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September 12, 2014

Dear Beacon Hill International School Families,

Thank you to those who attended our Back to School BBQ last Friday. Thank you for bringing/sharing all the delicious food. It was a great turnout. Here I would like to encourage all BHIS families to attend our **tentatively scheduled first PTA Potluck, Meeting, and Information Fair on Wednesday, October 1st from 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.** Bring a dish to share, come and enjoy the local and global dishes that families bring. Here is our tentative agenda for our meeting:

- Potluck (starting at 6:00 p.m.)
- PTA & Principal Welcome to the New School Year (starting at 6:30 p.m.)
- Time to Meet BHIS Staff and Partners – From 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m., you will have a chance to walk around to different tables to meet and learn more about BHIS programs and partners, including: **Physical Education** with Ms. Chavez, **Visual Arts** with Ms. Logel, **Library and Literacy** with Ms. Thompson, **General School Information** with Ms. Kuban, the **Families in Education Levy** with Ms. Tang, getting involved with **PTA, CDSA, Powerful Schools, Odessa Brown**, and more!

Please stay tuned for more information to come!

In Support of Exemplary Education!

Sincerely,

Ms. Tang – 鄧校長 – Sra. Tang

Announcements Avisos 公告 Paunawa Thông báo Ogasysiis

- **United Way Day of Caring** – The United Way Day of Caring is a day when many companies take a day to volunteer at non-profit organizations. We have been fortunate to have a group from Microsoft to come every year to help with the outside landscaping. They weed, trim, prune, lay down mulch, etc. They will be here all day on September 19th. We feed them lunch. If there is anything that parents would like to contribute to lunch, please let Nancy Fujimoto know.
- **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.

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Sept. 15	All School Assembly 2:05 to 2:35 p.m.				
Sept. 15	PTA Board Meeting 6:00 -8:00 p.m.				
Sept. 17	BLT Meeting 7:30 – 8:30 a.m.				
Sept. 19	4 th /5 th Grades Field Trip to Seattle Aquarium for Salmon Homecoming				
Sept. 19	United Way Day of Caring				
Sept. 19	Last Day to Order School T-Shirt				
Sept. 24	2-Hour Early Dismissal at 12:50 p.m.				
Sept. 26	K/1 st Field Trip to the Zoo				
Oct. 1	PTA Potluck and Information Fair (Tentative)				
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/1 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				
Oct. 29	2-Hour Early Dismissal at 12:50 p.m.				
Oct. 31	Free Dress Day				

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<i>Español</i> – Ms. Magdalena @ 252-2681		Tagalog – Ms. B @ 252-2682
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