



The Carden Lion

September 2, 2009

IMPORTANT DATES

Parent Orientations	Aug. 31-Sept. 11
1 st Bake Sale	Sept. 2
Parent Club Meeting	Sept. 3
1 st Pizza Friday	Sept. 4
Labor Day Holiday	Sept. 7
Parent/Faculty Social	Sept. 11 6-8p.m.

The Parent Club Needs You!

Parent Club has two important positions to fill: Pizza Coordinator and Box Top Coordinator. Do you have some free time on Friday mornings? Do you have a friend who would like to help too? "Co- Coordinating" is a great way to share the job! Or, if you can't be on campus, Box Top Coordinator is another way to help our school and fulfill your volunteer hours. This "passive fundraiser" is primarily done from home and requires very little actual time on campus. Please contact Caroline Wiehl at caroline_wiehl@yahoo.com for more information, and come to our Parent Club meeting at 8:15 am in the library on September 3rd.

"To develop and maintain self-respect behave *with dignity* at all times." -Mae Carden

PARENT ORIENTATION

Grade-level parent orientations have begun and will continue through September 11. Orientation gives the teacher an opportunity to discuss class requirements and to give parents an idea about what can be expected during the coming months.

Orientations are given from 8:15-8:45 a.m. and are held in each teacher's classroom, unless otherwise noted.

The schedule is as follows:

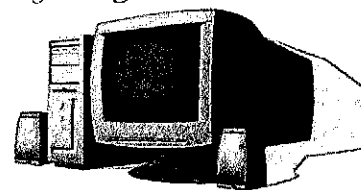
- 1st Grade - Sept. 2
- 2nd Grade - Sept. 3
- 3rd Grade - Sept. 4
- 4th Grade - Sept. 8
- 5th Grade - Sept. 9
- 6th Grade - Sept. 10
- 7th & 8th grades - Sept. 11

HOT LUNCH

If you are interested in purchasing Hot Lunch from our outside vendor Campus Cuisine, be sure to go to our website at www.cardenschooloffresno.com to get information. Just click on the 'Hot Lunch' tab and follow the directions. It's as easy as 1-2-3 to have a delicious hot lunch delivered to your child any Monday- Thursday of your choice.

WANTED

We are looking for computers for our computer lab. If you have one you'd like to donate please contact Ms. Mowery through the school office.



Thank you!

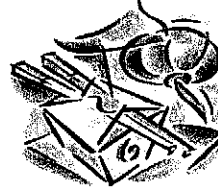
PIZZA FRIDAY IS BACK!

The ever popular Pizza Friday will begin this Friday, September 4 for anyone who has already turned in their forms.



PARENT & FACULTY SOCIAL

The Parent & Faculty social will be held on Friday, September 11, from 6:00-8:00 p.m. at PF Chang's in River Park. Adults are invited to enjoy good company and appetizers.



ATTENTION

The deadline for newsletter announcements is on the Sunday prior to publication. *The Carden Lion* is published on Wednesdays. Information must be emailed to cardenoffice@yahoo.com

PETSON CAMPUS

A reminder that pets or animals are never allowed on campus without the permission of the school principals. Our Student-Parent Handbook also clearly states that everyone should refrain from being pets in vehicles as both animals and small children are unpredictable. We will appreciate everyone complying with this important safety rule.

FAMILY FUN NIGHT

Mark your calendar now and plan to join us for our first Family Fun Night of the school year. We will be meeting at Claim Jumper's on Monday, September 21 from 5-10 p.m. This is a great way to get together to foster our Carden community and help raise funds for our school. We will be sending out a flyer that you will need to print out and bring with you to dinner. You may also go to our website at www.cardenschooloffresno.com and print out the flyer by going to the "Family Fun Night" tab. Carden School of Fresno receives 15% of the proceeds! Make arrangements to meet other Carden families for this always fun event! Looking forward to seeing everyone there!

VISITORS ON CAMPUS

With so many wonderful new faces on our campus we would like to make sure everyone remembers that all visitors must first directly report to the school office. All visitors must sign in and receive a name badge. For the safety and security of our campus please follow this simple rule. At no time should anyone just walk into a classroom without first going to the office. If you need to deliver a lunch, please bring it to the office and we will get it to your child. Please do not disrupt a class that is in session.