



Eye on Endeavour

Newsletter of Endeavour Elementary PTA
Unit #7.5.8 Mukilteo, Washington

END-OF-YEAR 2009

Wow! Thanks Suzanne!

Thanks to the generosity of parents, teachers and the community, Endeavour PTA raised over \$8,000 for emergency preparedness supplies and for augmenting classroom technology at the Basket Raffle/Auction held June 5th. Due to the extensive planning and organization of the chair, Suzanne Dant, the event went off without a hitch and was successful beyond anyone's hope. We are so grateful for Suzanne for all her hard work beginning in February to make this event happen. She gave up her home to house all the basket items and donated countless items herself to make this event a success. She worked tirelessly to keep us all informed, updated and motivated and her attention to detail showed throughout the night. Suzanne, you are amazing - THANKS!

Take 5

Back by popular demand... The PTA will be Sponsoring a back-to-school early dinner following the Take 5 classroom visitation time on **September 1st**. Come to school from 3:15-4:00pm to meet your child's teacher(s) and then go into the gym for an early-to-eat and then early-to-bed dinner! Like last year, the cost is \$2.00 per person. We are working on the menu and there will be something for everyone. This is a great way to reconnect with friends you haven't seen over the summer and get the kids excited for the new school year. Check your email over the summer for more details....

You Scream, We Scream, We All Scream for Ice Cream!

On June 5th in conjunction with the Basket Raffle/Auction, our annual Ice Cream Social kept everyone in ice cream, gummy bears, chocolate sauce and whipped cream. Whether taking a break from shopping or simply outside to enjoy the unbelievably gorgeous spring weather, you could indulge in your favorite ice cream and sundae toppings served up by the men and women of the Mukilteo Fire Department.

Huge thanks go out to Lisa Greenough for organizing this fun event and for loading up her truck with 50 (yes, 50!) gallons of ice cream. THANKS LISA!



Volunteer Opportunities

In September, the PTA will be publishing opportunities to get more involved - either a few minutes a week or a few hours a month, whichever suits your lifestyle. Over the summer we would like to fill a few key positions:

1. **Newsletter Editor**

the editor does not have to write anything! All articles are submitted by the board, committee chairs or others. The editor just has to put them together in a newsletter format and get it to our listserve chair for publication and make hard copies for the office. No special graphics or printshop program skills required (but it is helpful).

2. **Take 5 Dinner Committee**

help with dinner including ticket sales and organization.

If you would like to help out, please contact Julie at jamoore01@aol.com. Thanks!

Volunteer of the Year Award

At the Mukilteo PTSA Council meeting on June 10th, **Kelly Waldo** was honored with the Endeavour Elementary Volunteer of the Year Award. Kelly has been volunteering at our school for 4 years and during that time she has done it all. She is simply a go-to-to-get-it-done person. She chairs our staff appreciation committee, our spirit wear program and most recently assisted with our Basket Raffle (this woman can wrap a basket!) and Ice Cream Social.

Kelly is a devoted gardener and maintains the planted containers at the office door making the first impression of Endeavour a beautiful one. This past fall, she organized the beautification project that involved every child planting spring flowering bulbs around the school. Starting as early as March, Endeavour was bursting with gorgeous color and school pride! When there is

a special need to be met, whether it is a PTA need or a need presented to her by our principal or her child's teacher, Kelly is there to see that it gets done. She does so much for the children of Endeavour and we are so lucky to have her and so grateful for all her hard work. **Congratulations Kelly!**

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Don't Forget to Order School Supplies

Although we are just finishing up this school year, the deadline for ordering your child's school supplies for next year is **JUNE 30th**. Don't let this great opportunity to save time, gas, and avoid last minute stress pass you by. It takes only minutes compared to hours in the store(s). Don't stress over finding that last large pack of glue sticks - just go to **www.innisbrook.com** and use school code 110093 and enjoy some extra time out in the sun with your kids!

Endeavour Elementary School recently made changes to the school supply list for the school year 2009-2010. The changes are:

- Add 2 composition books for 3rd grade
- Add 2 composition books for 4th grade
- Increase from 3 to 5 composition books for 5th grade

If you are planning to purchase school supplies through the Innisbrook company online, you need to purchase additional composition books separately as noted above. These changes are not reflected on the Innisbrook website. We apologize for the inconvenience!

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