

# The Paw Print Press

#### IMPORTANT DATES

# *THIS WEEK!* Week of October 17<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup>

Parent Teacher Conferences Early dismissal all week: 2:30 PM

### Monday, October 31st

Halloween at Lakeshore

### Wednesday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>

PTA Meeting 6:30 PM – 8 PM, Lakeshore Community Room

# Halloween at Lakeshore: Volunteers and Candy Needed

Lakeshore will be celebrating Halloween on Monday, October 31<sup>st</sup> and festivities will include spooky Halloween games and activities in Lakeshore's Community Room. Currently we need volunteers to help with the following:

- Transforming the Community Room with Halloween decorations on the day before, Sunday, October 30<sup>th</sup>. Extra Halloween decorations would also be appreciated.
- Helping out during the school day on Monday, October 31<sup>st</sup>, with the games and activities.
- Cleaning up the Community Room after 3:30 PM.

We also need candy that can be given out as prizes for the games. Please donate candy in the bin in the lobby by Lakeshore's front entrance. For more information, please contact Melanie Vose at voseter@yahoo.com.

October 19, 2011

### Message from Ms. Keener

#### **School Site Council Membership**

Each school in SFUSD must have an elected School Site Council (SSC) to represent parents, students, community members and school staff in the school governance process. The SSC has a number of important responsibilities, including:

- Reviewing and analyzing student achievement data.
- Gathering community input.
- Helping develop the Balanced Scorecard and the school site budget.
- Monitor the implementation of the BSC and the budget.

Currently, we have two available seats for parent/guardian membership that need to be filled. Please contact Ms. Keener, Principal at 759-2825 or email at keenerl@sfusd.edu by this Friday. Ballots will be sent in Wednesday's newsletter, October 26<sup>th</sup>. Your support is essential and appreciated!

### Classroom Document Camera and Projector Installation

We are very excited to inform our parents/guardians and students that the installation of our document camera and projectors has started! Both teachers and students are enthusiastic about our latest technology. Parents and teachers voices have been heard loud and clear via district surveys about lack of technology in the classroom. Therefore, the purchase of technology is a

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priority for Lakeshore!

#### **School Tours**

School Tours started last Wednesday. We are looking for a few parents/guardians to host and lead the tours. The tours begin at 10:00 and last approximately 1 hour. Please contact Ms. Keener at 759-2825 or stop by the office if you are on site, if you have available space in your schedule to help out!

# Asobi Club Japanese Language & Culture Play Group

Asobi Club is a PTA sponsored enrichment program to raise awareness of Japanese language and culture. We meet Tuesdays from 3:40 to 4:40 PM. Our first meeting is November 1st at Room 12 (Ms. Lafferty's class). \$56 for 7 weeks. Please fill out the application form and make checks payable to "Lakeshore PTA". Thank you. (Maximum 12 students) Dawn-Elissa Fischer: defprof@gmail.com Naomi Aizawa Ralph: naomiaizawaralph@yahoo.com

The Paw Print Press is sent home to Lakeshore families every Wednesday. If you have something you'd like to include in next week's Paw Print Press, please e-mail it to pawprintnews@yahoo.com by Friday evening.

# Free Tickets to Legoland and Seaworld!

All members of the Lakeshore PTA can now get free tickets to Legoland and Seaworld, with the purchase of one paid ticket. This offer applies to all current PTA families as well as new members. To get your free ticket offer, please get in touch with Audrey J. Witters (ajwitters@yahoo.com) or Sach Steffel (sach\_steffel@pacbell.net), or send a note to school addressed to "Lakeshore PTA. Membership". Support the wonderful enrichment programs offered to our kids by the PTA, and have fun at the same time!

#### **Art News at Lakeshore**

As the school year is off to great start, the Art Committee is reaching out to all of our community and we hope you will consider joining us for this year's plan. We are really excited to celebrate the Silver Anniversary of Studio Art. We will be going into our archives to showcase a retrospective of student works. There are many ways you can help to participate in the Art Committee with behind-the-scene preparations. Please contact Sharon Collins if you have questions or contact LakeshoreArt@aol.com.



