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Volunteer News

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PTA President

Holiday Greetings! With Christmas vacation upon us and 2007 almost over, I'd like to reflect on some of the "good works" going on through the Moiola PTA thus far. Once again, we enjoyed a terrific turn out for our Special Person's Day this year. Kelly Selle delivered, as promised, an awesome array of raffle baskets, using her "Keep It Super Simple" method. And Tina Feitz saw to it that we were all well fed with a huge continental breakfast that day.

More thanks are in order for the many other activities going on. Kristy McKay got all the Reflections entries in for judging and display. Cheri Santiago and Noelle Tucci have the brand new EScrip program up and running. Jayme Perusse has arranged for beautiful family portraits to be done in time for holiday cards. Wendy Magill has been keeping the room moms coordinated and running ice cream Fridays. A special thank you also to those helping out regularly with traffic--Dina Reynolds, Laura Calnon, Frank Pollock, and Marie Holland. And for those moms responsible for making sure we receive our Monday packets--Beke Bello, Lisa Hufschmidt, Nicole Terrazzi, and Monique Herrera. The list of volunteers at Moiola is a long one, making Moiola such a wonderful school for our children to attend. My thanks to all who volunteer, in ways big and small.

The PTA has planned many fun family nights and educational assemblies for the 2008, as well as a Jog-a-thon n March. We will be forming a nominating committee to seek our the new executive board for the 08-09 school year at the January 15th PTA meeting. The election will be held at the March meeting. Many of the existing board have served their 2-year terms and cannot hold the office they are in currently. If you would like to take a leadership role, please be at the January meeting. And lastly, don't forget to check out our award winning Moiola.org website for current events and contact information. Together, we can serve our children well.

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Ways and Means

Kelly Selle

V.P. --Ways and Means

The Basket Raffle has come and gone. Thank you to everyone for their generous donations and for all of you who bought tickets. As always, it was a successful and fun-filled event. The magazine gift extreme is still earning money for the school. We had over 200 students turn in the outreach booklets and those have already earned Moiola an extra \$505 dollars. The online sales are still going strong and Moiola still earns 40% on all online orders made throughout the year. Just visit www.store.gafundraising.com and enter Moiola code: 456921.

Jog For Moiola will be here before we know it. If anyone would like to be on the Jog Committee, please contact me at 714-585-9085 or kellarad3@yahoo.com. This is Moiola's largest fundraiser and really the most rewarding for our school.

Also, keep a look out for Dippin Dots Weekend in January and other restaurant nights. Again, thanks to all of you; without the support of these fundraisers our children would not have a computer lab or other very beneficial programs they enjoy.

EScrip

Noelle Tucci

Cheri Santiago

The EScrip program is an online, ongoing fundraiser designed to provide additional money for our students. It's a fun, easy way to do your regular shopping or obtain gift cards for family and friends! There is no additional cost to participate in this program and you receive the full value of the card. To get started, log on to Moiola.org. On the PTA homepage, find the short paragraph on Scrip and click on "for more info". The link will provide you with step by step instructions on how to get started. For more information, you can contact us Cheri at (714) 585-2722, or Noelle at (714) 651-5337. We are happy to be of service.

Junior Achievement

Kate Tran

Our Jr Achievement orientation meeting will take place in E-7 on January 25th, at 1 pm. All new volunteers are required to attend. Everyone involved with the program will be able to pick up their classroom materials at that time. We are still looking for volunteers to teach Ms. Soloranzo, Ms. Urban, and Ms. Haukness' classes. Please contact me at 714-375-3821 if you are interested in helping. Thanks!



PTA Membership Drive

Kimberly Boomer

Vp Membership

I would like to extend a very sincere “Thank You” to all of our families and staff who have supported our 2007-2008 PTA Membership Drive by becoming members. During our membership drive we reached 340 members. Our goal this year is 450 members. While our drive has come to an end, you are still welcomed to join. Our membership dollars help to support so many of the different PTA funded activities, assemblies, field trips, and classroom enhancements for Moiola. Membership benefits include the right to vote at the PTA meetings and decide how these dollars will be allocated. There are still membership enrollment forms in the office. If you would like, I can send a form home with your child; simply email me at mkboomer4@msn.com or call me at 714-968-1861 with your request.

I would like to recognize the many members that made additional donations above the membership dues. We are so grateful for the generous Moiola families!

Gold Members

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Sandra Crandall
Mike & Tami Cupp
Jon & Tina Feitz
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