

# Snohomish School District Parent Partnership Program

June Shirey, Principal

Home of the Firebirds

Sept 26, 2008

Attendance Line  
360-563-3423

## Message from June

Dear Parents,

It looks like everyone is busy and happy at our new location. With more students and more rooms to manage we have appreciated the help of our volunteer coordinators and our volunteers! You ALL help make this school successful. I hope that our new families are finding this school to have been a good choice for their students' educations.

I know our teachers are enjoying having classrooms to decorate and to allow them to concentrate on improving teaching and learning. At our weekly staff meetings and on the Friday early release times we share instructional practices and curricular ideas. We are fortunate as a school to have such outstanding teachers who value each and every student in their classes. They are a pleasure for me to work with!

I welcome your input, praise or constructive criticism, as you see fit.

Sincerely,

June Shirey

"Life is like a tennis game, you can't win without serving."

Author Unknown



### Dates to remember

Oct. 2 Picture Day

Oct. 6-9 Celebration Week

Oct. 20 Non Student

Oct. 24 Fall Harvest

Oct. 28 Open House

### Mission Statement

The "heart" or core of what we do, will be service oriented. In other words, the educational needs and desires of our home schooling students and their parents will be the priority in the choices school leaders make.

The classes and services we offer will be characterized by excellence. It is our expectation that this partnership program will be a model to other alternative schools in its quality and diversity of programs offered.

### **Arrival and pick-up**

Arrival time is 8:50. It is important for teachers to have time to prepare for the day so we are asking if you arrive early to wait in the family resource room.

Pick up time is 2:30. Please be prompt.

### **Needed supplies**

We are in need of lunch room supplies such as plastic silverware, paper plates, and paper napkins.

Cold season has begun please have your student bring in 1 family size box of Kleenex to the office.



### **Scholastic Book orders**

September book orders are due by Oct. 3rd. Please place in Mrs. Schuler's basket.

### **Parent help**

We are looking for a parent who would be in charge of ordering the Firebird apparel. If you are interested please see Mary.

### **E.D. Hersch books**

If you have an E.D. Hersch book at home and you have finished reading it would you please return it. We use to have a full set of books and now several are missing.

### Attention parents

Parent's, if your student(s) has study hall here are just a few reminders to go over with them. In your family file there is a note informing you to which classroom and teacher they are assigned to during their study hall hour(s).

Students need to treat study hall just like any other class they have during the day. They need to be on time and on task. It is important that they stay in their assigned classroom and have something to work on or a book to read. Following these rules help minimize disruption to the teacher and classroom.

### Picture Day

Dorian Photography will be here on Thursday October 2nd from 9:00-2:30 for individual pictures. Each student must have **their own picture packet with payment inside.**

**Even if you are not purchasing pictures we would like your student(s) to have their picture taken for the yearbook.**

One check will not work for the whole family. Sorry for any inconvenience this may cause.

### FALL HARVEST

It's time to celebrate the fall harvest. Come join us for a morning of fun activities, games and food. This is an all school event. Everyone is welcome.

When: Friday Oct. 24

Time: 10:00a.m.—12:00 p.m.

Where: Parent Partnership campus gym

More information coming!

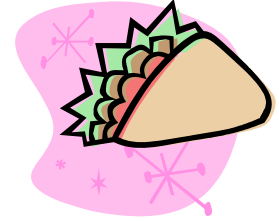


## SAVE THE DATE

OCTOBER 28

OPEN HOUSE

More information to follow



### School Lunches

You may now purchase school lunches from Sodexo. We have a deli menu available for students (please see attached menu). You must pre-order and pre-pay the week before. There are order forms in the office. Fill out your order form along with your payment and turn it in to the secretary.

If you order a lunch and your student is absent that day you will still have to have to pay unless you call 2 days ahead to cancel.

Lunches will be delivered here to the school in the morning. If you have any questions feel free to call the secretary.

You are welcome to fill out the free and reduced lunch application. They are available in the office.

## **P.A.T. (Parents Assisting Teachers)**

<u>Day</u>	<u>Session One</u>	<u>Session Two</u>
Monday	9 – 12:00	10:45—1:45
Tuesday	9 – 12:30	11:00—2:30
Wednesday	9 – 12:00	11:00—1:45
Thursday	9 – 12:30	11:00 – 2:30



### **PARENTS ASSISTING TEACHERS (PAT) SCHEDULE**

#### **Fifth Monday**

Penny Goodwin

#### **Fifth Tuesday**

#### **First Wednesday**

Danika Cooley  
Susan Anderson

Erin Bishop  
Susan Scott

#### **First Thursday**

Maria LaFleur  
Tim Lambright

Stephanie Rech  
Carrie Gove

### **Week of October 6-9, 2008**

#### **First Monday**

BJ Lee  
Carmen Wyatt

Rhianon Blake  
Jay Gellings

#### **First Tuesday**

Suzanne Carroll  
Suzanne Lott

Angela Fehr

#### **Second Wednesday**

Arlene Defigh  
Jaimie Stevenson

Kasia Giron  
Michele Tribole

#### **Second Thursday**

Sylvie Warren  
Sheryl Sandal

Tina Schuck  
Jacqueline Todd