

# Evergreen Middle School



Principal's Grizzly e-mail  
November 16-20, 2009

"Where Good Things Happen"

The Math is Cool competition was held on Friday, November 6th, for seventh and eighth graders. This year, 16 Evergreen students participated. On the individual seventh grade test, Tyler Ward placed 10th, Jenna Vasquez placed 9th. Kiley Jenkin placed 8th in the overall competition against the other 200+ students. The top finishers for Evergreen were Kiley Jenkin in 7th grade and Sarah Gingras in 8th grade. Congratulations to all of our participants. Thank you to Mrs. Mortensen and Mrs. Jenkin for their expertise and hard work.

On Monday, November 16th, High 5 will be hosting a skate night at Roller Valley from 6:00-8:00 PM. The cost is \$4.00 at the door, and roller blade rental is an extra \$2.50. There will be a Guitar Hero Rock Band contest and lots of prizes. Students must have signed a High 5 pledge card in order to attend the event.

On Tuesday, November 17th, the middle school counselors in Central Valley will be hosting our 1st annual 8th Grade Parent Night from 6:30-8:00 PM in the University High School auditorium. The purpose of the meeting is to provide 8th grade parents with information that will help them prepare their child for their high school years. Counselors will provide insight about preparing for high school, college bound scholarship information, 8th grade career units, high school registration dates, high school credit information, and high school programs. For parents, this night will hopefully help answer questions about next year.

The PTO Spaghetti Feed and Silent Auction fundraiser will be from 5:30-7:00 PM on Tuesday, November 17th in the cafeteria. The cost is \$4.00 per person and only \$15.00/family of 4 or more. There will also be a silent auction running simultaneously. All PTO members are already entered into a drawing for a gift basket. It's never to late to join our PTO! All proceeds benefit our PTO. See the attached flyer.

Our annual food drive continues through Friday, November 20th. Students are encouraged to bring their donations to their 1st period class. On Saturday, November 21st, from 9:00 AM to 4:30 PM, our leadership students will host our annual "Fill the Bus" food drive in the Safeway parking lot located at the corner of Evergreen and Sprague. All of the food collected over the 13 days will be in the bus. We will spend the day accepting donations from the Evergreen community. Thanks for all of your support!

Two progress reports were sent home with each student on Friday, November 13th. Students need to return one copy back to school with a parent signature. The end of the first trimester is December 4th.

On November 25th, there will be early dismissal @ 11:45 AM as part of the Thanksgiving holiday.

## Calendar of Events

- 11/16 Monday - Fill the Bus Food Drive 11/9-11/20  
- Wrestling & 8th Volleyball pictures
- 11/17 Tuesday - High Five Roller Valley 6:00-8:00 PM  
- PTO Spaghetti Feed 5:30-7:00 PM  
- 8th Grade Parent Night  
6:30-8:00 PM @ U-High auditorium  
- HIV/AIDS Parent Preview @ NPMS
- 11/18 Wednesday
- 11/19 Thursday - 6th Math is Cool 2:45-3:45 Rm. 305  
- HIV/AIDS Parent Preview @ EMS
- 11/20 Friday
- 11/21 Saturday - Fill the Bus Food Drive 9:00-4:30  
@ Safeway, Evergreen & Sprague

## Lunch Menu

- 11/16 Monday - Teriyaki beef dippers, egg roll, white rice
- 11/17 Tuesday - Chicken fried steak w/mashed potatoes & gravy, corn, roll
- 11/18 Wednesday - French toast sticks, hash brown, sausage
- 11/19 Thursday - Nachos, refried beans, sour cream/salsa
- 11/20 Friday - Meatball sub, tots, salad, fruit

Served everyday: Cheeseburger, chicken, pizza, sub sandwich, chef salad  
M-Burrito; T-Corn dog; W-Pizza pocket;  
R-Mini-corn dogs; F-Chicken nuggets

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