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Beacon Hill International School is Title I School Recipient

Hardcopy and e-mail versions of this newsletter are sent out each Friday. If you aren't receiving an e-mail copy, but would like one, please e-mail Ms. Diana at dfuruta@seattleschools.org so that she can add your e-mail to your child's school information.

September 19, 2014

Dear Beacon Hill International School Families,

A message from Seattle Public Schools Central Office

African American Family Gathering for Central & Southeast Seattle

Please join us on Tuesday, September 23 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at John Muir Elementary School for a powerful evening of idea sharing to improve African American student success. Mr. Kelly Aramaki, Southeast Region Director, and Ms. Sarah Pritchett, Central Region Director, will be there to listen to your ideas as well as to share what Seattle Public Schools is doing to support African American students. Food and activities will be available for kids. For more information, please contact Emijah Smith, Parent Leader at 206.252.6930 or e-mail her at ashantimichai@gmail.com. Hope to see you there!

In Support of Exemplary Education!

Sincerely,

Ms. Tang – 鄧校長 – *Sra. Tang*

Announcements Avisos 公告 Paunawa Thông báo Ogasysiis

- **School Picture Day** – October 1st and October 2nd, more information will come. Picture retake day will be on November 10th.
- **Free Dress Day** – There will be no Free Dress day in September. Usually there is one Free Dress Day a month, when students don't have to wear their uniform. School Picture Day(s) are Oct. 1st & 2nd and students do not have to wear their uniform on the day that they will be photographed. The following Free Dress Day will be Friday, October 31st. Since there will not be one in September, the students will have 2 in October.
- **Need Host Families** – We still need host families for our Chinese guest teacher from China for this school year. The hosting period will be from September to June. You can choose to host the teacher for two to three months at a time, half of the 10 months, or full 10 months. Your children will have an opportunity to have the first hand experience to speak the Mandarin language 24 hours a day. Please contact Ms. Tang for more information.
- **Need BLT Parent Representative** – So far we have one parent representative on our Building Leadership Team (BLT) and we need one more. BLT usually meets on second Wednesday of the month from 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. We make decisions on academic, professional development, and spring staffing and budget decisions for the school. Please let the principal know if you are interested.
- **Boxtops for Education** – Please cut out and save the Boxtops for Education logos.

They are usually bright pink on many products. Please ask your friends and relatives to save the Boxtops logos and bring them to the school to help with PTA funding for BHIS. Our school gets 10 cents for each logo.

- **Hilltop Red Apple Receipts** – Please save your Hilltop Red Apple receipts! They must be dated this year because they are submitted once a year. Our PTA receives 1% of the benefit of the receipts submitted.
- **Labels for Education** – Please save the Label for Education points (where the UPC symbol is) for our PTA. They are on all Campbell products as well as Swanson, Prego, Franco American, Pepperidge Farms and a lot of other products. When we get enough points, they will be redeemed for PE equipment.
- **Free Adult ELL Classes at Dearborn Park International School** – Beginning on Tuesday, October 7, 2014 there is a free adult ELL class in the computer lab at Dearborn Park International School every Tuesday and Thursday from 3:00 to 4:30 p.m. It is sponsored by the Seattle Public Library, Seattle Council PTSA, Dearborn Park International School PTA and staff. Please contact Ms. Nelrica Mosqueda, School Relations Coordinator in the Family Room at 206-252-6978 if you are interested and have any questions. Free snacks for kids and free child care for toddlers!
- **Free ESL Classes and Literacy Programs Offered by The Seattle Public Library** The Seattle Public Library offers ESL and Literacy Programs from September to December 2014. Classes include Talk Time, Tutoring for Adults, Citizenship Classes, and ESL Classes in Central Library, Beacon Hill Branch, Rainier Beach Branch, Columbia Branch, Lake City Branch, and Northgate Branch. For more information call 206-233-9720

Calendar *Calendario* 日历 Kalendaryo **Lich** Taarikhda

Sept. 24	2-Hour Early Dismissal at 12:50 p.m.
Sept. 26	K/I st Field Trip to the Zoo
Sept. 26	Last Day to Order School T-Shirt
Oct. 1	PTA Potluck and Information Fair
Oct. 1-2	Picture Days
Oct. 6	Curriculum Night – 4 th /5 th Grades 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.
Oct. 7	Curriculum Night – K/I st Grade 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.
Oct. 9	Curriculum Night – 2 nd /3 rd Grades 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.
Oct. 8	BLT Meeting 7:30 – 8:30 a.m.
Oct. 10	No School – Teacher Training Day
Oct. 17	Walk-A-Thon (Tentative)
Oct. 29	2-Hour Early Dismissal at 12:50 p.m.
Oct. 31	Free Dress Day

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