

Nautilus Navigator



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Hello Nautilus Friends and Families, how is March Madness going for all of you? We have some exciting things on the books so please be sure to

mark your calendars. I hope all of your children enjoyed Science on Wheels and the Science Fair. It was fun to see so many folks attending the evening event at school and to see many staff members there supporting our student scholars. A big thank you to all who helped make Science on Wheels and Science Fair happen and a special shout out to Mr. Basinger for Science Fair and Diana Bogert for Science on Wheels. March 8th is an all school assembly where the children will get to see the play Flora & Ulysses. March 18th is Cookie Day. Looking ahead, be sure to purchase your tickets for our Night out for Nautilus Dinner and Auction on April 23rd. We have a PTSA General Meeting on April 12th at the Nautilus Library from 6:30-8. Childcare will be provided so please try to come. We also have skate night at Pattison's West on April 21st but no PTSA Meeting. Skating is from 6-8 p.m. We will start our Yearbook pre-sell in March so look for information coming to you soon about that as well. Looking forward to seeing many of you either on campus or at some of our events; thanks for all you do!

Jenni Forsman and Natalie Lo



Tickets for Night Out For Nautilus dinner and live auction are now on sale! Ticket forms are in the office, but for your convenience we will be holding a credit card sales day on **Friday, March 18th** before and after school in the carpool area. Support the students at Nautilus by buying your tickets and

enjoy a wonderful evening!

We also need your help to make this night a success for our kids! We are looking for volunteers who can help out with set-up, take down, etc. Below is a list of things we need help with. If you are interested in signing up, please email regimontanus@yahoo.com to let us know how you'd like to help!

March 18th ticket drive

• Help with ticket sales before and after school

2 weeks prior to auction (eve. Work parties)

Create baskets and organize items

Day of Auction

- Set up dessert table
- Set up welcome table
- Set up registration table
- Set up silent auction tables

During auction

- Sell tickets for the Golden Ticket Brunch for 2 at Salty's
- Classroom basket raffle ticket sales 6pm-7pm & 7pm-8pm
- Help run registration table (check-in) 6 -7:30
- Help run registration table (check out) 9-10

Silent Auction

- Help close out auction tables and return sheets to check out Live Auction
 - Spotters for live auction

Towards the end of the night

Runners (between checkout and the auction tables/bar)

After auction

Clean-up

Upcoming Events

- March 8th Flora and Ulysses Play
- March 18th Cookie Day
- April 12th PTSA General Mtg @ Nautilus Library, 6:30-8pm
- April 21st Skate Night, but <u>NO</u> PTSA Mtg, @Pattison's West, 6-8pm
- April 23rd Night Out For Nautilus Auction



A belated Thank You and Congratulations to our participants!

These are the results of the Council Level Judging Session:

Intermediate Photography - 1st place - Briannah Andersen (this entry goes on to State Level Judging!)

Primary Visual Arts - 2nd place - Kendall Sezto

3rd place - Alinea Kirschenbaum

Intermediate Literature - 1st place - Myla Warden (this entry goes on to State Level Judging!)

2nd place- Emma Ross

Reflections is a National PTSA Art Competition that includes six different categories. The six categories are Visual Art, Photography, Literature, Film Production, Music composition and Dance Choreography. Each year a new theme is chosen. The 2015-16 theme was "Let Your Imagination Fly."

The Reflections-Chair position is open for next year. This is a program that will only happen at our school if there is a Reflections-Chair holder. If you are interested in the position, let your PTSA know by reaching out to one of our PTSA presidents (Jenni or Natalie).



Elementary School Team Chess Tournament

What: Elementary School Team Chess Tournament

Who: Chess Players up to 5th grade.

When: Tuesday, May 10th, 2016. Check-in at 4:30pm. Tournament starts at 5:00pm. All

players will play 4 games. Approximate end time will be 7:30pm

Where: Nautilus K8 School, Gym, 1000 South 289th St, Federal Way WA 98003

Cost: Free

Registration: Contact Don Hyun, <u>donhyun@hotmail.com</u>, with the following info: School or Organization being represented, Student Name, Grade, Emergency Contact Info (Name, phone, email)

Registration Deadline: April 29th, 2016 5pm

Rules: Touch Move. Top 3 scores for a school will determine tournament winner. Chess Clock may be used for games lasting more than 20 minutes. Will try to group by grade level depending on pool of available players.

Volunteers: Volunteer opportunities for recording game results, escorting children. Chess sets and chess clock loaners appreciated. Contact Don Hyun – donhyun@hotmail.com

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On Volunteer Spot, I've added volunteer opportunities for the preparation, set-up and tear-down of the Art Gallery Show. The show is in the library during Student-Led Conferences April 14-15th. Volunteer opportunities are the week of March 21-25 for

preparation, April 13th for set up and April 15th for tear-down. Please sign up on the Art/Cart Volunteer Spot at http://vols.pt/LbgiMv

Also, please let your PTSA President(s) (Jenni or Natalie) or Andrea Schweikl know if you have an interest in becoming a bigger part of this art program in the future.

There are many spots available to help in classes for the last 3 sessions of the year. Please sign up on the Art/Cart Volunteer Spot at http://vols.pt/LbgiMv

~Andrea Schweikl, aschweikl@gmail.com



It's time to collect Labels for Education at home. We will have a classroom contest in April

and May! Please send in your Labels for Education (Soup Labels) with your student during April and Early May. The classroom with the most labels collected will win Cookie Day Coupons for the entire class!



The final Box Top count is in and the winning class is Mrs. McFarlane's 2nd/3rd split with 741 Box Tops turned in! They will be having a pizza party to celebrate. Everyone did fantastic with over

6500 Box Tops collected for this year! Honorable mention also goes out to four classes that collected over 300 Box Tops each, Ms. Johnson, Mrs. Adkisson, Mrs. Koch and Mrs. Campbell! Keep collecting, we will have another turn in before the end of the year! Remember, Box Tops are worth 10 cents and all of that money goes directly to our school.



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Our PTSA has earned **\$1177.50** from the Fred Meyer Rewards Program. If you shop at Fred Meyer, please link your rewards card to Nautilus PTSA. Go to www.fredmeyer.com/communityrewards and search for Nautlus K-8 PTSA or #85790. Every time you shop or get fuel at Fred Meyer and use your rewards card, Nautilus will earn money. You will

still earn your Rewards Points, Fuel Points and Rebates. If you don't have a Rewards Card, pick one up at the Fred Meyer Customer Service desk. This is easy money for our school that will go directly to programs that benefit our students! Tell your family and friends to sign up as well.



Help our school earn FREE SUPPLIES by shopping at any Office Depot, at Officedepot.com, or by calling 1-800-GO-DEPOT! Our school earns credit

equal to 5% of your qualifying school or office supply purchases to use for FREE supplies. Just give them our school's ID # 70106383. All monies earned will help us give supplies to our students! For details, visit www.officedepot.com/5percent.



Target Red Card is ending their donation to schools program on May 16, 2016. If you have a Red Card, please continue to shop until May 16th so Nautilus can earn as much money as possible! Thanks for your support!



Are you an Amazon Shopper? Please make sure you shop through AmazonSmile.com and designate Nautilus K-8 as your school of choice. We earn 0.05% back on all eligible purchases that help support our organization's many programs. Last quarter, we earned \$39.65. So keep shopping to

help your PTSA!



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