



Forest Avenue Bulletin

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October 29 – November 4, 2014

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Wednesday, October 29

- Lunchtime Craft – 3rd & 4th grade
- Pomptonian Lunch – Chicken Patty

Thursday, October 30

- SCRIP distribution (for Nov 1st)
- Pomptonian Lunch – Meatball Parm Sub

Friday, October 31 (HALLOWEEN)

- 9:00am – Halloween Parade
- 11:30am – Sing-off (blacktop)
- 12:30pm – Dismissal
- No Lunch

Monday, November 3

- SCA Lunch – Hot Dog (pack a drink)

Tuesday, November 4

- **ELECTION DAY**
- 6:00am – 8:00pm – Bake Sale & Tricky Tray
- 12:30pm – Dismissal
- No Lunch

Wednesday, November 5

- Pomptonian Lunch – Pizza

Thursday, November 6

- School Closed – NJEA Convention

Friday, November 7

- School Closed – NJEA Convention



Halloween Activities – October 31st

Our Halloween parade will be held at **9:00am** on **Friday, October 31st**. Classes will exit through the front door, walk down the driveway, across the sidewalk in front of the school and back up the other driveway twice. Afterwards they will gather by class on the blacktop for group photos. Our sing-off will be held on the blacktop at **11:30am**. In the case of inclement weather, all activities will be held in the gym.

Halloween Treat Bags

Halloween treat bags were sent home in backpacks yesterday. Please send in a special snack for your child to enjoy during individual class parties on Friday.

Trick or Treat for UNICEF

Yesterday your child should have received a box via backpack to participate in the Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF Program. If he/she wants to join us, simply assemble the box and take it with you when Trick-or-Treating this Friday. Any money collected should be brought back to your child's teacher in the days following Halloween. UNICEF is based on children helping children, so encourage your child to help kids in other parts of the world who are lacking food, clean water or basic school supplies. Any questions, please contact **Kendra Zalewski** at 973 571-9355.



NOTES



- All Pictures were distributed via back packs last week. If you have any questions or concerns with your pictures please speak with **Lillian Vega**, 973 433-7033. The class picture for the busy bees of 4B will be corrected and reprinted. We will send them home as soon as we receive them. Thank you!!
- All VEC poster winners can be found in an attachment with the bulletin.
- Schools will be closed **November 6-7th** for the NJEA Convention.

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Calling All Volunteers!

We still need volunteers to support our bake sale and basket raffle. Please sign up online using the instructions below. Thank you in advance for your help!

TO SIGN-UP:

1. Select link
www.SignUpGenius.com/go/20F0F4DACA828A0FD0-forest/
2. View all available slots and select **SIGN-UP BOX** to volunteer next to your desired time slot.
3. A confirmation page will follow. You will need to enter the following information:

First Name _____

Last Name _____

Email _____

Re-enter Email _____

Click the next 2 boxes: 1) Create an account 2)

Send me a confirmation

4. Select **SIGN UP** and you are All SET!

For questions please contact: **Jennifer Zimmer**
Jennifer.Zimmer@merck.com or **Diane Orrei**
Dorrei@hotmail.com



Sportswear and *KidStuff Coupon Books* will be available for sale on Election Day!

Bake Sale

Please remember to bring in your nonperishable baked goods on **Monday, November 3rd**, after school is dismissed. If you have hot or cold food items, you can drop them off Tuesday morning after 6:30am! We will be accepting all food donations for the Bake Sale at the Bake Sale table across from the gymnasium. Please use the back door when dropping off your food donations. Thank you!

Support Your School and Stock Up On PASTA SAUCE for Nights When You Don't Want to Cook!

Once again, Bella Gente will be providing us with four great sauce choices that can also be frozen for later use. Proceeds will go to support our school as part of the **Annual Bake Sale**. Please fill out the attached flyer and return it via backpack with your cash or check made payable to **Forest Ave SCA** (no later than **this Friday, October 31**). If you have any questions, please contact **Meg Shick** at 818 486-4699 (cell) or meg@ihanasu.com. All orders will be available for pick up on **Tuesday, November 4**.

Last Call for Tricky Tray Donations

We are still looking to fill and create baskets for our Election Day Tricky Tray. We have some fabulous prize baskets already, and we will continue to accept donations through the week. Please contact **Kara Conklin** at karaconklin21@gmail.com or 973 857-3515 if you have goods or services to contribute by Friday, October 30th. All contributions are greatly appreciated!

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Bet On The Bulldogs



Casino Night – Coming Soon

Bet on the Bulldogs!!! That's right, the Forest Avenue School SCA's first-ever Casino Night is coming, and we want to you to be there! Information will be coming in backpacks soon, so keep an eye out! Do you have questions about donating a gift or sponsoring a game table? Please contact **Kristen Millar** (kmillar815@yahoo.com) or **Tammi Rawding** (tammieganrawding@hotmail.com). And don't forget to look for our basket at the Election Day Tricky Tray - you could win 2 admission tickets!

**The Forest Avenue School Bulldogs - we're strong,
we're smart, and we know how to roll!**

THANKS! XIEXIE! GRAZIE! MERCI!

Many Hats, Many Thanks

Many Thanks to all those who participated in [Heavenly Hats!](#) Forest Ave students raise \$210.50 for children with illnesses leading to hair loss. In addition, the children really enjoyed wearing their hats to school and seeing some of the very interesting hats their classmates wore as well!

Jack-O'-Lantern Success

The Forest Ave SCA would like to thank **Lisa Petruzzi**, **Dina Kousoulou**, **Maureen Maisano** and **Sarah McAneney** for a delightful evening under the moon at the Festival of Jack-o'-Lanterns! It was the perfect night to display the carving talents of our very creative Forest families. Congratulations to **Mrs. LaStella's** first-grade class who won the most votes for Favorite Jack-o-Lantern this year!

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