

Letter of Introduction

Greetings Parents,

My name is Jodi Picardat (pe-car-dy) and I am Mrs. Faulkner's Head Room Parent. I am really excited! This is going to be a fantastic school year!

I would like to give a very special thank you to Rachel's mom, Cathy Cox (and my "right-hand man") for organizing our snacks for the year and for creating our class directory. The directory is an invaluable source of communication and they should be going out soon in your child's folder.

The room parents' meeting was held this past Tuesday, Sept. 16th and was very informative. Here is a synopsis of some of the events that will be happening this school year:

Class Parties

Winter Party- December 18th (1:45-2:30pm)

Valentine's Day Party- February 12th

End of they Year School Party- June 2nd

(Annex Parties are from 12:45-1:30)

I will send information in advance before each event via the kids' folders. I will request volunteers to help at the parties and to donate supplies.

Carnival

The Oak Hill Carnival will be held on March 6th. Our classroom will be responsible for a booth and I will be recruiting volunteers (after the holidays) to help plan, set up, man and clean up. If there are enough volunteers, we can man the booth in 30 minute shifts. It is loads of fun and great for our school... I hope to see everyone there.

Teacher Appreciation Week

This will be in April or early May. The teachers will select a day during that week to go out for a well-deserved lunch. We will need several volunteers to help in the classroom at that time. We will also plan some other fun things during Teacher Appreciation Week for Mrs. Faulkner.

Last Day of School Enrichment Program

We will need 1-3 volunteers to walk with our class to each activity. The number of volunteers needed will be determined by Mrs. Faulkner.

Field Trips

When necessary, I will ask for volunteers to drive and/or to chaperone on field trips.

Teacher Gifts

I will be sending out a reminder early to determine if you would like to contribute toward a class gift for our teacher. (Holiday gift, Teacher Appreciation, and End of the School Year)

Teachers' Special Needs

Remember to periodically look for the stars outside of the classroom to find out what Mrs. Faulkner needs for the class.

Photos/Yearbook

Whenever you are volunteering for an event or are up at the school, don't forget to bring your camera. I will be sending candid photos to the yearbook coordinator near the end of February. Our class photo will be turned in to the coordinator before January 7th.

Any changes in dates or times will be communicated as soon as possible.

If you have any questions at all, please feel free to contact me at:

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