

CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Week of August 30th

Wed., Sept. 1 – Middle School Curriculum Night, 6 pm

Week of September 6th

Monday, Sept. 6th – **NO SCHOOL LABOR DAY**

Sunday, Sept. 12, 12 – 4 pm, **Back to School Picnic**,
Mountain Lake Park, 9th & Lake

Week of September 13th

Thurs., Sept. 16th – **PTA Meeting**, 6:15 pm, Scott

Week of September 20th

Tues., Sept. 21 – **K – 5 Picture Day**

Wed., Sept 22 – **Middle School Picture Day**

Save the Date: Saturday, Evening, October 2, 2010

7:30 – 10:00 pm ~ **Wine Tasting Party** for Middle
School Parents

Notes from the Office:

- **Please make plans to attend the General Meeting of the CLPTA** on September 16th beginning at 6:15 PM at the Scott Campus. PTA General Meetings are always scheduled for the 3rd Thursday of the month and will start at 6:15 PM.
- **Middle School Parents:** There will be an information meeting in classroom #24 about the **Costa Rica trip** immediately after the Middle School Curriculum Night. Any parents interested in finding out about this opportunity should stop by to have their questions answered. :)
- Come to the **Back to School Picnic** on Sunday, September 12 from 12 – 4 pm at Mt. Lake Park
- Please see enclosed **Library Volunteer Sign Up form** and related information. Call Candy @ Scott or Kathleen @ Madison with any questions.

Keep our traditional Quilt Projects alive!!

Volunteers needed, especially people who can sew!

Kindergarten families especially encouraged.

Each classroom, especially in the upper grades, will need ONE or more parent coordinators to work with the teacher.

Please email Desry Guenther at desry@aol.com or call 731 3239.

Tuesday, October 5th, 6:00 pm. Madison Campus Green Schoolyard Kick Off!

Kindergarten parents especially encouraged to attend!



Madison Campus Green Schoolyard

Be a part of this historic opportunity for an expansion of the green space at the Madison Campus. Help shape the school's vision for a wonderful new educational opportunity for our students for many years to come. We have received a large grant and look forward to your input. Join us at our Kick-Off Meeting on **Tuesday – October 5th – 6:00 pm** – Madison Campus: Slideshow, overview, brainstorming. Volunteers needed for refreshments.

Thursday – November 4th – 5:30pm Design workshop

Kindergarten families are especially encouraged to join us!

For more information, email HackW@sfusd.edu

CL Family Run for School Funds: Support your school, have fun and get fit at the same time! Runners of all stripes and sizes are signing up for the Howlin' Moon 5K and 1K Fun Run to be held on Saturday, October 30th, 2010, at the Little Marina Green, next to the St. Francis Yacht Club.

- The 5K starts at 9 am when runners will head west along Crissy Field toward the Golden Gate Bridge, turn near The Warming Hut and return to the Green. A fast, flat course.
- At 10 am there will be a 1K Fun Run for all. Especially the younger set.

There will be age group awards and t-shirts for all participants! Join us for a morning of fitness

and fresh air at one of the world's loveliest running destinations. Your modest entrance fee will support all PTA funded programs including: physical education, outdoor education, art, music, and technology for a diverse body of students who come from all corners of San Francisco to thrive and learn at Claire Lilienthal Alternative Public School. Run and Howl! Register at the following link: <http://www.active.com/running/san-francisco-ca/howlin-moon-5k-and-kids-fun-run-2010>.

Middle School Athletics

Girls & Boys Basketball try outs will be on Monday, September 13th through Thursday, September 16th from 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm at the YMCA Letterman Gym. If your child is interested in trying out for the basketball team, please make sure that their SFUSD Physical & Health History Form and SFUSD Parental Consent Form is turned in to Ms. Hadley before September 13th. Any questions, please contact Ms. Hadley at 415-749-3516

Tae Kwon Do After School Classes Return to Lilienthal!

We are very pleased to announce that Tae Kwon Do after school classes will be returning to Claire Lilienthal, both campuses! Thanks to our longtime partnership with KAWAWA, we will be once again offering this excellent after school program. Information will be forthcoming in your Wednesday Envelope, and we hope to have classes ready to start in a few weeks. In the meantime, please know that this is open to all students, and space arrangements have already been made at both campuses. **Details, including days and times, will be in your Wednesday Envelope next week.** (Fees will be paid to KAWAWA). If you have questions, please email HackW@sfusd.edu.

New Middle School Fitness Lab at Lilienthal

Thanks to the San Francisco Unified School District Physical Education Department we have been awarded a brand new, state of the art, Fitness Lab. Brand new equipment from Life Fitness includes 15 stationary bikes, 1 dip/chin assist machine, 1 chest press, and 1 rowing machine. This incorporates state and national standards in physical education.

Use of this lab will be coordinated and overseen by our own Ms. Hadley during the Physical Education periods and after school athletics.



Coins for Kids Coming to CL

San Francisco Unified School District is sponsoring a fundraising campaign called "Coins for Kids" and Lilienthal will be participating. From September 13 through September 29th, collection buckets will be placed at Walgreens and at both campuses. Students, parents, and community members will be encouraged to donate coins and cash during this time frame. Lilienthal will receive back 100% of the funds collected at our two campuses, plus a portion of the funds collected at Walgreens (distributed to all SFUSD schools). We will then be allowed to spend these funds at our own discretion for educational and other related-student activities! Let's all get behind COINS FOR KIDS!

ALL 8TH GRADE PARENTS! IF YOU HAVE NOT BEEN GETTING EMAILS REGARDING 8TH GRADE GRADUATION INFORMATION, PLEASE EMAIL marciriansf@yahoo.com AND GET ON OUR LIST! It is important that we have a way to communicate with you, so you don't miss out on important information! If you do not have a computer or an email address, please call me at 292-5831 so we can make alternate communication arrangements for you. Thanks! Marci Ryan

From the library:

Hello parents! **Our school libraries are open!!** Parents are encouraged to sign up to volunteer during their child's scheduled visit or help out in the library whenever you can. Grades 2 – 8 are allowed to check out books to take home. As a friendly reminder, all of you will be signing an agreement with the District to pay for replacing any lost or damaged books, so please remind your students to treat our books with care. Mrs. O (Marcia Orbelian)

**NO SCHOOL ON SEPTEMBER
6TH – LABOR DAY!**