



Colby Glass Parent Newsletter




November/December 2009


From the desk of Patricia Lambert, Principal


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Dear Parents:


On October 28th and 29th, Parent Teacher Conferences were held to review your child's report card which was sent home on October 30th. Please review it carefully with your child and reiterate the importance of practicing their skills at home and completing assignments in class and at home. It is essential that you are aware of your child's progress and that you consult with your child's teacher regularly. Your support truly makes a difference and your involvement will help your child learn that their education is important to **you**. By having high expectations, we will reinforce **EXEMPLARY** performance.


 **Red Ribbon Week** – During the week of October 26th – 30th, our counselors provided our students with “good choice” lessons when dealing with drugs, alcohol and tobacco. We ended the week with a Red Ribbon Rally in the gym. Some of our 4th and 5th grade students demonstrated how to exercise with music and dance. They did an outstanding job dancing to “Thriller”, “Everyone Dance”, “Get on Your feet” and “I Believe”. I would like to publicly thank Miss Sherrod and Mr. Molina for a great week of learning and fun!

 **Student Council presents “Heavenly Hats” Day & “Share Our Strength’s Great American Bake Sale”** – The Student Council had another great year collecting money for the Heavenly Hats Foundation. This foundation collects and distributes new hats to heroes of all ages who lose their hair due to the treatment of cancer or other medical conditions. Student Council also sold desserts at our Academic Fair night to support the national effort encouraging Americans to help end childhood hunger in our nation. Student Council collected \$168.88 for Heavenly Hats and \$72.84 for the Great American Bake Sale. Thank you everyone for your contributions. A special thanks goes to our Student Council sponsors, Mrs. Noriega and Ms. Borer.

 **WE NEED YOUR HELP!** Please bring your child to school on time. Students are escorted from the gym to their classroom each morning. We promptly begin classes at 7:45 and end at 2:45. Please help us teach your child the importance of coming to school and the power of knowledge. Together we can help your child be successful.

 **H1N1 vaccinations** – The Metro Health department has directed school districts to administer H1N1 vaccinations to their students. Once a date is issued for H1N1 vaccines for Colby Glass students, parents will be notified and a permission slip will be sent home with each child. The permission slip must be signed by the parent granting the child permission to receive the vaccine at school. (NOTE: Students 9 years and under will receive two doses in three weeks). If you have any flu questions please call 211 for more information. Remember: **No permission slip, No vaccine.**

 **ALPHA screening sessions** - ALPHA screening:
Kindergarten - November 19th
Grades 3-5 – February 11th
Grades 1-2 – March 11th
Please contact your child's teacher or Ms. Worrell for more information.

 **Upcoming Events:**

Fri., Oct. 30	Report Cards go home
Sun., Nov. 1	Daylight Savings Time
Mon., Nov 2	Huskie Tumbler Fund Raiser Begins
Tues., Nov. 3	After School Tutoring 3:00- 4:30 p.m.
Wed., Nov. 4	4 th Science CDB
Thurs., Nov. 5	Chick-fil-A Spirit Night 5:00-8:00 pm
Fri., Nov. 6	Early Release 11:45 a.m.
	Spirit Day
Sat., Nov. 7	Los Leones Student Art Festival
Tues., Nov. 10	After School Tutoring 3:00-4:30 pm
Wed., Nov. 11	Veterans Day
	SAT Meeting 3:00-6:00 p.m.
Thurs., Nov. 12	After School Tutoring 3:00-4:30 pm
Fri., Nov. 13	Spirit Day
	Bus and Bowl
Tues., Nov. 17	After School Tutoring 3:00 – 4:30 p.m.
Wed., Nov. 18	4th Writing CDB
Thurs., Nov. 19	After school tutoring 3:00-4:30 p.m.
	Last day for Fall tutoring
Fri., Nov. 20	Spirit Day
Mon-Fri., Nov. 23-27	Student & Teacher HOLIDAY
Wed., Dec. 2	2nd Math CDB
Fri., Dec. 4	Spirit Day
	Bus and Bowl
Tues., Dec. 8	PTA Meeting 7:00 p.m.
Wed., Dec. 9	5th Science CDB
	3rd/4th Math CDB
Fri., Dec.11	Spirit Day!
Tues., Dec. 15	5th Math CDB
Thurs., Dec. 17	Incredible Pizza Fundraiser Night 5-6 pm
Fri., Dec. 18	Classroom Holiday Parties
	Spirit Day!

Winter Break - Monday, December 21–Friday, January 1



Would you like to join the School Advisory Team (S.A.T.)?



We're looking for 3 parent volunteers who can commit to attend a minimum of 4 meetings per year to help plan and set goals for our campus. If you are interested, please complete the information below and return this portion of the letter. Our next SAT meeting will be held on November 11th.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone # _____ WK # _____

Child's name _____ Grade _____

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT AND INTEREST!!

Parent's Name _____

Daytime Number _____