



This year, **Mrs. Arocha** will sponsor a Solar Car Club. The purpose of the club is for students to build a vehicle powered by solar energy. Students will represent **Howsman Elementary** in the district's Solar Car competition on **April 23, 2022**.

This year's Solar Car sponsors will be **Mrs. Arocha, Mrs. Stoops, and Mrs. Oztuca**. Students will use higher order thinking skills and learn aspects of teamwork as they build their vehicles.

If your child would like to participate, fill out the interest sheet below and return it to your teacher. **Interest sheets are due by Friday, December 17, 2021**. Only **24 students** can be part of Solar Cars. A drawing will be held on **Wednesday, January 5th** (after school) to determine who will be part of this year's Solar Car Club. Students will be notified Friday January 7th.

Club meetings will be held after school on **Tuesdays** from 3:05pm - 4:30 pm in room **A-12** and all day (beginning at 8 a.m.) on Race Day on **April 23, 2022** (a bad weather make up day will be scheduled for **May 14th**, if necessary). After each meeting, students must return to Learning Tree, be picked up, or walk home. Snacks will be provided at every meeting. These are the meeting dates:

**Jan. 18, 25      Feb. 8, 22      Mar. 1, 22, 29      Apr. 12, 19, \*21 (if needed)      April 23- All Day**

If you are interested in having your child join our Solar Car Club, please return the section below to **your child's teacher** by **DECEMBER 17, 2021**. If you have questions, call **210-397-2350** or email **evon.arocha@nisd.net**.

Thank you!  
**Mrs. Arocha, Mrs. Stoops, Mrs. Oztuca and Ms. Leal**

Return this form by **Dec. 17, 2021**

***My child may participate in Solar Cars after school on the dates listed above and on Saturday, April 23, 2022. I will pick my child up promptly at 4:30. I understand that my child can be dismissed from the club for late pick up or for poor behavior. I understand that a parent or guardian must accompany my child on Race Day, April 23, 2022.***

**My child will:**

walk home  
 return to learning tree or  
 be picked up by \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Student's Name**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Parent/Guardian's Name**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Phone No.**