Forest Avenue Bulletin

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January 23rd – January 29th, 2013

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Wednesday, January 23rd
- Pomptonian Hot Lunch – Nachos

Thursday, January 24th
- Pomptonian Hot Lunch – Mac & Cheese

Friday, January 25th
- SCA Bagel Lunch (don't forget to pack a drink)
- Family Fun Night

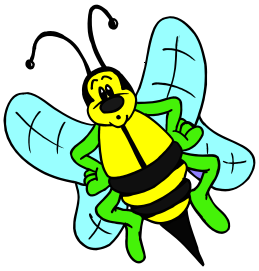
Monday, January 28th
- SCA Pasta Lunch (don't forget to pack a drink)

Tuesday, January 29th
- Pomptonian Hot Lunch – Pizza

Wednesday, January 30th
- Pomptonian Hot Lunch – Sloppy Joe

Thursday, January 31st
- Pomptonian Hot Lunch – Asian Chicken Stir Fry

Friday, February 1st
- SCA Bagel Lunch (don't forget to pack a drink)



DANCIN' WITH THE HONEYBEES

A **BIG Thank you** to Pamela Vicarisi Semeraro and all who volunteered in coordinating today's cultural arts assembly "Dancin' with the Honeybees" All the children LOVED Cliff Sunflower's presentation and especially enjoyed making their very own beeswax candles to take home. It was a big hit…..bravo!

REMINDER!!!

With cold and flu season upon us, just a reminder to please call the school office at 973-571-6754 each morning that your child will be out. If you call when the office is closed, there is an answering machine so please leave a message.

Forest Avenue Pre-Kindergarten Workshops

The SCA will be sponsoring **pre-kindergarten workshops** for children who will enter kindergarten in *September 2013.* The workshops are open to children who will be *5 years old on or before October 1, 2013*. The purpose of these workshops is to give children the opportunity to meet their future classmates and to become familiar with the school environment. Parents are invited to stay for refreshments. **Workshops** will be held from 10 to 11am on the following **Saturdays: February 2, March 2, April 13, and May 4, 2013**.
Parents who are interested should register with Lisa Loudon - 973-857-2069.

Attn: Kindergarten, 1st and 2nd grade parents:

The 1st semester of mid-morning milk ends on Fri. 2/1. Sign up information for the 2nd semester was sent home last week. If you wish for your child to continue receiving milk or would like to start, please send in a check for $26.95 payable to Forest Ave. School Milk Fund, please **return** the sign up sheets **by 1/28/13.**

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SANDY RELIEF BRACELETS

Please look for the Hurricane Sandy Relief flyer that went out in the backpacks yesterday. Please call Jeannie Caggiano with any concerns/or questions. Act fast because amounts are limited! Thank you for your support.

LUNCHTIME CRAFTS

Reminder for Parents - Lunchtime Craft is next week on **Tuesday, January 29 for 3rd and 4th grades and Wednesday, January 30 for 1st and 2nd grades.** For your convenience, the sign-up form is attached.

Family Fun Night starts at 7:00 pm on Friday

Make sure to send in your sign up sheets for Family Fun Night that were sent out last Friday. Team assignments will be posted by 8:15am on Friday. Do your best to wear clothes that are the color of your team and stick to your assigned teams. Any questions or concerns call Samme Johnston at 973-857-7007.

Please remember, if it is not too cold out, we love to go outside for recess at lunchtime! Please be sure you dress your child accordingly with a warm jacket, hat, gloves etc. so that they can enjoy themselves outside.

Box Tops Needed

Our next box top submission will be in February. Please help raise money for Forest Ave. School by clipping and sending in box tops coupons from household products that you already purchase! Box Tops can be sent to school via your child's folder in an envelope or ziploc bag.
For more information contact Maureen Maisano **973-986-3981** or visit **boxtops4education.com**

PLEASE NOTE: Printing Bulletin Attachments

For those of us who now read our emails on our smartphones, please make a note to re-open the weekly bulletin on your PC's and tablets to print out attached forms that are required or necessary to fill out and return via backpack.

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