



Mustang Matters

The Maxey Elementary School Parent Teacher Organization Newsletter

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Maxey Elementary School: Our mission is to maximize learning for all students

COMING SOON

October 8-15
Monday October 19

Tuesday, October 20
Wednesday, October 21
Friday, October 23

October 26-30
Wednesday, November 4
Monday, November 9

Tuesday, November 24
Wednesday, November 25
November 26 & 27

Scholastic Book Fair
Teach a Kid to Fish 5-4-3-2-1 Art Contest Deadline
Cookie Dough & QSP gift wrap delivery day
PLC Early Release
MAX Planning Meeting, Noon at Dino's
Fall Classroom Parties
FALL BREAK- NO SCHOOL- SCHOOL CLOSED
Picture Retakes/Group Pictures
PTO Executive Committee Meeting-Conference Room (6:00 -7:00 pm)
PTO General Meeting- Annex (7:00 -8:00 pm)
PLC Early Release
No School for Elementary Students- Teacher Plan Day
NO SCHOOL- SCHOOL CLOSED- THANKSGIVING

Maxey Family Fun Run

Thank you to a few innovative families this past Saturday who participated in the Maxey Family Fun Run. Faced with an unexpected snowfall, the group moved the event in to the Maxey School building to complete the run. A great time was had by all!

Next year, the annual event will be held on the new Maxey walking path located behind the school on the lower playground. A special thank you to Michelle Hrbek and Phil Morgan for organizing this event!

Fundraiser Delivery Day

Our cookie dough and QSP gift wrap is going to be delivered to Maxey on Monday October 19th. Our children will need to help make sure all items are taken home that day. This could be a very busy and confusing process. Please follow the directions below to make it as smooth and simple as possible:

1. QSP gift wrap will be delivered to the students' classrooms on Monday for children to take home with them. If you know that your order is large, please be sure to meet your student or make arrangements for him/her to have help in carrying these items home.
2. If your student sold cookie dough, it needs to be picked up on Monday. You need to make arrangements to have this product picked up after school - 5:30pm at the latest. This is a frozen product and there is no place to put the dough after the deadline.
3. Please follow the signs when you come into the school. You will pick up forms that you had your child fill out when they sold the items. You will then walk down the line. Helpers will hand you the items ordered and mark your form to acknowledge that you received the items.
4. Please pass out the cookie dough as soon as you can to those who placed orders with you. Since this is a frozen product, if you can not pass the dough out immediately please make sure you have freezer space at home.

If you did not keep the yellow copy for the QSP gift order form, it will be sent home with your child today. Please check for it in your child's folder.

Thank you again for supporting Maxey PTO your money is always being put to good use for your children at our school.

Questions? please call Jon Eslick at 402-202-6313 after 5:00 pm.

Art Contest to Promote 5-4-3-2-1—GO! A Campaign for Child Wellness
(LPS District-Wide)



Who: Students in grades K-5

What: Create art based upon the 5-4-3-2-1 Go! Campaign.
That's 5 fruits and veggies daily; 4 glasses of water; 3 low-fat servings of dairy, no more than 2 hours of screen time (includes TV and computer) and be sure to get 1 hour of exercise. For more info on this campaign go to www.clocc.net and click on 5-4-3-2-1 Go!

When: Deadline = Monday October 19, 2009

Prizes: 1st prize a new bike
2nd prize a \$150 Scheels gift card
3rd prize \$50 art supplies
*The teacher of each winning student also receives a gift certificate to either Scheels or Dick Blick (art)
1st prize \$150 gift card, 2nd prize \$100 gift card , 3rd prize is \$50 gift card*

Rules and regulations:

- Art must be mailed to Teach a Kid to Fish and postmarked by October 19, 2009 to be eligible for this contest. Include your name, address, phone/e-mail on the back of the art.
- Mail your art to Teach a Kid to Fish 5625 O Street, Suite 3 Lincoln, NE 68510
- The winners will be announced at the Teach a Kid to Fish November 3rd summit.
- All children related to the staff of Teach a Kid to Fish are ineligible for this contest.

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